

BV and SMSC assembly plan (summer 1) - Whole school/Class assembly

Date	Theme	Resources
21 st April		Bank Holiday
28 th April	Opinion vs Fact Spotting fake news	<p>In the video at the heart of this assembly primary school pupils consider how difficult it can be to distinguish 'fact' from 'opinion'. They struggle to agree on a variety of statements - such as 'Up is the opposite of down' - and whether they are definitely facts. Their findings highlight the importance of being able to identify what is 'fake news' - false information being endorsed as fact - and consequently this assembly is one you might choose for Safer Internet Day in February.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/z2gxjsg</p>
5 th May	People who help us RNLI	<p>This assembly takes seaside safety as its starting point before going to explore the work of the RNLI, which was founded in 1824 and estimates it has saved 140,000 lives since then. One of the RNLI's lifeboats is named after Grace Darling and the video clip explores her extraordinary story.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zhvj96f</p>
12 th May	Florence Nightingale's Birthday	<p>This assembly includes information about Florence Nightingale (1820 - 1910) and reflections about her significance from KS2 pupils. It would be most suitable for use around the time of International Nurses Day - 12th May each year - chosen because it is Florence Nightingale's birthday.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zbcyhcw</p>

	International Nurse's Day	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zm6xtrd
19 th May	Walk to School Week	<p>This assembly could be scheduled during Walk to School Week - w/c 20 May 2024 - or International Walk to School Month. According to campaigners Living Streets: 'A generation ago, 70% of us walked to school - now it's less than half.' Walking to school is a good idea for all sorts of reasons... so why do so many pupils arrive by transport... and what can be done to encourage safe walking?</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/z87nxbk</p>