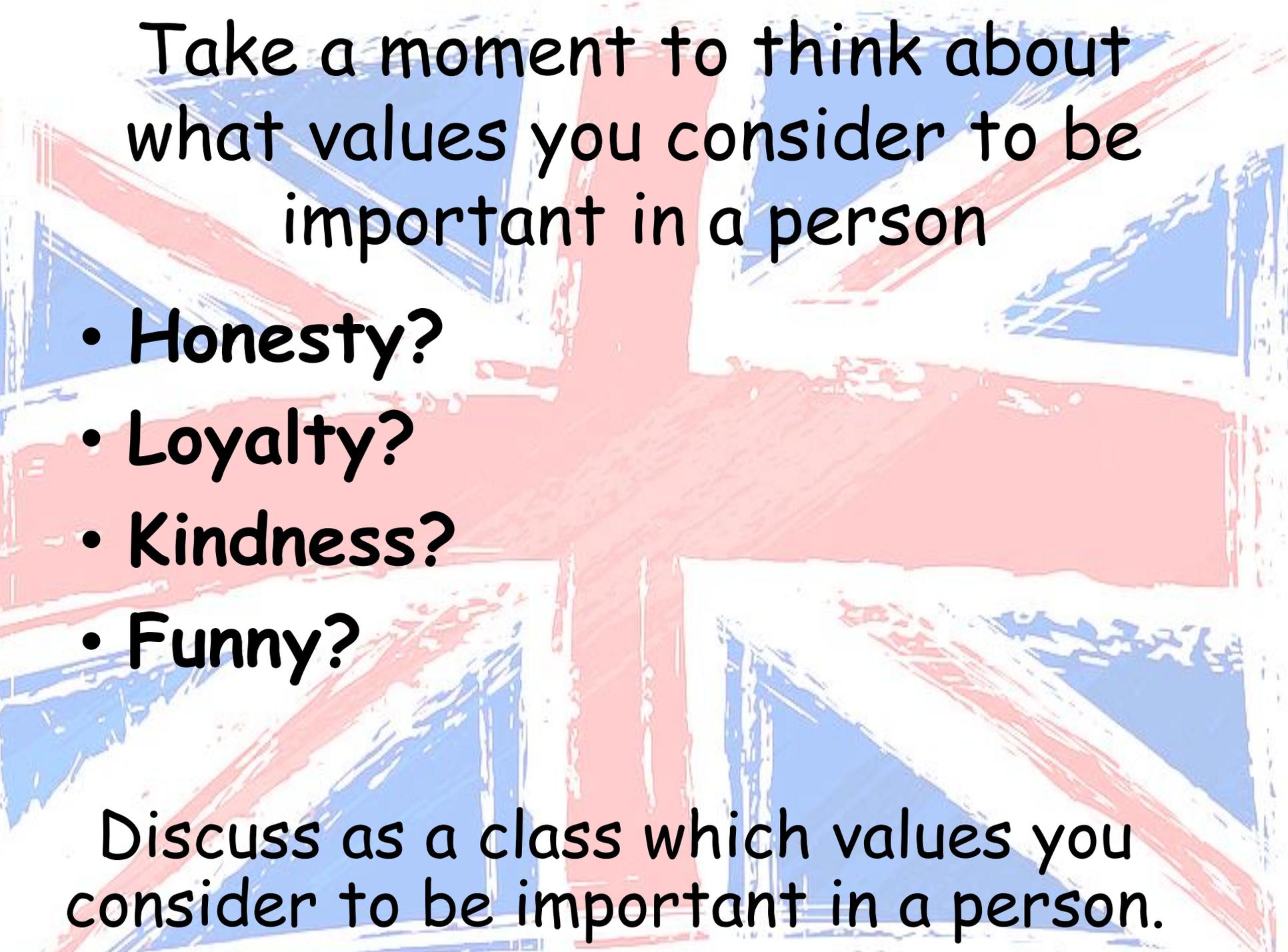




**KEEP
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Take a moment to think about what values you consider to be important in a person

