



Holy Trinity Newsletter

10th September 2021

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Dates for your Diary

Sep

Monday 13th - Friday 17th September - Year 6

Residential trip to Osmington Bay

Thursday 16th September - Reception & Y1 parents drinks party

Monday 13th September - Year 2 class meeting

Tuesday 14th September - Year 4 class meeting

Wednesday 22nd September - Harvest Festival at Holy Trinity Church (details to follow)

Thursday 23rd September - Pictures of life Concert (details attached)

Student of the week

Year 1

Sophia & Andre

Year 2

Lucette & Adam

Year 3

Zuriel & Elena

Year 4

Astar & Jayden

Year 5

Zoe & Serena

Year 6

Dion & Heidi



Instagram



@cchtfederation

@christchurchschoolkitchen

Osmington Bay, Dorset



Our Y6 children are off on their residential trip to Osmington Bay next week. Have a fabulous time Y6!

Dear all,

We have been so pleased to welcome all children back to school this week. It has been lovely to have events and learning with all year groups, now that we are not strictly in contact bubbles.

Our new Year 6 Shepherds had their first shared learning with their Reception Sheep. The beginning of some beautiful friendships.

We were also thrilled to see all our Year 7 children who returned for their postponed Graduation.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs. Hawkins



Please be reminded that our mobile phone policy is now in effect. Children are not to bring phones into school. Please do take the time to familiarise yourself with the policy, so that you are fully aware of the changes.

<https://www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/CCHT-Mobile-Phone-and-Social-Media-Policy-2021.pdf>



Get Together for New Reception and Year 1 Parents



Thursday 16th September 6.00-8.00pm

On Thursday 16th September, we will be holding a greetings get together in the Cadogan playground for parents of children in Year 1 and the new Reception Class.

**We do hope you can come along
Drinks and nibbles will be provided!**

Free Arts Council Supported Afterschool Music Courses

We have received information from the Lycaem Music regarding free music courses which you may be interested in.

*We are offering **6-weeks of free afterschool and weekend music tuition from the 13th of Sep**, and we'd very much like to invite the children of Christ Church & Holy Trinity to take part.*

Parents can sign up at the links below - full courses description on each link :

Courses for 5-7yrs

[Music Styles - An Introduction](#)
[Music Styles - The Far East](#)
[Music Styles - Africa](#)
[Meet the Maestro](#)
[Instrument adventures](#)

Courses for 7-9yrs

[Film Music](#)
[Music in a Time Machine](#)
[The Masked Maestro](#)

Courses for 10-12yrs

[Film Music](#)
[Music in a Time Machine](#)
[The Masked Maestro](#)

Music Theory Courses:

[ABRSM Grade 1 - part 1 \(7-9yrs\)](#)
[ABRSM Grade 1 - part 1 \(10-12yrs\)](#)
[ABRSM Grade 2 - part 1 \(7-9yrs\)](#)
[ABRSM Grade 2 - part 1 \(10-12yrs\)](#)



INTERESTED IN VIOLIN LESSONS?



If your child would like violin lessons, please email Caroline Ross cross@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk and she will put you in touch with violin teacher, Ella Fox. (Lessons cost £190 per term for ten 30 minute lessons or £140 for ten 20 minute lessons.)

MESSAGE TO ALL PARENTS

Medical and Dietary Requirements

We are updating our medical and dietary records. If there have been any changes to your child's medical or dietary requirements, please let us know as soon as possible. Please email:

[**lphillips@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk**](mailto:lphillips@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk)

Parents with children that have medical conditions we already know about have been sent a care new plan. please fill it in and return to Mrs Phillips even if nothing has changed.

MESSAGE TO PARENTS NEW TO THE SCHOOL

Induction Forms

If you have not done so already, please can you return all your induction forms, which were given to you when your child was offered a place at the school. Many thanks to all who have handed their forms in.

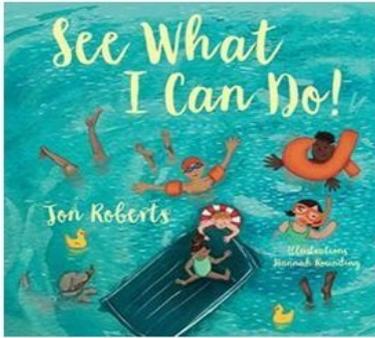
NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

Our newsletters are sent via email every Friday, if however, you would prefer to have a paper copy, please email Mrs Phillips:

[**lphillips@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk**](mailto:lphillips@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk)

See What I Can Do! for ages 4-5 & up)

Author: Jon Roberts Publisher: Graffeg Books



Every one of us is different, each with our own unique set of personalities, challenges, interests and skills.

