FOR HEADTEACHERS · 1-PAGE OVERVIEW

What this series is — and what it isn't.

In one sentence

A non-religious, values-led teaching programme for British schools and family living rooms, drawing ethical and civic insights from two extraordinary Indian intellectual traditions: the Buddha's teachings on mindfulness and compassion, and Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's lifelong work on dignity, equality and the rule of law.

What it is

- ✓ Plain-English, values-led learning rooted in dignity, fairness and kindness.
- ✓ Inclusive, multi-faith respectful, and warmly classroom-friendly.
- ✓ Five age groups: Little Hearts (4–5), Tiny Steps (5–7), Junior (7–11), Youth (11–14), Senior (14–16).
- ✓ Each group: Student Book + Workbook + Teacher Guide (15 titles in total).
- ✓ Standardised 7-step chapter structure: Objective → Story → Concept → In Britain Today → Activity → Reflection → Teacher Notes.

What it is not

- ✗ Not a religious instruction book and not a tool for conversion.
- ✗ Not politically partisan.
- ✗ Not a replacement for your existing values or faith-and-belief teaching — it sits alongside as a values-led companion.

Why now

British classrooms are increasingly diverse. Anti-bullying frameworks, wellbeing teaching, and the wider development of every child rely on a shared ethical vocabulary — dignity, compassion, fairness, mindfulness. This series gives that vocabulary stories, role models and age-appropriate practice from age 4 right through to 16.

Pilot in your school

We are looking for 5–10 partner schools to pilot the Junior Programme book in 2026. Pilot schools receive printed sample copies, a teacher induction session (online), and direct input into Phase 2 content. There is no cost to pilot schools.

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