

# Teaching **British Values** in a Catholic School through the provision of **SMSC**

using

*The Way, The Truth & The Life Series*

and

*Teaching Other Faiths in a Catholic School* CD ROM

BRITISH VALUE	BOOK/CD ROM	EXAMPLES
Enable students to develop their self-knowledge, self-esteem and self-confidence	The Truth Bk8 pp 9-12 The Life Bk9 pp 4-11	Made in God's own image and the dignity of the human person Seeking and finding meaning in life
Enable students to distinguish right from wrong and to respect the civil and criminal law of England	The Way Bk 7 pp 42-44 The Truth Bk 8 pp 38-39 The Life Bk9 pp 43-45	Christian values & Beatitudes  The Ten Commandments  Be a light to the Government: taking the initiative to apply the Gospel to areas of civic law of England
Enable students to accept responsibility for their behaviour, show initiative, and to understand how they can contribute positively to the lives of those living and working in the locality of the school and to society more widely	The Truth Bk 8 pp 16-19 pp 32  The Life Bk 9 pp 96-109	God's call to stewardship  Highlighting and challenging slavery today  Understanding the meaning of morality; the great Commandment; moral issues we face; prejudice & discrimination and the need to inform our conscience and how to do it

Enable students to acquire a broad general knowledge of and respect for public institutions and services in England	CD ROM Other Faiths	Respect for places of worship for people of other faiths
Further tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions by enabling students to acquire an appreciation of and respect for their own and other cultures	The Way Bk 7 pp 116-114 The Truth Bk 8 pp 102-107	Values we share with people of other faiths & examples of bonds of friendship Study of Taizé Community helping young people from all over the world to live the Gospel Challenges of living the Gospel: pressures & opportunities
Encourage respect for other people	The Way Bk7 pp 116-124 The Truth Bk8 pp 92-96 & pp 99-101	Values we share with people of other faiths & examples of bonds of friendship The mission of the Church: justice, compassion, repentance & forgiveness, respect Importance of helping people with disabilities
Using a wide variety of sources to help pupils understand a range of faiths	CD ROM Other Faiths The Way Bk 7 pp 112-114 & The Life Bk 9 pp 118-121 The Life Bk 9 pp 122-135	Judaism, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism & Buddhism  What the Catholic Church teaches about other faiths  Dialogue with other faiths, especially Judaism and Islam; what we share and how we differ
Accepting that people have different faiths or beliefs to oneself & that this should not be the cause of prejudicial or discriminatory behaviour	CD ROM Other Faiths & Book 9	Examples of people of other faiths and that the goodness in the minds and hearts of these people is deeply respected by the Church Knowing that God's Holy Spirit has been at work in all religious traditions
Understanding that the freedom to choose and hold other faiths and beliefs is protected in law	CD ROM Other Faiths	The gift of God's grace is absolutely free and available to everyone