

KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER



PSHE	LIVING IN THE WIDER WORLD	LKS2
Cross curricular links	Key skills	Key Vocabulary/definitions
Literacy: Speech and language techniques during persuasive discussions. Geography: Understanding our local area. Place2Be: Emotional support/social groups. Pictures/photos relevant to topic	 To understand how the media influences decisions. To be able to hold a debate on a topical issue. To learn about what voluntary agencies do. To know about the local community. 	 Media: Formats such as television, radio and newspapers which are used to pass on information to many people in a society. This information is generally used to inform, to educate or to entertain. Debate: A formal discussion between two or more people expressing their opinions on a topic. Voluntary: Something that you do because you want to rather than because you have been influenced or forced into it. Fundraising: The process of raising money for charities. Local community: A group of people living in the same location.
	Key facts	
	As well as helping others, volunteering has been shown to improve volunteers' wellbeing. It's human nature to feel good after helping someone out. Volunteering can also help you gain valuable new skills and experiences, and boost your confidence.	
	• An estimated 14.2m people in the UK volunteered through a group, club or organisation in 2021-2022.	

Almost one in five (16%) people report volunteering at least once a month (about 8.3m people in the UK).

More than half of the UK population gets involved in informal volunteering but this is less visible. Informal volunteering can involve things like going shopping, providing childcare or doing housework for free for someone who is not a relative or a friend.