

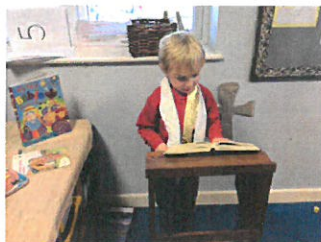


Head's Message

Highlights from RE Week



In **Class Reception**, we have been learning about Christianity. We have listened to stories that Jesus told and thought about their messages. We visited the church with our Year 6 buddies and learnt about special times of the year when the church is decorated in particular colours. In class, the children helped to create our own role-play church and enjoyed retelling the stories that they have been learning about and baptising the baby doll in our Class Reception font.



Class 1 have learnt all about Islam during RE week. They have tasted foods, worn their own henna design, learnt to pray on a prayer mat and acted out the 5th pillar of Islam, Hajj, in the hall. They have thoroughly enjoyed themselves and a big thank you to Miss Uddin for the activities and knowledge she has shared with the children.



Class 2 have been learning all about Sikhism. We visited a Sikh Gurdwara in Preston where we saw the prayer room, learned about the Golden Temple and how to tie a turban. In class, we have made information booklets all about Sikhism and created our own Rangoli patterns.



Class 3 have been learning about Buddhism and have been practising meditation.



Class 4 have been studying Hinduism this week. We have focused on the origins, Diwali and Hindu Gods.



Year 5 visited the Manchester Jewish Museum to consolidate and extend their learning about Judaism as part of RE week.



Class 6 have been learning about Christianity. They have enjoyed writing their own song to perform to the school and making stained glass windows on the computer.



Wishing you all a happy half term!

Extra-Curricular Activities

Spring Term
All Clubs 3.15pm-4.15pm

Mon	Netball	Years 5 and 6
Tues	Girls Football 3.15-4pm	Years 5 and 6
Wed	Judo	Paid activity Years 1-6
Wed	ICT Club	Year 2
Wed	Singing Club	Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 Young Voices
Thurs	Football Club 3.15-4pm	Years 4, 5 and 6
Thurs	Ethos Committee	Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
Thurs	Infant Sport Club	Years 1 and 2
Thurs	Book Club	Years 3 and 4
Thurs	Rugby Club	Years 4, 5 and 6

Bags to School

Donations to school by 9am on Thursday 22 February please. Second hand clothes and accessories only. No household linen or bric a brac. See collection bags that have been sent home for details.

World Thinking Day 2018

World Thinking Day is on 22nd February. Any pupils who attend Guides, Scouts, Brownies, Cubs, Rainbows or Beavers may wear their uniforms on this day.

Mathematics Resources

There are some explanatory notes on the school website explaining how mathematics is taught in school to the different age groups. There are examples and explanations for the four main arithmetic functions. They can be found on the school website on the Curriculum Page at the bottom under Resources. Click on the title and the notes should open in a new document.

Edenfield Before and After School Club Holiday Provision

EBASC will be running a Holiday Club over the Easter Holiday on 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th March at a cost of £20 per day. This is open to registered members only. Phone 07561166664 to book or for more info.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 9 th Feb	School closes at 3.15pm for half term
Mon 19 th Feb	School reopens at 9am
Weds 21 st Feb	Winter Olympics School Dinner
Thurs 22 nd Feb	World Thinking Day
Thurs 22 nd Feb	Bags to Schools
Mon 26 th Feb	7pm Parent/Carer meeting for Tower Wood residential trip (Y5/Y6).
5 th to 9 th Mar	School Book Fair
Tues 6 th Mar	Class 1 Trip to Delamere Forest
Thurs 8 th Mar	Class R Trip to Manchester Airport
Thurs 8 th Mar	Class 6 Trip to Stratford upon Avon
12 th and 13 th Mar	Parents Evenings
17 th Mar	PTA Sponsored Walk – Holcombe Hill
Fri 23 rd Mar	Easter Service in Church
Thurs 12 th April	Class 4 Trip to ELR in Bury



STARS OF THE WEEK



Friday 2nd February

Reception Class: Oliver Taylor, Freya Scully, Isabelle Murray

Class 1: Amie Redfeam, Sophia Meager, Hugo Walden

Class 2: All of Class 2, Alice Cotton, Lila Greenwood

Class 3: All of Class 3, Finlay Veale

Class 4: Emily Outhwaite, Charlie Wilcock

Class 5: All of Class 5, Rebecca Main

Class 6: Ellie McCarrick, Millie Shortt,

Thursday 8th February

Reception Class: James Dalby, Elliott Paintin, Aoife Morris, Lucas Thompson

Class 1: All of Class 1, Marcie Whittles, Elliot Wilcock

Class 2: All of Class 2, Grace Cotton, Oscar Dearden

Class 3: Harrison Sims, Mya Johnson

Class 4: Lucy Green, Olivia Booth

Class 5: Chloe Smith, Olivia Mitchard

Class 6: Louis Booth, Leon Sharples

Toddler Group

Toddler Group runs every term time Monday in the school hall from 1.30pm to 3pm for children from birth to 5 years old. £1.50 per family. Everyone welcome

Next PTA Event:

We will be organising a sponsored walk to the top of Holcombe Hill on St Patricks Day, 17th March 2018. Prize for the best fancy dress. Bring your own picnic to eat whilst enjoying the view at the top! 1pm to 3pm. Further details to follow.

Cake Sales

Cake sale 9th February and 23rd March at 3.15pm.

Date of Next PTA Meeting:

The next PTA meeting will be held on Friday 2nd March. The PTA needs your support. If you would like to find out more about the role of the PTA and how you could help, please email sallyjmaguire@gmail.com

Thought of the Week

*It takes lots of people to change the world,
If we work together, we can change the world,
One small change can change the world,
It can start with me.*