

Nursery Newsletter

Date to remember:
Tuesday 19th March 3:30 – 5:00pm
St Joseph's day celebration – International evening.



Learning to love, loving to learn

Spring 2 2024

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Value of the Month



February: Trust
March: Tolerance

Please discuss these values with your child, identifying acts that represent them.

Dear Parents and carers,

I hope you have all had a wonderful and restful half term holiday. This term we will be entering the season of Lent. As such, we will be learning all about the events leading up to Easter and how to be more like Jesus. Please do take the time to talk to your child about what we can do to show kindness to ourselves and others. Our main theme for this term is people who help us. We will be looking at 'a superhero like you' and discussing what we want to be when we grow up and who helps us in our everyday life. To further support the children's understanding of the importance of looking after our friends and loved ones, we will also be reading 'Little Red Riding Hood' as our traditional tale.

Thank you for your continual support!

Dates for the diary

Wk beg	Hinduism Week
19 th Feb	
20 th & 21 st Feb	Parents evening
Wk beg	STEM Week
11 th March	
12 th March	Big Lent fundraising walk
19 th March	St Joseph's Day Mass @ St Thomas a Becket
28 th March	Mass @ St Thomas a Becket
28 th March	End of Term 2:00pm

Literacy:

In literacy this term we will be focusing on describing the setting, main characters and events that happen in the story, we will begin to encourage children to make suggestions about what might happen next and recall parts of the story that they have remembered and found interesting.

We will also be focusing on developing our control of one-handed tools such as pencils, to form shapes, letters and pictures with accuracy.

Maths

In maths this term, we will be focusing on identifying, representing and subitising number 6, we will also begin to develop the children's mathematical language to sort and compare objects according to height, length, weight and capacity.

Class trip:

27/03/24 – When I grow up I want to be ... (children to dress up as what they want to be when they grow up)
TBC – People who help us visit from Police Safer Neighbourhood team.

RE

In RE this term, we will be learning about Joy and Sorrow. We will be exploring different ways to be kind to our friends, teachers and loved ones and how to say sorry when we make a mistake or do something wrong. We will also learn about the Story of Zacchaeus and the joy and sorrow that Jesus's friends experience at his death and resurrection through the teachings of the Easter story.

Learning Challenge

Our topic this term is people who help us. As such, we will be learning about people who help us at home, people who help us at school. People who help keep us safe and people who help keep us healthy. We will also be discussing with children the difference between safe strangers and unsafe strangers as well as talking about what we want to be when we grow up.