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| 26 th February | This week and next week, it's Fairtrade Fortnight which aims to put a spotlight on trade. When trade is fair it has the potential to improve the lives of the farmers and workers who grow our food. When trade is fair, it can make the world a better place. | Whose responsibility is it to make sure trade is fair? | Individual Liberty - It's easy to buy things without thinking about where they've come from. It's everyone's responsibility to make sure what we buy has come from a safe and sustainable source. |
| 5 th March | The 5th-11th February 2018 is Children's Mental Health Week. Last Tuesday, MPs heard testimony on the subject of transforming children and young people's mental health. | Do we need to be resilient to succeed? | Individual Liberty - It's up to us how we respond when things go wrong or become challenging. We can choose to be positive, try our best and keep going for as long as we can! Resilient is something that we can choose to be. |
| 12 th March | In this week's poster, residents queue for water at a natural spring in Cape Town, South Africa. There have been growing tensions and one arrest at the spring where people go to collect water because of a severe drought in South Africa's drought-hit city of Cape Town. | Do we take water for granted? | The Rule of Law - The very serious droughts in Cape Town, South Africa have meant that rules are in place to ensure that the little water that is left is used sensibly. In the UK, droughts are rare, but it is still important to ensure we are grateful for the water we have and think about our own consumption. |
| 19 th March | Recent research from the educational charity, the Varkey Foundation, has shown that parents in the UK spend less time helping with homework and school projects than those in almost any other country. They questioned more than 30,000 children aged between 4 and 18. | Is homework worthwhile? | Mutual Respect - It's important to respect the decisions made by our schools and teachers about the homework we are given. Homework should always help us become better learners. If we ever feel under too much pressure with our work, we must know that there will be someone in school who will help. |
| 26 th March | In the barren hills of southern Bangladesh lies the home of the world's biggest refugee camp, a temporary home to more than half a million people. | Where do you call home? | Tolerance - Having a sense of belonging and feeling safe is a fundamental human right. Although we don't have control of how other countries are run, we can be sure to make everyone who we interact with, feel welcome in our own community and homes. |