

Our assembly today is about tolerance

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LEVanAbXdos>

As you come into assembly, listen to the song that is playing.

What are the words in the song telling us?

Try and listen out for the following words/phrases:

Peace

World

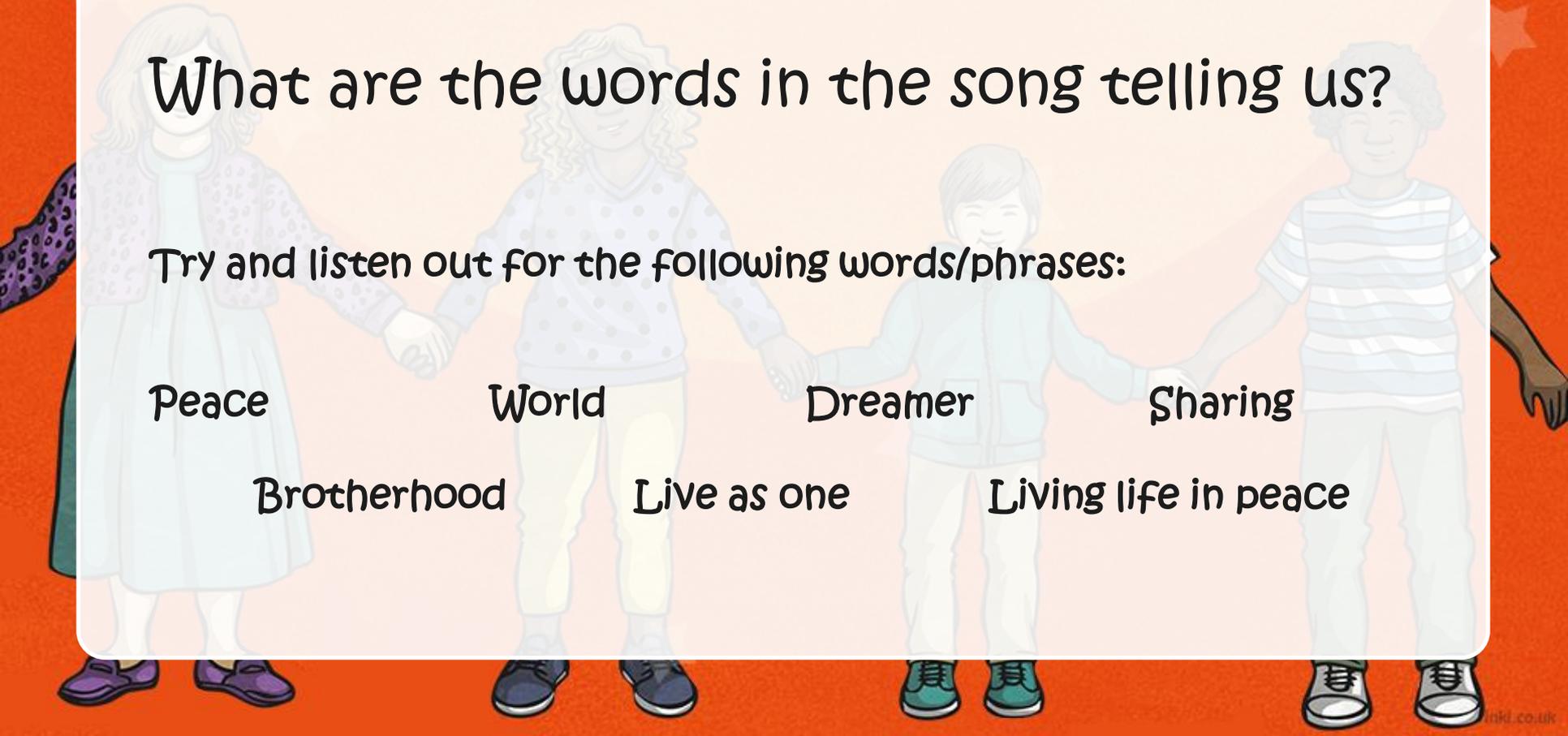
Dreamer

Sharing

Brotherhood

Live as one

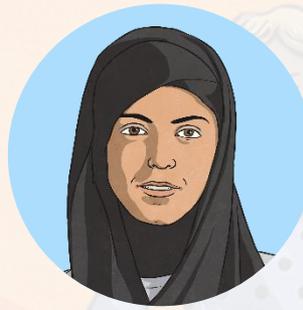
Living life in peace



What Does Tolerance Mean?

Being tolerant, or behaving with tolerance, means to accept other people's differences.

Can you name any ways that people are different?



Tolerance means showing respect for other people's:

- Race
- Religion
- Age
- Gender
- Opinions



We live in a diverse world, this means that there is a lot of variety. When many people are different, we need to use tolerance so that we can all get along.

World without diversity



World with diversity



What Does Tolerant Behaviour Look Like?

I need five volunteers to come and hold up some scenario cards.

We will read each one, and then decide together if tolerance shown or not.

Bella had been asked to support Clare with her maths subtraction questions, but was becoming frustrated that she didn't understand the work.

Josh asked Callum, who was a wheelchair user, if he would like the door opened.

During sports day, David, the Captain of the red team, who were falling behind, was yelling at the runner at the back of the relay team.

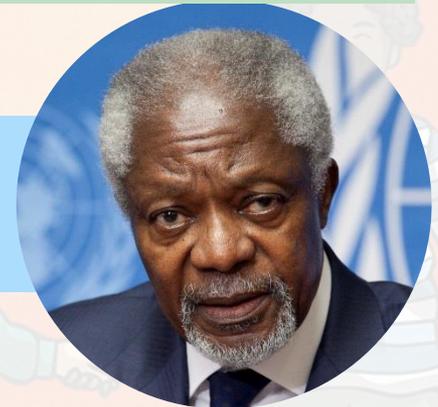
James listens with interest to his friend describing the important religious festival his family celebrated at the weekend.

Reflection



“Compassion and tolerance are not a sign of weakness, but a sign of strength.” Dalai Lama.

“Tolerance is a virtue that makes peace possible.” *Kofi Annan.*



How can these quotes help us be more tolerant people? What can we try to think about in our lives to help us be more tolerant of others?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8yh5xnYomoU>

As you leave assembly, quietly listen to the song again.
Reflect on what we have learnt this morning and think about how you are going to demonstrate tolerance each day at school, at home and in the community.





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