Feedback form: Heart for Life

## What are we currently learning in lessons?

In Heart for Life lessons students are exploring human rights and the global community. Last half terms students focused on immigration and how it affects society. Students studied different ethnic groups and what they brought to the UK including, food culture and overall diversity. This half term students have been concentrating on human rights and global issues.

Key concepts that students are studying include tolerance, respect, and diversity. Students have also been analysing human rights and the organisations that work to help those that are deprived of these rights. Students have also taken part in activities to celebrate Anti-bullying week and Parliament week.

Areas of Excellence	
Heart	Mind
In Heart for Life students explore the different faiths, cultures, and morals of people around the world.	Students are developing their oracy skills by engaging in class discussions, debates, and sharing their opinions and evaluating matters.
This teaches students to respect other people and show an interest in learning about others and the world around them.	Students are making significant literacy achievements by writing short essays and answering questions based on the lessons.
Areas of Development	
Heart	Mind
Students should ensure that they understand the importance of respect and tolerance and that they portray this within their community.  Students should look for opportunities to develop their skills and understanding within their community. Students should try to find opportunities to get involved in their community by volunteering.	In Heart for Life lessons students have a great opportunity to share their opinions and ideas and practice their oracy skills. Students should try their best to ensure that they are engaging in lesson and taking part.  Students are also able to work on their literacy skills in the form of short essays and evaluations. Students should take this opportunity to progress their literacy skills through practice and feedback.

## How can you support your child at home?

Much of what students study is based on current affairs. Watching or reading the news is a great way for students to understand global issues. This will allow them to participate more in class discussions and form their own understanding of the world around them. Encouragement to do this would be great for students.