

Year 5 PSHE: Diversity and Inclusion Flashcards

Learning objective: To understand the importance of diversity, inclusion, and respecting individual differences within our community.

Use these cards to test your knowledge about creating an inclusive environment. Read the term or question on the left, then check the answer on the right.

Diversity

The range of different characteristics in a group of people, such as different backgrounds, cultures, beliefs, and abilities.

Inclusion

The practice of ensuring that everyone feels welcome, valued, and has equal opportunities to participate, regardless of their differences.

Stereotype

A fixed, oversimplified, and often unfair idea or belief about a particular group of people.

Empathy

The ability to understand and share the feelings of another person by imagining how they might be feeling.

Prejudice

An unfair opinion or dislike of someone based on their background or characteristics, rather than on their individual actions.

What does it mean to celebrate someone's 'Uniqueness'?

To recognise and appreciate the specific qualities, talents, and personality traits that make an individual who they are.

How can Pip the bookworm caterpillar show inclusion?

By inviting others with different interests to join a reading group and valuing the different books they choose to share.

Why is it important to challenge a stereotype?

Because stereotypes are often incorrect and can prevent us from seeing people for who they truly are as individuals.

How does Zara the zebra use her art to promote inclusion?

By creating patterns and designs that show how different colours and shapes can come together to make a beautiful, unified whole.

What is an 'inclusive community'?

A place where every person is treated with respect and feels safe to be themselves without fear of being judged.

Why is listening an important skill for inclusion?

Listening helps us learn about other people's life experiences and perspectives, which builds understanding and friendship.

True or False: Being inclusive means we all have to be exactly the same.

False. Being inclusive means we value our differences rather than trying to make everyone the same.