- **Honesty?**
- **Loyalty?**
- **Kindness?**
- **Funny?**

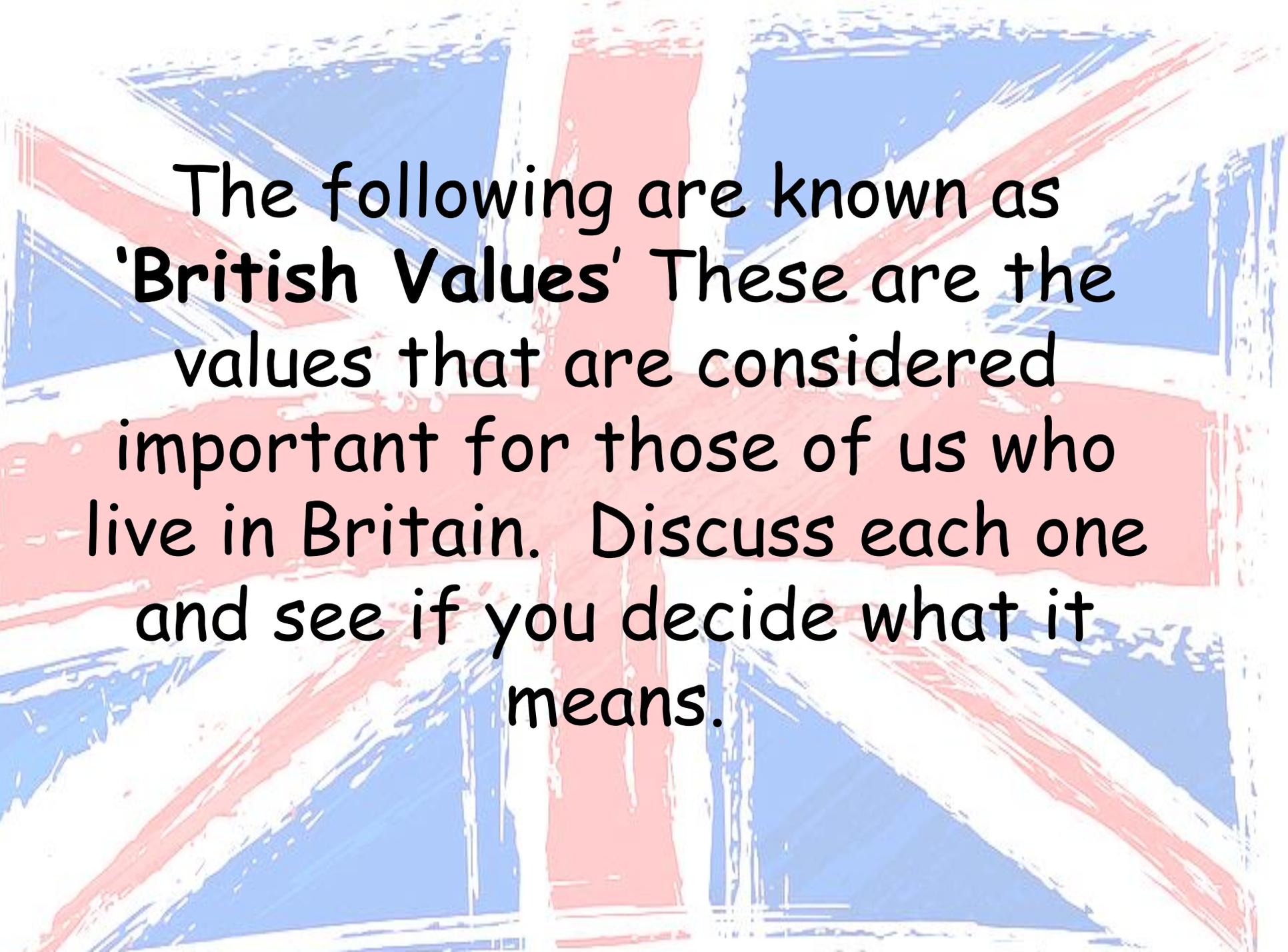
Discuss as a class which values you consider to be important in a person.



Now substitute 'person' for 'country' what values would you want in the country in which you live?

