

ASSEMBLY:

Rules. Being responsible citizens.

The story of the 10 Commandments

HWB link: We need rules for lots of different reasons. Following them keeps us and others safe.

Key learning: Rules are important in lots of different situations. Christians believe God gives his people rules. The 10 Commandments were given to Moses. Jesus sums up the 10 rules in 2 key rules; “Love God and love your neighbour”.

Content: Sue and Dave attempting to play a board game with different rules from each other demonstrates how important rules are. We play “guess the game” and are invited to come up with three rules for the whole world. We hear the story of God giving the 10 Commandments and then consider what that tells us about God. We learn that Jesus later summarised the 10 rules into 2 rules.

Challenge issued: Choose something you can do this week to help you follow either of Jesus’ rules (Love God or Love others). Try and do it for a whole week!

Next steps:

1. Complete the challenge and share ideas!
2. Use the 10 Must Know Bible Story resources to further explore the story of God giving the Ten Commandments. <https://tenbiblestories.org/resources/the-10-commandments/>