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### THE BEST

BARKING ABBEY
PARENTAL NEWSLETTER 11

Parental involvement is consistently associated with pupils' success at school

Your Role Matters...

Every 2 weeks your child is introduced to a <u>BEST Learning Habit at school</u>, please ensure that you:

- 1. Explain what it means
- 2. Show your child how to model the behaviour
- Offer plenty of examples of how other members of the family have modelled the behaviour

(Please use the resource for tips to help you, or find out more from:

http://www.barkingabbeyschool.co.uk/ass ets/Uploads/Documents/The-Best-Learning-Habits-for-Parental-guidance.pdf



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# Individual Liberty



Here is our fortnightly learning habit and some tips to guide you:

## **Individual Liberty**

Liberty means being free from oppression or restrictions by the government or power. Individual liberty does not mean you are free to do anything you want; it means you are free to do what is right.

#### Behaviours that you can develop:

Knowing your Human Rights, being more understanding of others; thinking of others rather than ourselves; trying to see things from other people's point of view, valuing everyone's input and opinions.

#### Top Tips

#### Students:

- -Find out about your Human Rights as laid down by the United Nations in 1948
- -Make a presentation about something that you feel strongly about, e.g. animal rights
- -Read a news story and note the different viewpoints of the people involved.

#### Parents:

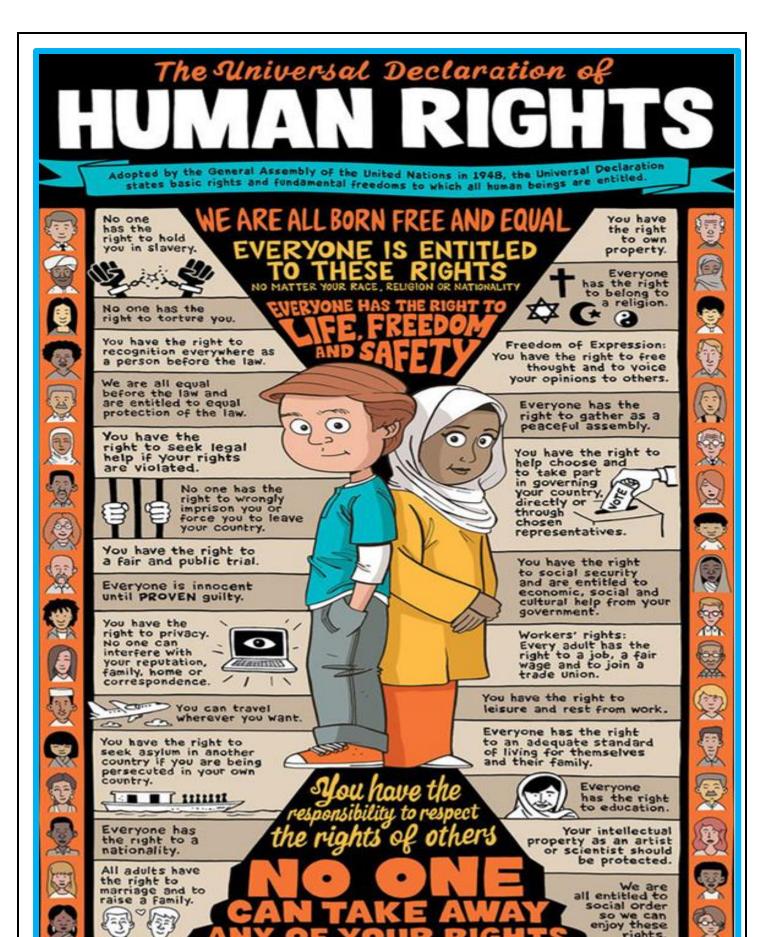
Discuss a current news item and encourage your child to look at the viewpoints of all concerned

Encourage your child to challenge stereotypes and unfairness by looking at how some people are portrayed in the media. Find out with your child what their Human Rights are.

Encourage your child to develop hobbies and interests to take part in outside of school time.

#### Remember:

What is rewarded is repeated



To check whether your child has received BEST points you can use SIMS Parent https://www.sims-parent.co.uk or download the SIMS Parent App for your smartphone. Invites to SIMS parent have already been sent to all parents, if you haven't received one or need further help please email <a href="mailto:itsupport@barkingabbeyschool.co.uk">itsupport@barkingabbeyschool.co.uk</a>.

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