



Dates for the diary

23rd November – Life Bus visit
24th & 25th November – Parents' Evenings
27th November – Lancashire Day

Courageous Advocate

David Spurdle took early retirement from teaching and founded the charity **Stand by Me** in the shed at the bottom of his garden. His charity helps children in need across the world.

"We believe that as we demonstrate God's love, we offer hope — the same hope that allowed Jesus to see not only people's suffering and sadness, but also their potential."



Diamond 9

Our Diamond 9 word this week in class has been 'Relevant'.



Next Tuesday we will be visited by the Life Bus team. They will come into class to explore the PSHE theme 'All about me'.

Classroom News

Friday 19th November



This week we have looked at the letters **h b f/ff**. We noticed that English words begin with a single **f** and that the **ff** spelling is at the end or in the middle. We learned about the diets of some animals we might find at the zoo. We have been looking after our small world safari animals in our Rangers Kitchen, making the right food for the animals and checking their height and weight. We have found out that animals may be *herbivorous*, *carnivorous* or *omnivorous*. In Maths we have been exploring numbers. We made towers with cubes from 1 to 5. We noticed that they look like steps, and that each was *one more* than the previous step. In RE we learned about the Jewish holy book – the Torah. We created some beautiful menorah pictures using the wax resist technique.

Christmas

We have started learning our Nativity songs in preparation for Christmas. Our Nativity will be with Year 1 and Year 2 and is about the Bossy King. Please let us know as soon as possible if you would prefer your child to not be visible in the video recording.

Thank you.

The Life Bus

Reminder – my email is on the homework sheet inside homework books. We love getting photos of learning that you've done together at home. If any queries or concerns crop up then please don't hesitate to speak to me on the door or email me.

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Curriculum Award – Jackson for making some fabulous 'One More' models.

Christian Value Award – Theo for a lovely and joyful attitude to life.

These children have let their lights shine brilliantly this week! Well Done.