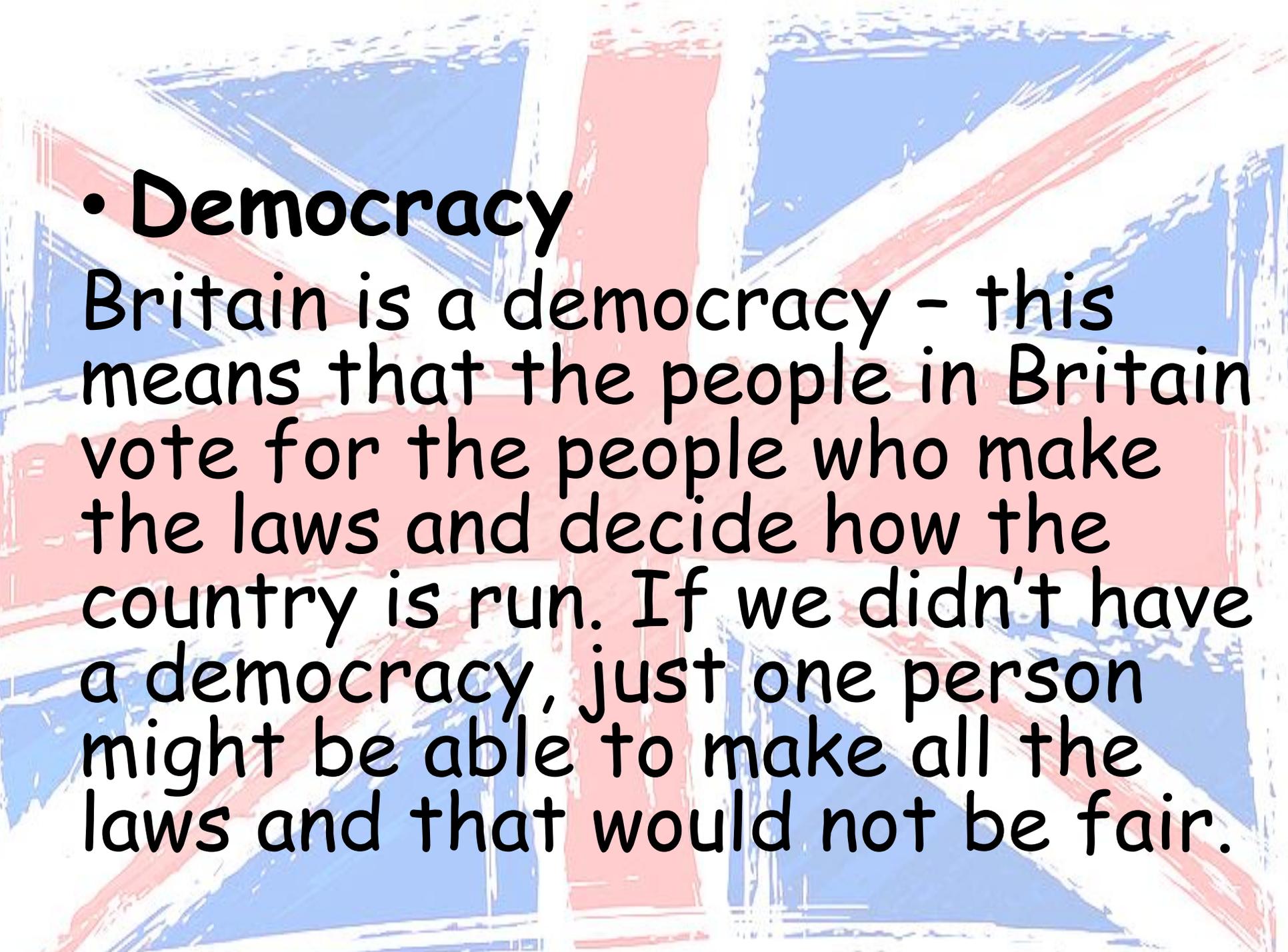
- Fairness?
- Equality?
- Respect?
- Protective?

Discuss as a class which values you consider to be important in a country .



The following are known as **'British Values'** These are the values that are considered important for those of us who live in Britain. Discuss each one and see if you decide what it means.

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- **Democracy**
 - **The rule of law**
 - **Individual liberty**
 - **Mutual respect**
 - **Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs**



