

## Big Question Assembly - Autumn 1

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<b><u>Week 1</u></b>	Which came first the chicken or the egg?	Would you rather have £50 or 5 friends?	Should animal testing continue?	How do we decide what is right and what is wrong?	Are 18 year olds really mature enough to drink?	Would you want to be able to see into the future?
<b><u>Week 2</u></b>	Should pupils wear uniform to school?	What might happen if there were no clocks?	Are plants more important than animals?	Do you think it is better to be clever or to be beautiful?	Do TV and film influence children more than parents?	How could you spend £5000 to improve the lives of other people?
<b><u>Week 3</u></b>	Is television better than books?	What would you change to make the school better?	Should pupils wear uniform to school?	Is it better to have a brother, a sister or be an only child?	Which is the odd one out - barber, butcher, teacher and a nurse?	If you went to a desert island and can only take 10 things with you. What would you take?
<b><u>Week 4</u></b>	Should animals be kept in cages?	What might happen if animals could talk like us?	Should violent video games be banned?	Can you think of ways we could take better care of our planet?	Is global warming a natural event or caused by a man?	What do you think life might be like on another planet?
<b><u>Week 5</u></b>	Are the rich people better than the poor?	What if television had never been invented?	Should all adults have to work?	Do you think animals 'talk' to each other?	Do you think we all see colours in the same way?	What do you think might happen if people could read each other's thoughts?
<b><u>Week 6</u></b>	Who owns the world?	What do you think could happen if there were no rules?	Should footballers earn more than a lifesaving surgeon?	Would you rather be a teacher or a pupil?	What might happen if all money vanished overnight?	Can you think of new rules that would make life better for everyone?
<b><u>Week 7</u></b>	What came first the rain drop or the sea?	Do you think wearing uniform is a good thing or not?	Are humans more important than animals?	How could you help to make the lives of people around you better?	Is war the most effective way to beat the enemy?	How could you encourage people to recycle more things?

## Big Question Assembly - Autumn 2

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<u>Week 1</u>	What is the odd one out - pencil, sheep, tree?	What if we didn't use transport to get to school?	Should we all be treated equally?	Do you think the world would be a better place if everyone always smiled?	Is killing animals for food murder?	Is becoming rich a goal worth having?
<u>Week 2</u>	Does space really exist?	Who makes a hero or heroine?	Should employers have the right to strike?	Would you rather entertain or save lives?	Should the rich pay higher taxes?	Is it worse to be lonely or poor?
<u>Week 3</u>	Is the Earth really round?	Where is home?	Should animal acts still exist in circuses?	Is it fair to eat animals?	Should fox hunting really be banned?	Are violent video games to blame for gang culture?
<u>Week 4</u>	When does night end and the day begin?	What if you only ate chips?	What different actions could you do to show people you care about them?	Do you think other people think in the same way we do?	What makes a place special?	Do you always tell the truth? Do you think there is ever a good reason to lie?
<u>Week 5</u>	If a new person joined the class, how would you make them feel welcome?	What do you need to feel safe?	What different actions could you do that show respect for others?	What if we couldn't exercise?	How might our lives change if we had no electricity?	How do you know a thing exists if you cannot see it?
<u>Week 6</u>	Which animals make the best pets?	What and why do people celebrate?	Why are some people scared of spiders and snakes?	What if humans lived underwater?	Where do dreams come from? Do they mean anything?	What if fossils didn't exist?
<u>Week 7</u>	What do you need to make you safe?	What makes a person special?	Would you rather be a headteacher or a teacher for the day?	What makes a community?	Why do we need memories?	Why can't fish live on land?

## Big Question Assembly - Spring 1

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<b><u>Week 1</u></b>	What is the odd one out - snake, rabbit or a duck?	When should we say sorry?	What has been the best invention?	Are people the most precious creatures on Earth?	What do you think this saying means: 'build bridges not walls'?	Do adults have a responsibility to be good role models?
<b><u>Week 2</u></b>	Would the ability to travel in time be useful?	How can we help someone who is sad?	What would the world be like if everybody looked the same?	Which is better - countryside or cities?	What would the world be like if no one could speak?	If you could live on Mars for a year, what do you think would be your biggest challenge?
<b><u>Week 3</u></b>	What would the world be like if toys could come to life?	Which is better - summer holidays or winter holidays?	Which of these is the odd one out - car bus or lorry?	Would it be better to travel to the future or back to the past?	What is the best season of the year - spring, summer, autumn or winter?	What does a team need in order to be successful?
<b><u>Week 4</u></b>	What would happen if there were no teachers at school?	Which is better - watching films or watching TV?	What is the best part of the day - morning, afternoon, evening or night?	If you could climb a ladder up to the clouds, what would it be like up there?	What would you do if you could become invisible?	Why are some countries hot and other cold?
<b><u>Week 5</u></b>	What would the world be like if people could fly?	If you had to go on journey to moon which two story characters would you choose to go with and why?	If you could shrink to the size of a pepperpot what would you do? Where would you go?	If you met a cove man, what would you ask him?	If the answer is sky, what is the question?	If you could visit a time in history where and when would you go? Why?
<b><u>Week 6</u></b>	What would the world be like if animals could talk?	Would you prefer to be a cat or a dog?	What is no-one had a nose?	You have the chance to meet Willie Wonka. What new sweet would you design? What would it taste like?	What if people had x-ray eyes?	What if you hands were feet and your feet were hands?
<b><u>Week 7</u></b>	What is similar and different about a bike and a scooter?	What if you could become invisible whenever you wanted?	What if everyone looked the same?	Which are the best sounds you have ever heard and which are the worst?	What if trees were made of chocolate?	What if you shared a house with your friends instead of your parents?

