



# Class Newsletter

## Autumn Term – 05/11/2021



### LEARNING IN SCHOOL

**English:** We started a new unit looking at Puss in Boots. We have explored the wide variety of boots available and how all felines are similar yet different. We have generated lots of word banks which we shall use throughout the remainder of the unit.

**Maths:** We have used this week to focus on time. We have identified telling the time on both analogue and digital clocks as well as calculating how much time passes in different scenarios.

**RE:** We concluded our first unit of the term by investigating the Islamic Holy Book, the Qur'an.

**Science:** We applied our knowledge of separating and filtering mixtures by trying to make our 'sewage water' as clean as we could. We used a wide variety of equipment including measuring cylinders and filter paper.

**History:** We began our unit on Ancient Egypt by placing that civilization on a timeline.

The children wrote and performed an excellent sea shanty based on the life of William Tyndale in the week before half term. I am so proud of their achievements. The lyrics and a video of their performance is available on our Class page of the school website under Photos and Videos.



### STARS OF THE WEEK

#### 22<sup>nd</sup> October

The **CHRISTIAN VALUE** award goes for **THANKFULNESS** to **Adam**. He is very thankful and it shows through his positive attitude to learning.

The **CURRICULUM** award goes to **Isaac** for his incredible desire to go the Extra Mile this week.

#### 5<sup>th</sup> November

The **CHRISTIAN VALUE** award for **COMPASSION** goes to **Neve**. She always looks out for others who are not at 100% wanting to help and care for them.

The **CURRICULUM** award goes to **Elliot** for consistent effort and success across all subjects this week.

### COURAGEOUS ADVOCATE

We learned about the life of **Robert Raikes**, the pioneer of the Sunday School.

**What difference does attending Sunday School have on peoples' lives?**



### SPELLINGS

The children are receiving weekly spellings and are given a sheet every week to take home and practise. These are combinations of words that follow spelling rules and those the government deem are statutory. Please support your child/ren in practising and improving in their spelling.



## ADDITIONAL NOTICES



PE day: **Every Thursday**

Congratulations to Rowan Team (Red) who earned the most team points last half term. They have enjoyed a non-uniform day today.

We are selling Snap bracelets, zip pulls, reflectors, bracelets and of course poppies, to support the **British Legion Poppy Appeal** this year. Children can bring money in to donate.

Parents' Evenings: Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November

We are hoping to celebrate Christmas as a school a bit more normally this year, however, we are very conscious that Covid-19 is still very present in our community and so we will assess the situation regularly to protect the safety of the whole school family. Please look out for further information in how we are celebrating Jesus' birth.



### Keeping in Touch

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**Open Door: Every Tuesday 3:15-3:30pm**



*Have a lovely weekend.*

*Mr Bateman*