

KS1 Coverage Spring 2 2026



Week	News Story	Focus Question	British Value Link	Protected Characteristics
16th February	A new series of the television programme, Gladiators, has recently returned to screens.	Do gladiators make good role models?	Individual Liberty	All
23rd February	Scientists at NASA are preparing to send astronauts back to the Moon, as part of a new space programme running over the coming years.	Why do people explore space?	Democracy	Race and Sex
2nd March	Brynteg School in Wales has said that from September, skirts will no longer be part of the school uniform. Instead, all children will wear trousers or shorts.	Should school uniforms be the same for everyone?	Mutual Respect	Sex
9th March	During China's Lunar New Year Gala, one of the world's most-watched TV shows, humanoid robots danced and performed kung-fu moves on stage.	How might robots change our daily lives?	Individual Liberty	Religion and Belief
16th March	This week's news is about Pokémon, which is celebrating 30 years since it was first created.	What makes something fun?	Rule of Law	Age
23rd March	Athletes from around the world have been competing in the Winter Paralympic Games in Italy.	What makes someone a champion?	Mutual Respect and Tolerance	Disability
30th March	The Bank of England, that designs and makes the UK's banknotes, has said that future notes might include British wildlife, such as animals or plants, instead of historical figures.	What should represent a country?	Democracy	Religion and belief