Yet, especially where disability is concerned, there is often a risk we lump people together into convenient boxes. In reality, as this book deftly explains, there are numerous different conditions and impairments: some visible, some not. And every child's experience is different.

See What I Can Do! introduces a range of characters (based on real-life children from around the world), each sharing an insight and pointing out not only the challenges but also the positive aspects of their lives. The book does all this in a gentle, friendly and very readable way.

Alongside children who are blind or deaf for example, the book also provides an insight into the less well-known, including specific learning differences, asthma, epilepsy and cystic fibrosis. On each spread, characters discuss their own specific knowledge of that particular condition, and comparing their experiences, illustrating just how rarely one size fits all.

A beautiful book that celebrates individuality, empathy and understanding.

EDUCATION SUNDAY

All-Age Sung Eucharist

*with the
Blessing of School Bags*

**Sunday 12 September 2021
at 11am**

*Children are invited to wear
their school uniforms*

 **Holy Trinity Church · Sloane Square · London SW1**

Sports Clubs

There are still spaces in after school sports clubs.

If you would like to sign your child up, please go to the payment tab on the School Gateway.



Philosophy For Children

P4C

Each week in the newsletter, we will pose a question that you and your child or your family can discuss..... remember, listen and respect each other's views!

***Imagine that you could fill a swimming pool with anything and swim in it.
What would your pool be filled with?***

Holy Trinity Arts and Crafts Festival

[The Arts and Crafts Festival Sloane Square](#) began so successfully in partnership with London's Open House Weekend. Our theme - ***Paradise Regained*** - enjoys full expression on 10th, 11th and 12th September this weekend with a strong ecological and environmental focus. The Arts and Crafts Movement celebrated the skill of individual artisans, designers and creatives, promoting the dignity of work and labour of beauty.

[A Stitch in Time](#)

On Friday 10th 19.30, Cressida Bell (granddaughter of Bloomsbury artist Vanessa Bell) is teaming up with Clare Cowburn Baker of [Fine Cell Work](#) to talk about their creation not only of a range of stunning new pieces to be stitched by the prisoners associated with the Fine Cell Work programme, but also to present the inspiration for the designs for the new kneeler commission from Holy Trinity Church, running the full width of the altar rail, also to be worked by the prisoners in the programme. They are collaborating too on new designs for merchandising for the church. Exquisite pieces made by Fine Cell Work prisoners will be on display and for purchase.

[Head Hand Heart](#)

Saturday 11th 19.30, Safia Minney revisits some of the key principles of the Arts and Crafts Founders as she discusses how she has enabled a thriving, ethical retail clothing business that is ecologically and morally sound. Safia is joined by four new young designers from the London College of Fashion, sharing their sustainable collections and for whom **real** sustainability is the starting point for design and creation – and not a “green-washed” afterthought. The impact of fast-fashion on climate catastrophe is critical. If you're unsure how you can engage ethically with managing your wardrobe and wider aspects of your lifestyle – join us. The case for changing the world in time for our grandchildren to benefit has never been more pressing.

[Earthworks](#)

On Saturday 18th a group of the Christ Church and Holy Trinity Federation's Year 5s from both schools will be joining a cast of students (mature and current) of the Place - London Contemporary Dance School – in a multimedia dance piece in response to climate change. With a concept developed during the pandemic, its creative process has followed all the twists and turns of lockdowns and been a source of energy and connectedness during periods of isolation. It has been a learning journey for us all – together - and values everyone in the contribution they make in raising awareness of the active changes we must make to manage climate catastrophe.

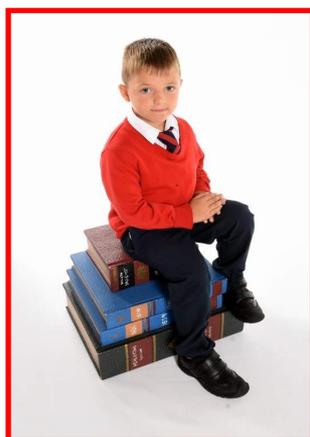
Find the whole programme in the initial link; links above take you to tickets for each event. We look forward to welcoming you.

