



**EBJ Knowledge Organiser  
PSHE and RHE  
Year 4**

**Spring 2  
Citizenship**



**Learning Objectives**

- Understand what human rights are and why they are important.
- Understand how reusing items benefits the environment.
- Understand the range of groups that exist in the wider community.
- Understand how community groups can focus on different areas of interest.
- Understand that diversity supports a community to work effectively.
- Understand the role of local councillors.



**Human Rights**

*The United Nations developed a set of human rights that apply to everyone.*



*A community can be a group of people with something in common such as living in the same area or having the same religion.*

*Community groups often work across large areas of the country and provide lots of different services for people.*

**Key Vocabulary**

authority	A person with high status and decision making power.
cabinet	A group of councillors who have responsibility for different things.
community	A group of people living in the same area .
council	A group of people who manage a city, county or organisation.
council officer	A person who works for the council, not an elected member.
councillor	A member of a council.
diversity	Recognising and valuing difference.
environment	The local surroundings or place a person lives or works in.
human rights	Specific rights that belong to every person.
local government	The elected party who govern and make decisions for a local area.
protect	To keep someone safe from something.
reuse	Use something more than once.
UN/United Nations	An international organisation founded in 1945 after World War 2, which aims to maintain international peace and security, human rights and better standards of living.
volunteer	A person who offers to help out with tasks or activities without getting paid.

**Community Groups**



*People can set up their own community groups to help in a certain area, for example the environment or activities for certain groups.*

*Communities are made up of lots of different people and working together makes a strong community.*

*Local councillors represent local people and a big part of their role is to make things better for people who live in their area.*

