



Huntingdon Academy

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# LUNAR NEW YEAR



# THINKING AND BRITISH VALUES

## Mutual Respect

- Treating others as you want to be treated
- Respect for each other
- Working together



## Individual Liberty

- Freedom of speech for all
- The right to make our own choices

## Rule of Law

- Understanding rules and why they are important
- Following rules to develop order

## Democracy

- Making decisions together
- The right to an opinion/voice

## Tolerance

- Learning about different faiths and cultures
- Listen to other viewpoints
- Learning about diversity

# Our Vision:

*Individual Growth.  
Empowerment for All.*



## Our Values:



## Our Behaviours:





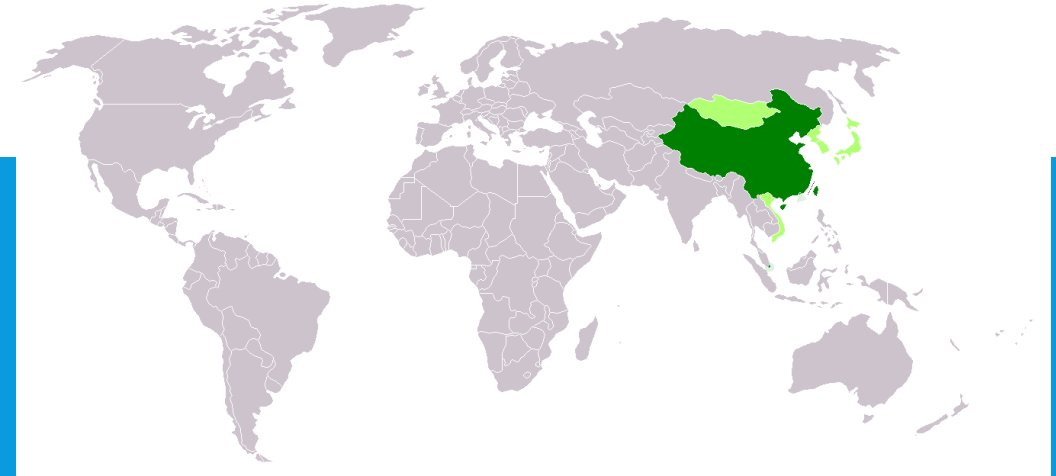
# KS1 VALUES



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 <b>COMMUNICATION</b> <small>At Huntingdon Academy we value communication</small>	 <b>LISTENING</b> <small>At Huntingdon Academy we value listening</small>	 <b>COLLABORATION</b> <small>At Huntingdon Academy we value collaboration</small>	 <b>THINKING</b> <small>At Huntingdon Academy we value thinking</small>
<small>To apply the value of [value] to your behaviour, you need to:</small>			
 <b>Use the best vocabulary to explain your ideas clearly</b>	 <b>Actively listen when people are talking</b>	 <b>Consider others' ideas and take turn to speak</b>	 <b>Reflect on your strengths and learn from mistakes</b>
 <b>Present high standards in both your appearance and your work</b>	 <b>Try to understand others thoughts and feelings</b>	 <b>Know when and how to seek support</b>	 <b>Keep trying when things are difficult</b>
 <b>Use full sentences when explaining your thinking</b>	 <b>Show appropriate body language for listening</b>	 <b>Share ideas and resources</b>	 <b>Make links within learning and with the wider world</b>
 <b>Ask powerful questions</b>	 <b>Let people finish their sentences</b>	 <b>Work together to make a difference</b>	 <b>Think creatively and logically</b>

# WHERE IS CHINA?



- The country of China is in Northeast Asia.
- China is the fourth biggest country in the world. The United States is only slightly larger in size than China.
- China has the largest population in the world – around 1,306,313,812 people!
- China is divided into provinces.
- The capital city, Beijing, is in the northeast part of the country.

# WHEN IS LUNAR NEW YEAR?



- Lunar New Year starts somewhere between late January and Early February.
- The date changes from year to year because it follows an ancient farmer calendar.

# BE PREPARED!



Everyone helps to clean the house before the new year begins.

Lots of special food is prepared.

Lucky red and gold decorations are hung over doors and around rooms.

People try to pay back any debts they have (long ago people had to hide if they owed someone money!)

# NEW YEARS EVE



Not many people go to sleep on New Year's Eve.

Temples are full of worshippers.

Families gather together for a special meal.

Some families still follow old traditions. They stay in the house and shut the doors and windows tight to stop evil spirits getting in.

Tree branches are burnt and fire crackers are set off to drive the evil spirits away.



# THE LANTERN FESTIVAL



- The lantern festival is a bright and happy way to end the celebrations.
- People celebrate the end of winter and the sun getting stronger as spring gets closer.
- More than 2000 years ago people lit lanterns under the full moon in celebration of the Sun God, known as the Lord of the East.