School Uniform

It is great to see your children back to school. Just a reminder that children should be wearing their winter uniform, however summer uniform is still ok until autumn half term (please see list below). Here is a link to our uniform provider where you can purchase new uniform if you need to [https://](https://www.stitchdesign.co.uk/)

www.stitchdesign.co.uk/ When searching for the school on the Stitch Design website, please use the Christ Church School Postcode **SW3 4AA**

Please remember navy blue coats only! Most people are really following this now and we will be really insisting on this in September. Hold on to good quality second hand items, as we will be having a sale in the Autumn Term.



Summer or Winter uniform is fine until Autumn half term.

Girls Summer uniform consists of:

A blue checked summer dress
Navy blue or red socks or tights—white and any other colour socks are not uniform!

Navy blue or black shoes

A red cardigan

Red, navy or checked blue and white (to match the Summer dress) hair accessories

A school uniform coat or a navy blue duffle coat (no puffer jackets please)

Christ Church sun hat

Boys Summer uniform consists of:

A white shirt long or short sleeved

Navy blue trousers or long shorts

The school tie

Navy blue socks—white socks are not uniform!

Navy blue or black shoes

A red v neck jumper (no tank tops please)

A school uniform coat or a navy blue duffle coat (no puffer jackets please)

A yellow high visibility jacket

Christ Church and Holy Trinity sun hat

Summer or Winter uniform is fine until Autumn half term.

Girls Winter uniform consists of:

A white shirt

Navy blue skirt, pinafore dress or trousers

The school tie

Navy blue or red socks or tights—white and any other colour socks are not uniform!

Navy blue or black shoes

A red cardigan

Red or navy hair accessories

A school uniform coat or a navy blue duffle coat (no puffer jackets please)

A yellow high visibility jacket

Plain navy gloves a Christ Church and Holy Trinity hat and scarf

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Navy blue trousers or long shorts

The school tie

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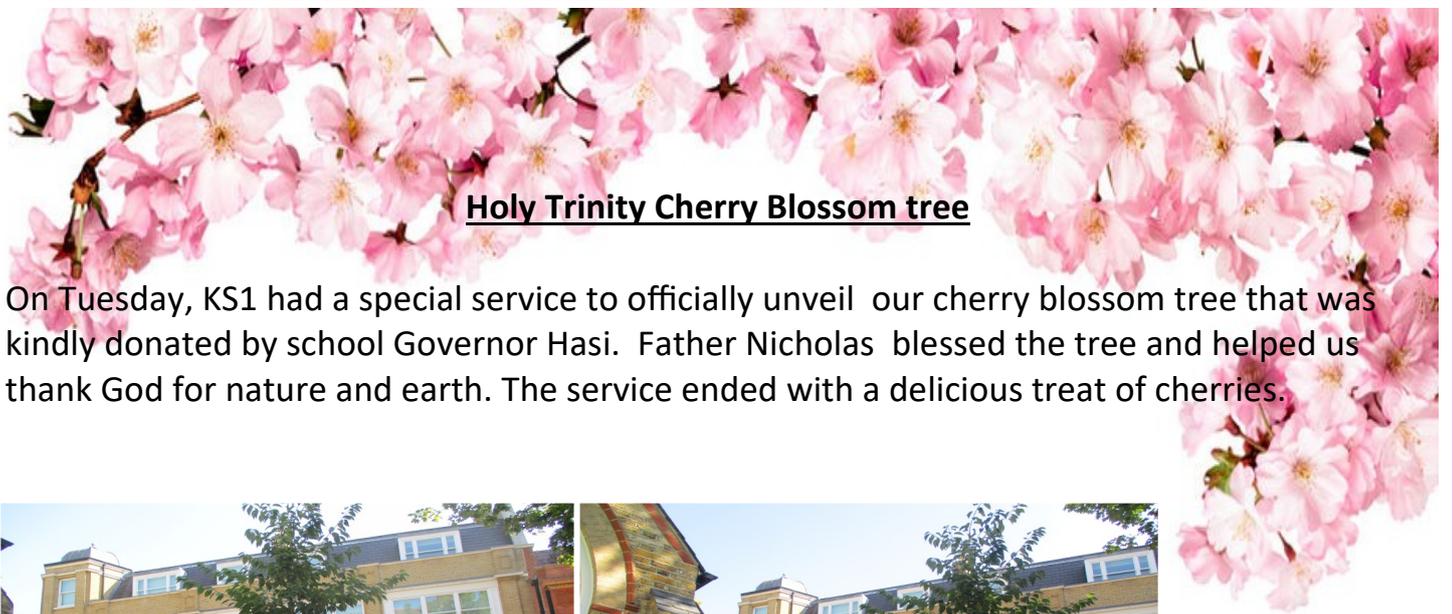
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Reception Class - Lunch with parents