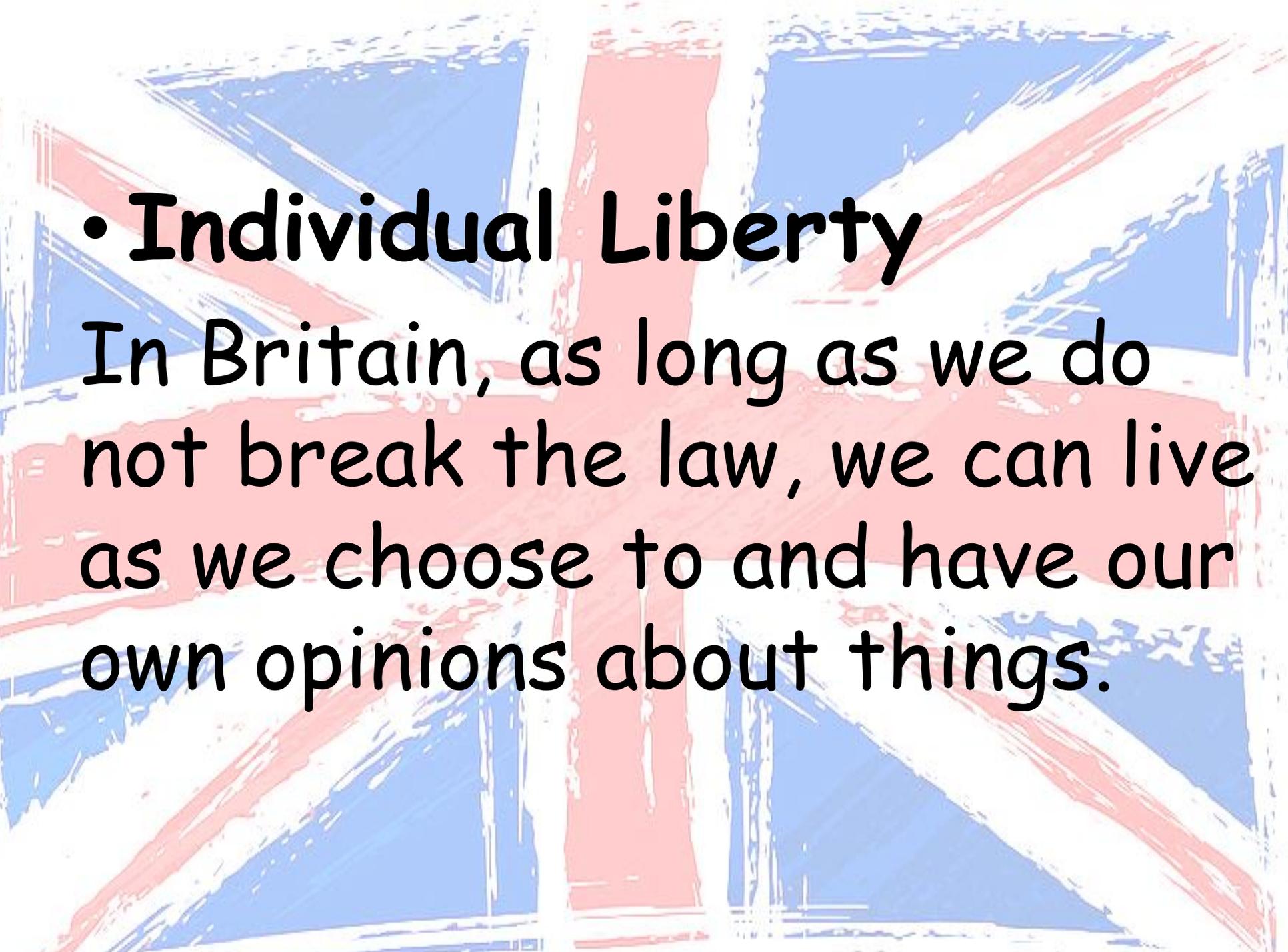
- **Democracy**

Britain is a democracy - this means that the people in Britain vote for the people who make the laws and decide how the country is run. If we didn't have a democracy, just one person might be able to make all the laws and that would not be fair.



- **The rule of the law**

In Britain we have a police force who make sure people do not do the wrong thing and break the law - this means that we are safe.



- **Individual Liberty**

In Britain, as long as we do not break the law, we can live as we choose to and have our own opinions about things.



• Mutual Respect

We might not always agree with other people, but we try to show respect for their thoughts and feelings.

We can give respect to others and we can expect other people to show us respect.



- **Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs**

In Britain we accept that other people might have different beliefs than ours and they may believe in different religions.

To tie in with anti bullying week we are holding a house competition to design a poster promoting one of the following British values

- **the rule of law**
- **mutual respect**
- **tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs**

Design your poster making it as eye catching as you can. Be sure to include 'British Values' and the British value you are promoting. Hand completed posters in to your tutor by **Friday 18th November**.