South Wingfield

PRIMARY SCHOOL

Collective Worship Policy 2026-2027

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Collective Worship

Worship is an important part of the school day as it gives us the opportunity to come together as a school community. We recognise that Collective Worship is an important time in providing opportunities for our children's spiritual, moral, social and cultural development.

The aim of collective worship is to provide the opportunity for pupils to:

- develop a sense of awe and wonder about the world
- affirm positive values such as honesty and self-sacrifice
- encourage responsibility for making personal decisions
- celebrating achievements and special occasions
- develop a community spirit, a common ethos and shared values
- respond to the worship offered
- develop an understanding of protected characteristics
- developing their understanding of British Values (democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect and tolerance of those different faiths and beliefs)

Statutory Duty of School

All maintained schools provide daily collective worship for registered pupils (apart from those who have withdrawn by their parents). This is usually provided within a daily assembly. The Headteacher is responsible (under the School Standards and Framework Act 1998) for arranging the daily collective worship after consulting with the governing body. Daily collective worship must be wholly or mainly of a broadly Christian character. The precise nature will depend on the family background, ages and abilities of the pupils.

Organisation

Day	**Theme**
Monday	Celebration Assembly
Tuesday	Singing
Wednesday	Wellbeing
Thursday	Religions and festivals
Friday	British Values

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