We welcomed our new Reception children to Holy Trinity this week and they seem to be settling in very well. They were very excited to invite their parents to join them for lunch this week. Thank-you to our amazing chefs for cooking for everyone.

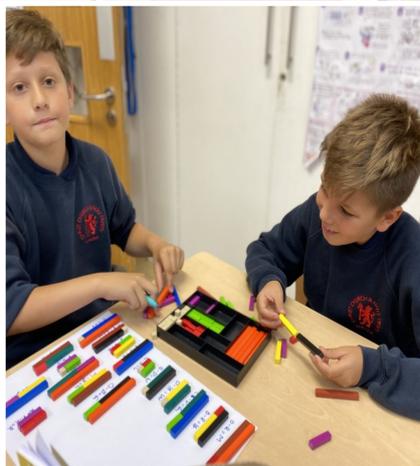
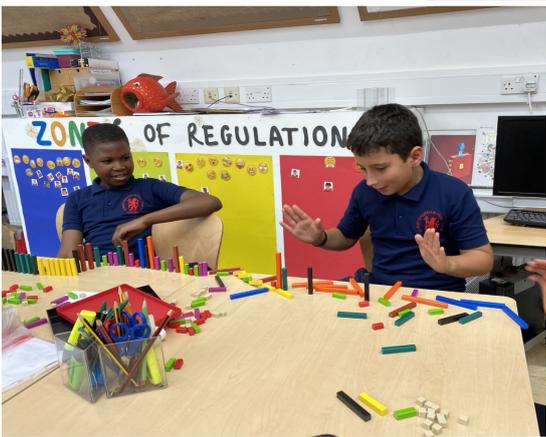


Holy Trinity Cherry Blossom tree

On Tuesday, KS1 had a special service to officially unveil our cherry blossom tree that was kindly donated by school Governor Hasi. Father Nicholas blessed the tree and helped us thank God for nature and earth. The service ended with a delicious treat of cherries.



Year 5 & 6 hard at work





Friday 10th September 2021

Learning in Reception at Holy Trinity

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful start to school we have had this week! The children have settled in nicely, they have enjoyed playing in their new classroom and they have been kind and friendly towards each other.

Miss Saadnia and I are super impressed with how quickly they have settled and how well they have responded to their new routines in Reception class.

This week, we have focused on getting to know each other, describing ourselves and talking about what we like and dislike.

Next week, we will focus on reviewing numbers: writing our names as well as counting to 10/20, recognising numerals and matching numerals to quantities.

I will also continue to assess the children individually in all areas of learning.

A few reminders:

- The main gate opens at 8:50 am and closes at 9:10 am. Please be punctual - it helps the children tremendously ☺
- We understand that little accidents might happen so it is good to have a spare set of clothes in your child's drawer.
- Make sure all their clothes have been clearly labelled.
- Children to come to school with a named water bottle.
- Morning snack: fruit of their choice.

RE- To bring a special object or photograph (it could be a toy they really like, an item they have found, a special moment or celebration etc.) - Thank you!

Have a lovely weekend

Miss Martin



Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 1

Friday 10th September 2020

This week in Year One, we have been spending some time getting to know the classroom, our new routines and each other. We have been getting used to spending more time at our tables, doing independent learning tasks. In PSHE this week, we talked about the Zones of Regulation and recognising the different emotions in each of the four Zones.

This week in English, we have been revising the three key things every sentence must have (capital letters, full stops and finger spaces). We had a go at correcting some simple sentences. We then wrote a letter to Miss Quirke to tell her what we got up to over the Summer holidays. We tried to remember to check for our capital letters and full stops. Next week, we will start to look at captions.