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<u>Week 1</u>	What do you think life might be like on another planet?	Would you rather be rich or happy?	How do we decide what is right and what is wrong?	What would be the positives and negatives if we lived in bouncy castles?	Is it worse to fail at something or never have attempted it?	What are the three most important things in life? Why?
<u>Week 2</u>	What do you do to stop feeling lonely? How could you help someone feeling lonely?	What if a teapot was made out of chocolate?	What if people had eyes in the back of their head?	What do you think the saying - 'many hands make light work' means?	What if you become an astronaut?	How many mathematical words can you think of beginning with the letter M?
<u>Week 3</u>	What is friendship?	If you could be any animal, what would you choose to be?	What do you think being brave means?	What are the worst tastes you can imagine?	Make a list of 10 things to do on holiday and rank them in order of importance?	The answer is ... always. What could the question be?
<u>Week 4</u>	What changes would you make to the school if you were in charge for a week?	If you could design a superhero costumes, what special features could you include?	Which could be the odd one out - computer, telephone or calculator?	Can anything be art?	What 10 items would you put in a time capsule to be opened in 2050 showing how you live your life now?	Would you rather be a giant or the same size of a mouse?
<u>Week 5</u>	What would be different if television had never been invented?	Would you vote for 2 Saturdays or 2 Sundays?	Think of all the different possible uses for a piece of string	How would you describe an elephant to someone who has never seen one?	Why are friends important?	What do you think is the best age to be and why?
<u>Week 6</u>	What is similar and different about a table and chair?	If you had to be one colour, what colour would you be?	Would you rather be 6 metres tall or 6cm. Why	Are computer games good for us?	Should the school holidays be made shorter so that we can spend more time learning?	One day, will computers replace teachers?

## Big Question Assembly - Summer 1

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<b><u>Week 1</u></b>	What 3 things would you take on a desert island and why?	What if there was no school?	You know your friend has cheated on an important test. How would you handle the problem?	What is similar and different about a book and a tree?	If you had the chance to run the country for a week, what changes would you make?	Do you think being selfish is always a bad thing?
<b><u>Week 2</u></b>	How many ways can you make new friends?	You have the chance to be an adult for a day. What would you do? Why?	What makes you, you?	Is it ok to keep animals in zoos?	Is it more important to respected or liked?	Does having more things make us happier?
<b><u>Week 3</u></b>	I wish I hadn't.....Think of 7 ways to end this sentence.	What is important about parents and carers?	What do you think are the qualities of a good 'thinker'?	Could we have happiness without sadness?	If you could choose just one thing to change about the world, what would it be?	Why do people commit crimes?
<b><u>Week 4</u></b>	If animals rules the world, what changes would you see?	Are books better than movies?	Children should choose the subjects they want to learn at school. Do you agree?	Should people care more about doing the right thing, or doing things right?	What is intelligence?	Do you think chores should be compulsory?
<b><u>Week 5</u></b>	Would you want to remember everything if you could?	Which is more important, being right or being nice?	Is there more happiness or sadness in the world?	Is there more future or more past?	Can you have a friend that you don't really like?	What are your ambitions?
<b><u>Week 6</u></b>	Do certain clothes make people cool?	Would life be better if money didn't exist?	If I borrow a million pounds, am I still a millionaire?	Is it ever right to bully a bully?	Can a baby commit a crime?	When did time begin?
<b><u>Week 7</u></b>	Which is better being an adult or being a child?	Can animals think?	Natural or man-made: which is better?	If someone loses their memory, are they still the same person?	Can videogames be art?	Can language hurt?

## Big Question Assembly - Summer 2

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<b><u>Week 1</u></b>	Do animals enjoy being animals?	You are what you eat. Is this true?	Can you have too much money?	Why are skeletons scary if everyone has one?	Is childhood the best time of our lives?	Are our shadows part of us?
<b><u>Week 2</u></b>	Can fairy tales come true?	What makes a 'good memory'?	Can you trust everything on the internet?	Can time be stolen?	Does the way we look affect the way we behave?	Would life be better without mobile phones?
<b><u>Week 3</u></b>	Is a superhero good if they have to destroy a city?	Who 'wins' if you are part of a team?	Is everybody unique?	Is it ever okay to cheat?	Which would be worse a world without love or a world full of hate?	Should you feel guilty for something you haven't done?
<b><u>Week 4</u></b>	What three questions would you ask Goldilocks? Why?	What smell makes you remember something? Why?	If there was a fire, what three things would you want to be saved in your house (doesn't include people)?	Would you rather be 6cm tall or 6 metres?	You can invite three celebrities for dinner. Who would it be and why?	What are the most important things in life? Why?
<b><u>Week 5</u></b>	If you had to go on a journey to the moon with two story characters, who would it be and why?	The three little pigs are building a new house. What materials would you suggest and why?	If you had a time machine, where would you go and why?	We best age to be and why?	How do you know things exist when you cannot see them - the wind, the soul etc.	Does competition make us better?
<b><u>Week 6</u></b>	What message is worth sharing with the world?	What would be the positives and negatives of all looking the same?	Are there different types of sadness?	Would you rather be a brave fool or a clever coward?	Is there such a thing as a 'just' crime?	Are wars inevitable?
<b><u>Week 7</u></b>	If I read a comic in a shop, is that stealing?	Will athletes continue to improve on records?	Are there lies or different degrees of the truth?	Is art a luxury?	Would you rather be remembered for all the wrong reasons or forgotten?	Can we save the planet?