



Barrow Hills  
SCHOOL

# Mr Oldroyd's Assembly

Monday 14th June 2021

# The Pupil Profiles this week are Joyful and Truthful!

So, what is the theme of today's assembly?

Here are some clues...

It comes from the largest object in our solar system, which is a star, a ball of burning gas.

It takes about eight minutes to travel to Earth.

You should never look directly at its source.

You should wear sunscreen to protect you from it.

Without it, Earth would have no heat or light, so nothing would be able to live on it.



Yes, that's right, it's SUNSHINE!

Did you know?

The Sun is the nearest star to Earth – that's why it looks so big!

The Sun is so big that Earth could fit inside it more than a million times!

The Sun is vital to our existence on Earth,

If there was no Sun, the plants would not grow . . . so the animals would have nothing to eat . . . so we would have nothing to eat because we eat meat and plants.

Also, all of us need to be kept warm otherwise we wouldn't be able to stay alive. Without the Sun, Earth would be very cold indeed.

# You are my Sunshine

There is a song at the end of these slides called, 'You are my Sunshine'. The chorus is:

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine,  
You make me happy when skies are grey.  
You'll never know, dear, how much I love you.  
Please don't take my sunshine away.

Why might a person be called someone's 'sunshine'?

Have you ever been outside when the Sun has suddenly appeared from behind a cloud? How did you feel?

Just like the Sun brings light and warmth to us, we as people can do the same for those around us. By showing people that we care, by treating them with respect, by listening to them and encouraging them, we can make people feel joy.

Sometimes, people can feel sad, as if a dark cloud is blocking out the sunshine in their lives.

By our actions, we can help move that cloud and bring light in the form of joy to them.

Even a smile can bring sunshine in the form of happiness to someone else!



# Time for Reflection

Think about the people seated around you. How could you make them happy?

Think about the people in your families. How could you be like sunshine to them?

Think about all the people in school. What could you do to bring warmth and light to them today?

Sometimes we all feel sad. Remember that if you feel that way, there are people around you who are there to listen and help in any way they can.

One place you can go is the Happy Hangout where Mrs Oldroyd or Mrs Buirski will be most break times for you to pop in.



# Prayer.



Dear God,

Thank you that we can all make a difference to the people we meet every day.  
Thank you that, through our generosity and kindness, we can make a difference to  
the lives of people who live far away.

Please help us to be people who always think about others and help us to bring  
light, warmth and joy into people's lives.

Amen.

Credits:

Kean - 87 credits

McCormack - 81 credits

Murtough - 66 credits

Running Total

Murtough - 1 point

McCormack - 2 points

Kean - 3 points

Only a couple of weeks to go - keep it up, everyone!

I hope Today's Music makes you realise that sunshine can radiate from our actions and presence and not just from the sun.