In maths, we have been going over numbers from 0-10. We have been practicing writing both the numeral and the number word. We have also been looking at the different ways you can represent the same number, using counters and Ten-Frames. We have also started to look at order and pattern and we completed some number patterns. Next week, we will start to look at number bonds to 10 and part-part wholes.

We started our Alphabet Code lessons where we looked at the different codes making the /ee/ sound. We found **ee as in green**, **ea as in tea**, **e as in me** and **ey as in key**! Next week will be looking at all the different codes that make the /ai/ sound.

We also started our new science topic '*Who am I?*'. This week we thought about all the different parts of the body we could name and we drew diagrams in our books with labels of the different body parts.

In Geography, we started our unit '*Our local area*'. We looked at maps in more detail and drew a map of our classroom from a birds' eye view.
What a busy first week!

Thank you to everyone who attended the parents meeting this week. It was so lovely to see so many of you. A big well done to all the children for a super first week. Have a wonderful weekend 😊

Learning in Year 2 at Holy Trinity

Friday 10th September 2021

Thank you Year Two for such a wonderful week of learning. It has been fantastic to hear about your summer holidays and get back into the rhythm of school. I am so enjoying getting to know you all.

This week, in English, we have been learning how to write sentences with a variety of conjunctions. We have been recounting the event of our summer in a letter.

In Maths, we have been learning about place value, making tens and regrouping numbers from a 2-digit number into Tens and Ones. Along with identifying groups which are 'greater than' and 'less than'.

In Science, we have been developing our observation skills using magnifying glasses. We enjoyed making observational drawings of our new cherry blossom tree in the playground. We even got to taste a cherry after our tree blessing service with Father Nicolas.

In RE we have started learning about the Lord's Prayer and discussed what a prayer is and why it is important to Christians.

We have been thinking about how we are feeling and which 'zone' we are in at different points of the day. We have created our own display identifying what contributes to our feelings. For example, Ashleigh feels in the green zone when she is 'calm and ready', and Brook said he feels in the yellow zone if he is 'excited and moving'.

I so look forward to seeing parents for our meet on Monday from 9.10 to 9.40. We will be able to discuss the upcoming year and I will talk through homework which will start next week.



Have a lovely weekend!



Learning in Year 3 at Holy Trinity

Friday 10th September 2021

Year three have had a wonderful week settling in to their new classroom and have been showing that their behaviour is entirely what we expect from children in Key Stage Two!

In Maths, we have started our work on place value, thinking about why it matters where numbers are, how much they are worth depending on the place that they're in and learning up to six different ways to represent a number!

In English, we've started thinking about adventure stories, what features appear in these stories and how they make us feel. We also looked at an adventure story called 'Taking Flight', created a graph to show the timeline of events and which sections we found the most exciting. We are going to be exploring over the next few weeks.

In other subjects, we've been creating timelines starting as far back as 15,000 BC and learning why the Stone Age is known has its name for our History topic, we've been identifying light sources and drawing diagrams to show how light helps us see in Science and learning and sorting true or false statements about the Bible!

Good questions to ask your child this week are:

- *How many digits are in this number? (E.g. The number 769 is a three digit number where the 7 is worth 700, the 6 is worth 60 and the 9 is worth 9)*
- *What is an adventure story? (An exciting story which often involves a journey and a problem to solve)*
- *What is the Bible? (The Christian Holy Book, containing stories about the world God created and about Jesus' life on earth)*

We are looking forward to continuing our work in the topics we've started this week, especially as we explore the zones of regulation and what tools we can use to regulate ourselves.

It was lovely to see and meet so many of you at our class meeting, thank you all for being so welcoming! Well done to all our lovely Year 3s for such a brilliant first week back and enjoy your well deserved weekend!



Learning in Year 4 at Holy Trinity

Friday 10th September

Year 4 have had an impressive first week back at school. They have settled in brilliantly and it has been great fun getting to know everyone.

This week in English, we have been identifying the features of a letter. We also worked on our reading comprehension skills by making sure we used evidence from the text when answering literal questions. We then wrote our own letters, sharing how we felt about starting Year 4 and sharing a little bit about ourselves. We made sure to use a letter layout, including the date and address.

In Maths, we revised the importance of place value. We thought carefully about how the position of a digit changes its value. We then used base ten to represent numbers up to 1000.

