

# Respect theme: Respecting difference

## Aim

To make connections between our value of respect, the Black Lives Matter coverage in sport and the general media and Jesus' parable of the Good Samaritan. To offer a space for self-reflection on relationships we have where we could show more respect.

## Before showing the video...

- Remind children of our value and check in with them about what we have learnt about it so far, including any discussions about respecting others
- Remind children that Revd. Nick likes singing and we are going to have two times when we sing:  
*Sing Praises all you people, sing praises to the Lord*  
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- Do the opening responses in your classroom  
*We take out the Bible...*  
***As the think about God the Father who teaches us by his word.***  
*We take out the cross as we think about...*  
***God's son Jesus who loves us.***  
*We light the candle as we think about...*  
***God's spirit who guides us.***

## Watch the video

There are some I wonder questions in the video that you may want to discuss:

- ***Why did the Samaritan stop?***
- ***What did the hurt man think when he saw who had helped him?***
- ***Do you think it changed them? How?***
- ***How can you show respect to someone different from you today?***

*Prayer to say together at end of video with actions...*

Dear Jesus, friend, brother and teacher. We thank you for our school; For friendly faces, kind teachers and work that is fun. Help us to love God, follow Jesus and be kind to others. May we know you more clearly (point to head), love you more dearly (hands on heart) and follow you more nearly (point ahead) (roll hands over and over) day by day. Amen.

## After watching the video...

### ***Infants...***

Discussion Question: How do we show respect to others? How are you different from others in the room?  
Classroom activity: Paint a rainbow with different children having different colours. Why does it look better when it is all together?

### ***Juniors...***

Discussion Questions: Why are footballers wearing these special shirts? Who was Martin Luth King and what did he do? How can we respect p[people more in our school and our community?

## Resources...

BBC class clips on racism: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zqvnvcw>

BBC Bitesize on Martin Luther King: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjkj382/articles/zknmrj6>