

Fairness is important. If we didn't have it, our lives would be crazy. Some say, fairness is when everyone is treated equally and no one is left out. People that are fair, follow the rules in sports, games, activities, and in their community. They are honest and trustworthy and they follow Eleanor Roosevelt's quote, "It is not fair to ask of others what you are unwilling to do yourself."

Imagine our school community if there was no such thing as fairness or rules. No one would agree, people would get upset with each other, people wouldn't work together and children wouldn't want to be here. In a community where people are being treated fair everyone works together, solves problems easily, has fun, cares for one another, feels safe and gets along. That is a way that many people want to live.

If you would like to share how you've done this, email your class teacher (see remote learning letters) and you will get 5 House Points. It could even be shared in celebration assembly with Mrs Kirk! *Practice Turn-taking. Take the time to play games. If you have younger brothers & sisters, use games as an opportunity to* 

model and explain why we play by a given set of rules, how we take turns, and how we encourage one another even when we are unhappy with an outcome.



Notice Fair and Unfair. See if you can spot behaviours in books, films, and in life when others are acting in a fair or unfair manner. Talk to an adult about other ways they could have acted to make things fair or ways in which they showed fairness to another person.

Carry out the fair eggsperiment on this link http://www.yessafechoices.or g/parents/charactereducation-corner/fairness Or complete the fairness home resources at the bottom of this link https://betterkids.education/ blog/thats-not-fair-teachingthe-meaning-of-fairness

Post Rules Make a home charter with your adults. Discuss the 'rules' that you all want to live by regarding fairness and honesty. You can use pictures that demonstrate these qualities or spell it out with cut-out letters and glue them on a poster. Once your poster is finished, put it on display, and go over the rules every day or so to reinforce them.

