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More FREE Key Stage 2 lessons from Friends and Heroes!

Since it was first broadcast on the BBC in 2007, hundreds of schools have been using the Friends and Heroes TV programmes and free lesson plans to provide exciting and involving RE at Key Stage 2. Now there are even more lessons available to schools and they are completely free!

The lessons, linked to all the UK's Curriculum Guidelines for RE, also have SEAL, PSHE, Literacy and Creative links. Each lesson focuses on the Bible stories shown in the related Friends and Heroes Episode. There are 26 new Lesson Plans and Pupil Worksheets for Series 1* and they will soon be available to download from the Friends and Heroes website:

www.friendsandheroes.com/lessons.

Themes covered in the new lessons include: Dealing with fear; Second chances; Taking risks; Sharing what we have; Families and Is money everything?

Friends and Heroes is a TV series for children which combines an adventure story and exciting Bible stories in each episode. Set in the first century AD the continuing adventure story, which tells the story of the two central characters Macky and Portia, is shown in 2D animation and all the Bible stories are shown in amazing 3D CGI animation.

Children can enjoy the adventure stories and at the same time learn about tolerance, respect and being kind to others. Well-known Bible stories like Samson and Delilah and The Easter story are included as well as some less well-known ones like Esther the Queen.

There are 39 episodes altogether available in three Series Packs. Each Series Pack costs £90 and includes 13 episodes, a lifetime series Public Display Licence and access to 26 School Lessons Plans and Pupil Worksheets. The Multi-Language Version Series Packs will be launched at The Education Show 2010.

*When Series 1 was first released in 2007 thirteen lesson plans were created to accompany the programmes. 26 completely NEW lesson plans have been written and can be used alongside or instead of the older material.

Additional information about Friends and Heroes can be found on the following websites:
www.friendsandheroes.com www.friendsandheroes.tv

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