



Loving minds ♥ Hearts ♥ Hands

# Weekly Newsletter

## 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion



On Sunday, a group of children will be making their First Holy Communion at St. Ambrose church at 2pm. We hope that they have a wonderful day on this very special occasion and that they celebrate and share this step in their sacramental journey with their families.

## Gospel Assembly



This week's Gospel assemblies have focused on change. The children were asked to reflect when about when they had made wrong choices and more importantly, how they had made them correct. Children have been encouraged this week to make changes that are positive for others.

## Non - Uniform Day



Year 1 looked a little different today as they all came to school in non-uniform clothes. This was because last week, the class had 100% attendance, which is a magnificent achievement. We hope that more classes can enjoy a non-uniform day due to 100% attendance.

## Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2020

### This week's ACE awards

	A	C	E
N	Ja'nyah	Noah	Xavier
R	Phoebe	Kaiison-Kane	Esme
Y	Aniyah	Samiya	Nathan
1			
Y	Kylo	Nancy	Xinah
2			
Y	India	Joseph	Kendell
3	Rose		
Y	Cian	Daan	Jasmine
4			
Y	Amelia	Daisy H	Derrick
5			
Y	Cora	Zaine	Yazan
6			



A = Achievement  
C = Commitment  
E = Effort



## Foodbank Collection



Next Friday, all children will be able to come into school in non-uniform if they bring an item for the Harvest Food Bank Collection. A letter detailing what items can be brought in is on the school spider app. This is part of the school commitment to supporting the local community and building the kingdom.

## Would You Rather?



Children would rather hold their breath for as long as a whale rather than jump as far as a kangaroo according to the results of last week's would you rather question. Mia's reason was so that she could explore the ocean. This week's question is, 'Would you rather be the funniest person alive or the smartest?' Remember to give a reason.

## Superb September



96 children received an ice cream reward for having 100% attendance in September. Well done and enjoy!

**Happy Birthday** to those who celebrated their birthday this week:  
**Daithy, Hamza, Alexander Mary-Kate, Caelan, Nathan, Scarlett, Ann Maria**

## Attendance Matters

Class	Percentage Attendance
Nursery	92.9%
Reception	96.9%
Year 1	95.8%
Year 2	98.7%
Year 3	97.9%
Year 4	89.3%
Year 5	93%
Year 6	93.9%
Whole School	95%

Well done to **Year 2** who had the best attendance this week.

## Eat For Need and Not for Greed

Well done to **Year 3** who had the least food waste.

Housepoints	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Arrowsmith	Zayne	Gideon	Madox	Maddison	Phelan	Lukas
Clitheroe	Evie	Aryah	Hamza	Joshua	Derrick	Kyra
Southworth	Nathan	Amarah	Logan	Cian	Blanka	Samir
Ward	Aniyah	Kylo	MAhreen	Nana	Riley	Zayah

Well done to this week's winning house is which was **Ward**



# Loving Our Learning

The children and teachers are very proud of the learning that has been happening within school this week.



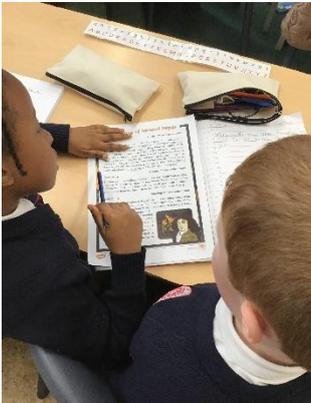
Nursery have been looking at their world and have recycled old wellies into plant holders.



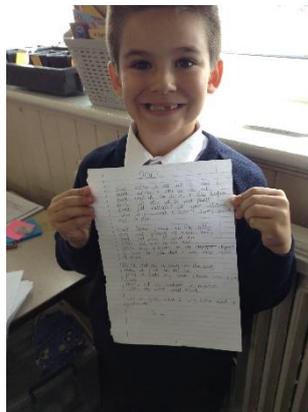
Reception have been learning about 2d shapes and have been on a shape hunt.



In Year 1, the children went on a material hunt and found plastic, metal and wood around the school.



Year 2 had a special visit from Samuel Pepys who shared his diary about his time during the fire of London.



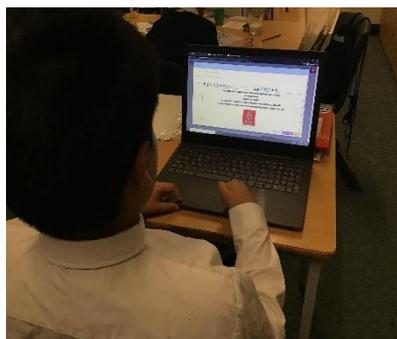
Year 3 wrote poems this week for national poetry week. They performed their 'don't' poems brilliantly.



Year 4 have been learning about Henri Matisse and are creating portraits in his style.



Year 5 have been exploring and investigating the viscosity of liquids through some practical science



Year 6 have been blogging about their start to the new school year as part of their computing lessons.



Bernard has been brushing up on his artistic skills by painting with the children in Nursery