

Fundamental British Values Statement – Whole School  
(including EYFS)

Burgess Hill Girls promotes the Fundamental British Values (FBV) across the whole school and is inclusive of every member of the school community. We promote our FBV through our Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural elements of the school.

The Fundamental British Values are:

- Democracy
- The Rule of Law
- Individual Liberty
- Mutual Respect for and;
- Tolerance of those of different faiths/beliefs and for those without faith

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- Enable students to develop their self-knowledge, self-esteem and self-confidence
- Enable students to distinguish right from wrong and to respect the civil and criminal law of England
- Encourage students to accept responsibility for their behaviour, show initiative, and to understand how they can contribute positively to the lives of those living and working in the locality of the school and to society more widely
- Enable students to acquire a broad general knowledge of and respect for public institutions and services in England
- Further tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions by enabling students to acquire an appreciation for and respect for their own and other cultures
- Encourage respect for other people, and
- Encourage respect for democracy and support for participation in the democratic processes, including respect for the basis on which the law is made and applied in England.