

# Year 2 Newsletter



# "Let your light shine"

#### 8th November 2019 No. 8

### Learning this Week - "Ocean Commotion"

We have been enjoying learning about a variety of sea creatures this week. The class have written fabulous descriptions of their chosen sea creature and we have tried to guess which one was being described. We also drew pictures of them using each other's descriptions to guide our drawings. We enjoyed this activity and enjoyed looking at the pictures our friends had drawn of our creatures! We have also been reading a few stories where the characters of the story show compassion for each other.

In Maths we have been very good at going shopping with our 'plastic' money. The children have been recognising coins, adding up totals, deciding how much money we would need for a party and solving problems involving

#### Learning next Week

In **English** we will be looking at how information is used and organised. We will be finding out more information about sea creatures, asking how, where, why and what questions to write our own class 'Ocean Fact File'.

In Maths we will be learning more about subtraction as take away and difference (how many less/fewer).

In **RE** we will start our new topic learning about why the birth of Jesus such good news.

In Science we will be investigating how our bodies change during exercise and the benefits of exercise.

In Geography we will continue studying about the United Kingdom, learning about the capitals of each country and unique facts.

In Art we will investigate tone and shading when drawing sea creatures.

#### Polite Reminders

Open Door Monday 3.20-3.40pm if you wish to discuss your child's progress or see their work.

PE Lessons Monday & Friday

Please bring PE kits and pumps to school for PE lessons

Reading Please spend 10 minutes every day reading or sharing a book with your child.

Please sign your child's diary when you hear them read.

#### **Upcoming Diary Events**

Monday 11th November

10am - Year 6 Remembrance Service - all welcome

Thursday 21st November

Parents' Evening - more details to follow

Monday 25th November

PTA Event Cinema Night - more details to follow

Monday 2nd December

Community Christmas Tree Light Switch On, 6pm @ St Christopher's Church

Wednesday 4th December

PTA Christmas Fayre, 3.30 - 5.30pm. £5 per stall

Friday 13th December

KS1 Party and Christmas Lunch

Monday 17th December

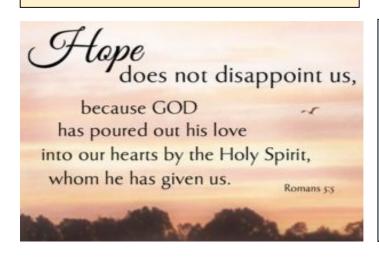
KS1 Christmas Production 2pm and 6pm

Thursday 19th December

Whole School Pantomime Visit to Blackpool Grand Theatre

Friday 20th December

School closes for Christmas @2pm



## Students of the Week

Christian Value Award Certificate - Alexie

Curriculum Award Certificate - Oliver

