

Year 2 Newsletter No.23 31st March 2017



This Week - We are Artists!



In **Mathematics** we have been working on addition of 3 single digit numbers, adding tens, and addition/subtraction of TUs. We have explored different methods including number lines, pictorial representations and more formal written methods.

In our **English** work we have practised our punctuation and sentence structures. We have been writing our own poems using simple structures and practised performing these for an audience. We will also be learning and performing simple poems and songs for our Easter celebrations.

In **Science** we have been exploring the importance of humans to take exercise and eat the right kinds of foods. We have looked at food groups and the Eatwell Plate. This will link with our **DT** lessons where we will be making our own fruit kebabs. This week we have planned our kebabs and listed ingredients we will need to make them.

In **Art** we have created our own pictures in the Impressionist style using paint and fingers.



In our **RE** lessons we have explored the Bible and the Easter story and recorded the main events of Easter in our work.

Homework:

- **Spellings** - Easter word list. (Next week: Year 1 and Year 2 spelling list - assessment to take place after the Easter holidays. Please practise reading and spelling the words on the list your child brings home.) Thank you.
- **Reading/English** - Poetry/Reading comprehension
- **Mathematics** - Adding 3 numbers/Adding tens/2 digit numbers
- **Times Tables** - Mixed tables lists
- **Extra Mile Challenge:** Write an Easter themed poem or prayer or Research an Easter tradition from a different country.
- **Talk Time** - Talk about Easter celebrations and traditions.



Things to remember...

Open Door: Every Monday 3:15-3:45pm
Easter Activity Day: Monday 3rd April
Easter Service: Wednesday 5th April @ 9.15am
Rainbow Day: Wednesday 5th April £1.00 minimum donation for the Rainbow Charity, please
Wednesday 5th April: Close for the Easter holidays @ 2:00pm



Next Week - We are Reflecting!



Next week we will be reflecting on the upcoming Easter Celebrations. We are looking forward to our Easter Activity Day on Monday when all classes will be taking part in a variety of different activities throughout the day. We have also been preparing for our Easter Celebration service which will take place on Wednesday morning.



Congratulations!



Christian Value of Forgiveness - Freyja Tucker
Curriculum Award - Alfie Brown
Star Writer - Ryan Ekins

A big "thumbs up" to our class members who have demonstrated consistent **Outstanding Behaviour** or shown **Exceptional Effort** this week!



Lewis, Lottie, Faith, Henry, Ollie, Jake B, Kieran, Jensen, Freyja,
George G, Ryan, George K, Evie, Ethan, Davy-Jae, Harrison,
Nathan, Gomezzyo and Alfie.

Thank you for all your help and support,

Mrs Ramsay