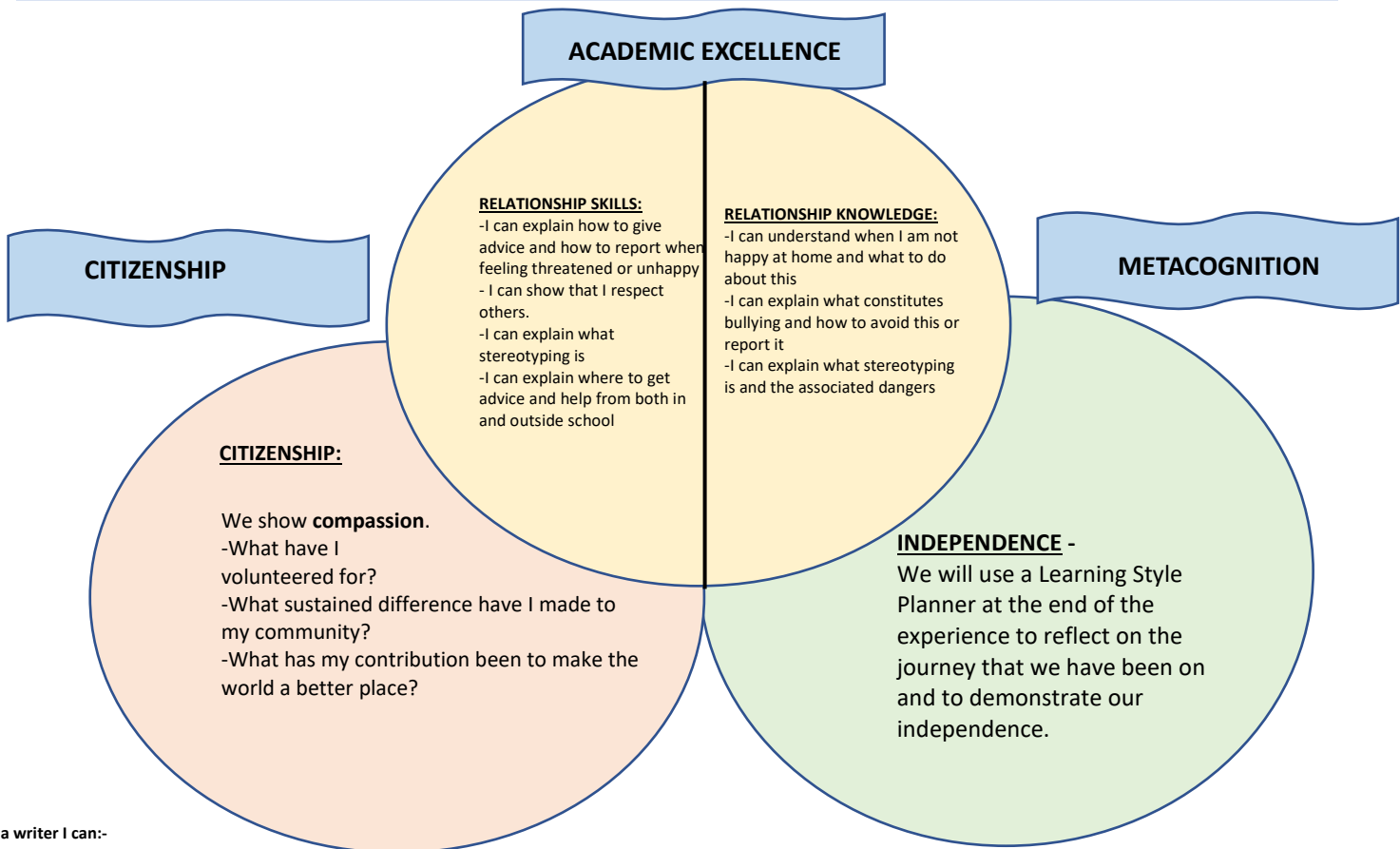


**How are we all valued as God's children?  
How can we show compassion for our differences?**

8<sup>th</sup> September – 1<sup>st</sup> October

**What do we already know...** In year 4, the children will have learnt about how to care towards other family members and what it means to be empathetic. They will have also learnt about self-respect and what makes a good friend, whilst also knowing how to be a good friend themselves, in order to avoid exclusion in friendship groups.



**As a writer I can:-**

**Spelling –**

- use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words and use a thesaurus.

**Handwriting –**

- join my handwriting and choose the correct letter size for each letter.

**Composition –**

**Plan my writing by:**

- identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for my own

**Draft and write by:**

- selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary, understanding how such choices can change and enhance meaning
- using further organisational and presentational devices to structure text and to guide the reader [for example, headings, bullet points, underlining]
- ensuring the consistent and correct use of tense throughout a piece of writing

**Vocabulary, Grammar and punctuation –**

- use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely.
- modal verbs or adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility
- punctuate bullet points consistently

**As a reader I can:-**

**Comprehension –**

- Read books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes
- identify and discuss themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing
- checking that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context
- asking questions to improve their understanding
- drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence

**Outcome:**

A professional leaflet promoting  
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