



**This Week...**

We have been learning to read and tell the time on both analogue and digital clocks. We have had fun in English using drama and role play to think like the characters in The Iron Man. We have investigated how magnets work and whether they will attract or repel each other. We have made pots using clay following the methods used during the Bronze Age and compared how life and houses had changed since the Stone Age. In RE, we have continued to explore the symbolism of light.

**Next Week...**

We will finish reading and exploring The Iron Man. We have also been watching the film adaptation to compare both versions. In Maths, the children will be looking at 3D shapes. The History focus for next week will be tools used during the Bronze Age.

**Important Dates**

- Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas Dinner for KS2
- Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Dec: School closes for Christmas holidays at 2:00pm

**Courageous Advocate**

The Courageous Advocate we are celebrating this week is Charles Wesley. Charles Wesley was born in 1707 and was most widely known for writing and composing hymns.

How many songs did Charles Wesley compose singing God's praise?

**Diamond 9**

The whole school Diamond 9 focus word of the week is Flourish



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**Harvest Appeal**

The children had a wonderful time trying to make a difference to the lives of others by completing our sponsored walk this week. Please can sponsor forms and collected sponsor money be returned to school.

**Christmas Cards**

We are aware that many children will want to send Christmas cards to each other. We therefore have a range of ways that children can do this in the current climate:

- ✚ Children bring in their cards on either a MONDAY or a TUESDAY. These will then be quarantined and distributed on the FRIDAY of that same week. Please tuck the lid of the envelope rather than licking them.
- ✚ Rather than sending in cards, you may wish to make a donation to our chosen charity, **NEST Lancashire**; an organisation which supports children with mental health and wellbeing challenges. Please send your donations in an envelope.
- ✚ If you do **not** wish your child to receive Christmas cards, please contact school to let us know.



**Special News!**

**Curriculum Award –**

Lewis for showing fantastic effort and motivation to improve his reading.

**Christian Value Hope–**

Oliver for showing hope when working hard on his English work this week.



My email address is [l.shepherd@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:l.shepherd@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk) if you have any concerns/queries.

**Have a lovely weekend!**

**Miss Shepherd ☺**