

# **Lea Endowed CE Primary School**

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Our theme this half term is Creativity

"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16



This week in school we have explored keeping our mind's healthy in a huge variety of ways. Our children's good mental health is invaluable. We have looked at the importance of filling our minds with all the very best things that God wants for us. The verse in the top right hand corner of my newsletter is a version of our main Hall display, which we consider daily. Please support your child's healthy mind by being extra vigilant about what they access online. Only this week, it has been brought to my attention that several children are still being allowed to play on highly inappropriate games eg Fortnite - this is full of damaging, violent and unhealthy material which has a negative impact on the children's behaviour and attitudes. It is our duty of care as parents and teachers to protect our children, often from what is popular, and which is allowed by other parents. Children do not get their childhood back!

### Mrs Seagrave's Good Manners Award

Congratulations to **Wiktoria** in **Reception** who won my Good Manners award last week. Wiktoria is one of the youngest members of our school family, who has been quietly shining her manners and respectful attitude in and around school. Keep letting your light shine Wiktoria –you are a shining star and we are very proud of you!

## Safer Internet Day (SID) - Tuesday 11th Feb 2020

Next week we will be taking every opportunity to learn even more about staying safe online. Please use this as an opportunity to access the many links and resources on the school website to help keep your child safe when using technology. If you need any help or support with putting blocks and filters on devices, please let us know.

### **ECO GROUP WORSHIP**

A big thank you and well done to the Eco group and Miss Wilson who led a KS2 worship on Thursday, focussing on how we can protect our beautiful planet. They explored the diversity of creation and encouraged the rest of the children to share their ideas on how we can make a difference in school, by making small but meaningful changes. Ask your child how we can help to look after God's wonderful world for future generations. We finished by presenting the Eco group with their shiny new Eco badges. We hope they wear them with pride and continue to be great ambassadors for taking care of the planet.

#### **NSPCC Number Day**

Thank you to those families who supported our "Wear Something Green" fund-raising day. Together we raised £125 to help this wonderful children's charity and allowed us to share the message to "Speak Out and Stay Safe" with our children.



Our help is in the name of the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

Thank you for your support,

CM Seagrave

