

What is social responsibility?

Responsibility is doing something you are expected to do. Maybe you are responsible for feeding a pet or getting yourself ready in time for school in the morning?

Social is a word which is all about people and how we live together in groups or in society (a large group).

Social responsibility is an understanding that what we do affects other people, so it is about considering the effect on others in everything we do.



Different and the same!

People are all different ... and also all the same!

1. How are we the same?
2. How are we different?



Having respect

Respecting others means understanding that the differences between us are what makes the world a great place.

Even if we don't understand or agree with what someone else says or does, we can be kind and tolerant. We can let them be who they are and we can be who we are.

Being of service to others

Being of service to other people means being ready to be useful or helpful to people around us.

Often people who do this are volunteers – that means they don't get paid for this work.

They find being of service to other people not only helps others but also makes them feel good.

What can people do to be of service?

Lots of people believe being of service is very important.

This might be volunteering for a charity to help other people, giving your time and helping others through a religious belief, using your skills to support the local community or the local environment.

Some people simply help others in their homes, schools or communities while some travel across the world to help others who need support.

What can we do to be of service?

...In our school?

...In our homes?

...In our communities?