In PSHE, we have been thinking about the virtue of kindness and the impact acts of kindness can have on those around us. We thought about how kindness is a bit like dropping a pebble in water, the effects of kindness ripple out and can help lots of people in ways we may not know or see. We then discussed different ways we can be kind in school.

We have also started learning about the Zones of Regulation this week. We learnt about how we experience different emotions at certain times. These emotions can be sorted into 4 colours (blue, green, yellow and red). We are using these colour zones to identify how we are feeling throughout the day. We ended the week by having a special treat for earning 999 class dojo points! Year 4 had an adventurous time making pancakes!

Good questions to ask your child this week:

- What colour zone are you in at the moment and why?
- Why do you need to follow the steps of a recipe in sequence?
- How have you been kind to someone this week?

Reminders:

- Parent meeting takes place on Tuesday 14th September at 9.10am. I look forward to seeing lots of you there!
- Dance is on Monday, P.E. is on Thursday and Friday. Please send your child in wearing their P.E. uniform and school shoes. Your child can change into trainers at school.

Word of the week: represent - to show or describe something



Learning in Year 5 at Holy Trinity
Friday 10th September

Welcome everyone to Year 5! Most of you will remember from last year and for those of you who are new, I look forward to getting to know you more as the year progresses.

This term, we have a tightly integrated English and History unit. We are going to be reading *The Secret Diary of Jane Pinny; Victorian Housemaid* and learning all about the Victorian Era. We started this week by making predictions about the story using the front cover, creating a timeline of major events in history and learning about Queen Victoria.

In Science, we started our new unit *Let's Get Moving* where we will learn about different forces including gravity, air/wind resistance and friction. This week learned that gravity is an invisible force that pulls objects together matter and that is how we are able to stay on the ground (and not float away). We then measured the force of different objects using a Newton Meter (or force meter).

After a tumultuous two years, we are working hard to provide students with the knowledge and skills to regulate their feelings and behaviours. We use the Zones of Regulation which categorises all the different ways we feel and states of alertness. While it is completely normal to experience all the zones (at different times in the day or in different situations), ultimately, we want to get back to the Green Zone.

BLUE ZONE Sad Sick Tired Bored Moving Slowly	GREEN ZONE Happy Calm Feeling Okay Focused Ready to Learn	YELLOW ZONE Frustrated Worried Silly/Wiggly Excited Loss of Some Control	RED ZONE Mad/Angry Terrified Yelling/Hitting Elated Out of Control

Reminders:

- 14th September - Trip to Van Gough exhibition.
- Parent meeting 15th September, 9:10am - please make sure to attend even if your child was in my class last year.
- PE is Wednesday and Friday
- Homework will go out MONDAY and be returned FRIDAY. Homework club is on Monday.
- Stay connected via Class Dojo as I post lots of class updates and things we are doing.

Have a great weekend,
Miss Harman



Learning at Holy Trinity
Friday 10th September 2021

We have had a fantastic first week back to school, it has been lovely getting to know you and welcome you back to school. The children have settled in very well and worked hard.

In English, we looked at a letter that I wrote to the class, discussing the features of a letter and corrected grammatical and spelling errors I had made in my letter. The children then worked very hard to write a letter to me, telling me how they are feeling about year 6, a little bit about themselves and what they will do to succeed in their final year at Holy Trinity. The quality of work was very impressive, reading them definitely put a smile on my face. We have begun reading 'Billy the Kid' by Michael Morpurgo, our class reading book, which we are thoroughly enjoying so far and a fantastic link to our WW2 History topic.

In Maths, we began the week creating algebraic equations using Cuisenaire rods to represent addition, subtraction and multiplication problems. We used letters to represent the different coloured rods and worked together to create equivalent equations.

In Science, we identified and named the main parts of the human circulatory system and described the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood.

On Wednesday Year 6 met their sheep in Reception at the teddy bears picnic, the children will make excellent shepherds.

Year 6 had their very first PE lesson at Marlborough School this week and are over the moon to have the privilege to access their impressive rooftop football pitch again this year! A reminder that PE is on a Tuesday, Wednesday and swimming on Friday - you should come to school wearing your PE kit and school shoes and bring trainers to change into.

Next week...

We are in Osmington Bay!

Please remember mobile phones are NOT allowed in school or on school trips, please refer to school handbook.

I hope you all have a fantastic weekend!

