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Collective Worship Policy

Aims

Archway School aims to provide opportunities for collective worship for the student body of the school, and for the school community to celebrate and reflect upon the beliefs, values and practices of its members.

Principles

Many of the values and principles on which our society is based have their roots in the Christian tradition. However, the school serves a multi-cultural, multi-faith community and therefore collective worship should provide an opportunity for worship in which everything that is held to have worth by the whole school community can be celebrated.

Due to the size of the student body and the physical limitations of the school buildings, it is not feasible to hold timetabled acts of worship for the whole school community at one time. However, whenever it is appropriate, the school will endeavour to uphold the values of its community and support the beliefs of families from all faiths.

Parents have the right to withdraw their sons and daughters from assemblies or activities which are of a religious nature.

Responsibilities

Headteacher
Senior Leadership Team
Governing Body

Further References

Equalities Policy
Safeguarding Children Policy