



## Class 4 Newsletter

Summer Term - 18/05/2018



### This Week

Our **Theme** for this half term is the 'This Little Light of Mine'. Our focus in **Science** this week was to carry out an exploration on how mirrors reflect light. We then created a wish-list for investigations and experiments we could carry out. In **English**, we have continued using the novel 'The Midnight Fox' as the context for our work; we have focussed on making our writing flow across paragraphs, starting our sentences saying when and where the story happens, and re-writing a chapter of the story. In **Maths**, we focussed on shape; identifying regular and irregular polygons; how we can use known facts about quadrilaterals to identify missing angles and lengths; and identifying 3D shapes from 2D net representations. In **RE**, we explored how what happens in church services (even how church buildings) have been influenced by the Bible. We thought about service components, prayers and songs. In **History**, we applied enquiry skills as we looked at artefacts found at the Saxon burial ground in Sutton Hoo. In **Computing**, we analysed the data collected from our Social Media experiment involving Facebook. In **French**, we learned how to read, say and recognise body parts. In **Music**, we have continued reading music and applied it to the song 'Dancing in the Street'.

### Next Week...

**English:** The Midnight Fox

**Maths:** Measures (capacity & volume)

**Science:** Investigation involving shadows

**RE:** Places of worship for Jews & Muslims

**Geography:** Locating a Scandinavian country

### Multi-Cultural Experiences

Please can I remind you that if you are out and about enjoying or experiencing other cultures during the half term break, please send in any photos so we can learn from them too!

Thank you.

### Important Dates

**Mon 21<sup>st</sup> May: Shorter Weekly Project Homework 6 due in**

**Mon 21<sup>st</sup> May: Gymnastics club**

**Tue 22<sup>nd</sup> May: Dance club**

**Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> May: Open Door from 3:15-4:00pm**

**Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> May: Singing lessons**

**Fri 25<sup>th</sup> May: Swimming for Y4 children**

**Fri 25<sup>th</sup> May: School closes for Half Term @ 3:15pm**

**Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Jun: School re-opens at 8:55am**

**Thur 14<sup>th</sup> Jun: Class photos**

**Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Jun: Fathers' Day Cake & Cuppa afternoon; KS1 1:45-2:15pm / KS2 2:15-2:45pm**

**Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Jul: Provisional Sports Day (from 1pm)**

## Stars of the Week

The **CHRISTIAN VALUE** award for **COURAGE** goes to **Logan Ormerwood** for gaining in courage and contributing to class discussions more.

The **CURRICULUM** award goes to **Emily Hoyle** for super enquiry skills in History using 'Claim, Support, Question'.

## Outstanding Behaviour

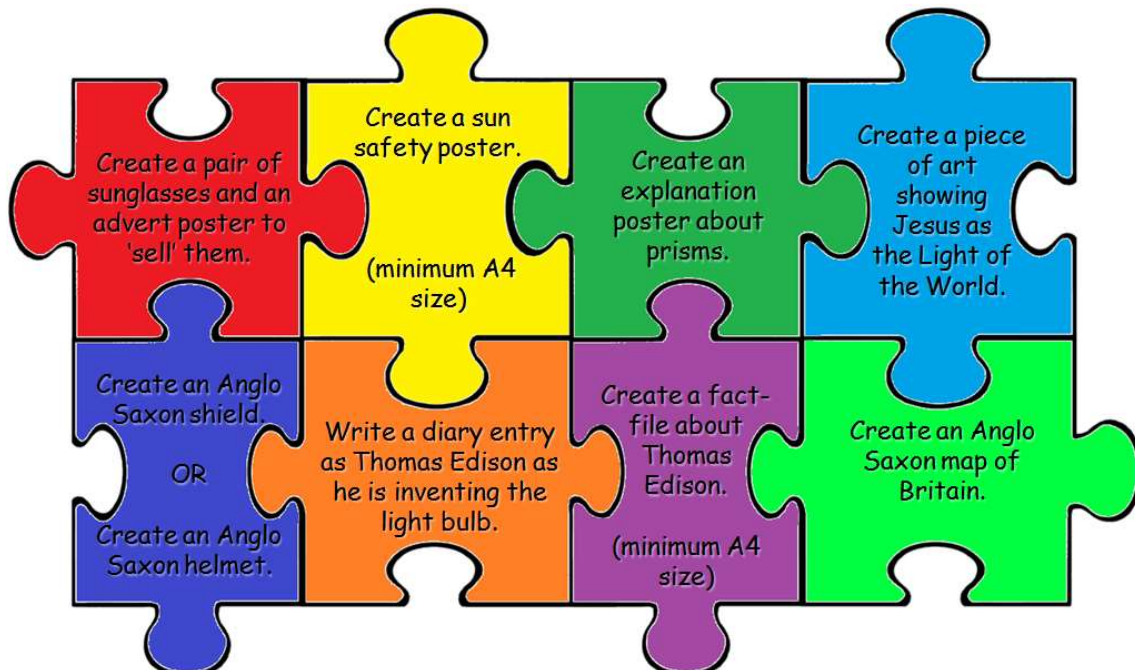
The children this week that have modelled outstanding behaviour 3 or more times are:

**Libby B, Dylan, Cayden, Keinan, Logan, Libby P, Natasha, Daniel, Connor, Jaidon Emilee, Theo, Rubie, Owen, Freya, Oliver, Natalia, Emily H, Russell, Emily K, Alex, Kaitlyn, Max, Harrison, Jessica, Alfie, Shane, Jorja, Jasmine, Lilly-Mae**

## Homework (Shorter Weekly Projects)

Each week, choose one of these activities to complete as your homework. **You can choose which activity to complete.** Each homework is due in on the **Monday** of each new week. Unfortunately, you can't complete the same activity twice. Any questions about homework, you can contact me on

[d.bateman@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:d.bateman@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk)



**As always, you can talk to me about your child's progress.**

**My Open Door is on Wednesday from 3:15-4:00pm.**

*Mr Bateman*