

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 4th February

- Y5 Equaliteach workshop in class
- Y6 Equaliteach workshop in class

Wednesday 5th February

- Reception Homework Sharing at 9am
- Y4 Class Assembly at 10.10am

Thursday 6th February

- Y2 Bake Sale at 3.15pm
- Phonics Meeting for Y1 parents and carers at 3.45pm

Teacher Consultations

Don't forget to hand in your slips for teacher consultations on Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th February. The consultations are an important opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their teacher and how we can work together to continue to support them.

This week, Year 6 went next door to St Thomas More for PE. The sessions were led by Year 9 students who were training in sports leadership. The children had a great time and were inspired by our neighbours' leadership skills.

On Thursday 6th February at 3.45pm in the Year 1 classroom, Miss Lamb will run a Phonics Meeting for parents and carers of children in Year 1 only. At the meeting Miss Lamb will provide parents and carers with important details and information about the phonics screening which will take place later on this year in June 2020. A crèche will be provided for children during the meeting so if your child is in Year 1, please make every effort to attend.

As we move into February, it is so encouraging to hear how well the children have started Spring Term. They have produced some excellent work, proven themselves to be wonderful ambassadors to the school on trips and continue to be kind and polite to each other and the staff in school. Long may it continue!

Mrs Wyatt - Executive Headteacher

Royal Academy of Culinary Arts Workshop

Year 4 had their second session this week with Chef Idris, focusing on table etiquette. They discussed table manners and had a chance to discuss the table rules whilst eating. They looked at the different types of cutlery and what should be used on different occasions whilst in a restaurant. The most exciting part was when the children role played, pretending they were at a real restaurant with their friends.



Fundraising for
Rehema Children's Orphanage
in Kenya

by Y2



Funds will be used to provide mosquito nets and mattresses for children.

Come and buy delicious cakes, cupcakes, biscuits, cake pops...!!!

Thursday 6th Feb
3:15 - 4pm

St. Joseph's RC Primary School



Bake Sale

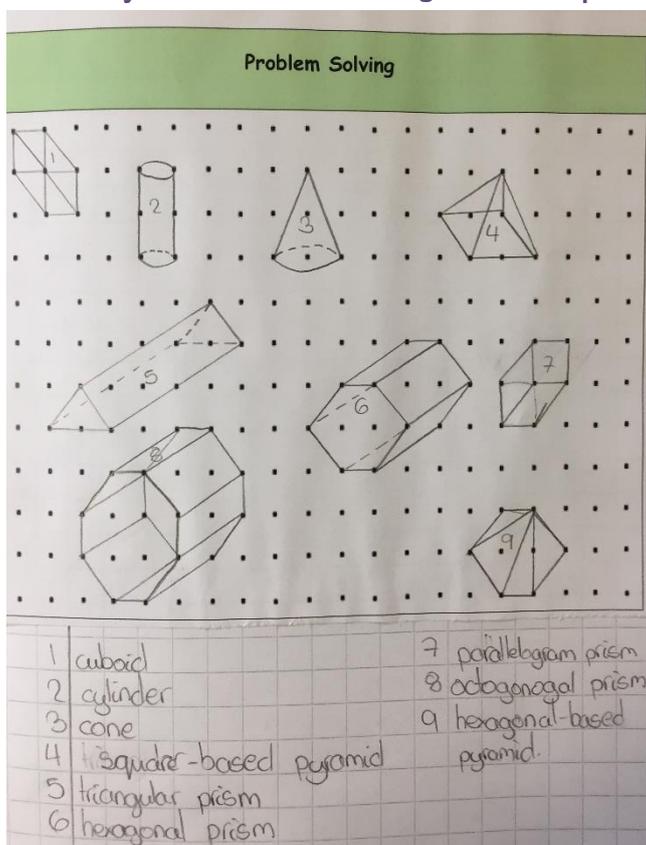
WEDNESDAY!



Our Wednesday Word for this week which links in with the Sunday Gospel is: **HOPE**

Year 5

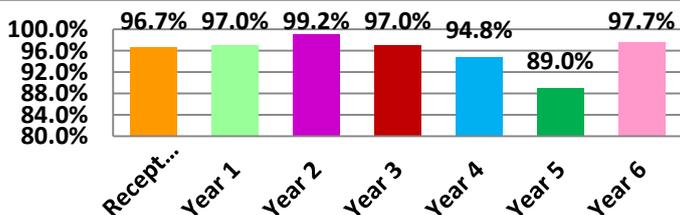
As part of Year 5's work in Mathematics this week, they have been investigating 3D shapes. First, they explored the different properties of polyhedrons and constructed nets before they used what they learnt to draw a range of 3D shapes.



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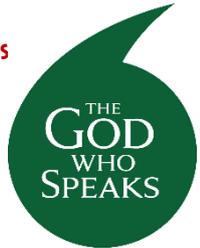
Attendance

Well done, Year 2! You had the highest attendance this week with 99.2%.



Catholic Life

As part of our work in The Year of The Word, in assemblies we continue to discuss the Bible – how special it is for us and what we can learn from it. This week we focused on Jesus calling the disciples to be 'fishers of men' and what responsibilities that meant they had.



The Environment Team News

Design an Air Quality Banner Competition!

Sustrans, a charity that makes it easier for more people to cycle, walk and wheel, want your help to make London cleaner!

Design a banner that encourages people to pollute less to improve the quality of the air for everyone in London.

Tips for your banner:

- Encourage people to cycle, walk, scoot or wheel instead of using cars
- Come up with a snappy headline
- Make your banner as eye catching as possible

Prizes to be won:

- A Sustrans certificate for the winning design from each school
- The best design in each borough will be made into a real banner to be hung outside the school
- The overall winning designer will win a bike!

Submissions must be handed in to Mrs Sartori by Friday 14th February.

Pupil Voice

The JTAs' WOW Badge Design Competition is back!

Children are invited to design a new badge on the theme 'Wonders of the World'. Judges will be looking for colourful designs of the most beautiful natural and man-made creations.

Entry forms can be found on the JTA display bus.

Submissions must be handed in to Mrs Bartley by Friday 6th March.

