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### NEXT WEEK - VISITORS, COMMUNITY EVENTS & CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT

Wednesday 29th March	All	Easter Service, Holy Trinity Church, 10am
Thursday 30th March	Y5 Parents	Osmington Bay Meeting, 9am, Sedding Street
Friday 31st March	All	End Of Term, 1.30pm (No clubs on this day)

A P R I L M A Y	<b>Monday 17th</b> - Back to school after the Easter Holidays
	<b>Tuesday 18th</b> - RCM Class Meeting, Cadogan Gardens, 9.10am
	<b>Tuesday 18th</b> - 5CH, Westminster Abbey, pm
	<b>Tuesday 18th</b> - Secondary Transfer Meeting, Cadogan, 9.00am
	<b>Tuesday 18th</b> - 6TM, Saatchi Gallery, am
	<b>Wednesday 19th</b> - 1JD Class Meeting, Cadogan Gardens, 9.10am
	<b>Thursday 20th</b> - 2ZP Class Meeting, Cadogan Gardens, 9.10am
	<b>Thursday 20th</b> - Childnet Session, Christ Church, 7.00pm
	<b>Friday 21st</b> - 4AJ, Southwark Cathedral, pm
	<b>Friday 21st</b> - Fruity Friday - Rainbow Day
	<b>Monday 24th</b> - 3MQ Class Meeting, Sedding Street, 9.10am
	<b>Monday 24th</b> - 4AJ, Science Museum, all day
	<b>Tuesday 25th</b> - 4AJ Class Meeting, Sedding Street, 9.10am
	<b>Wednesday 26th</b> - 5CH Class Meeting, Sedding Street, 9.10am
<b>Thursday 27th</b> - 6TM Class Meeting, Cadogan Gardens, 9.10am	
<b>Monday 8th</b> - Bank Holiday for the Kings Coronation	
<b>Mon 8th - Fri 12th</b> - 5CH, Osmington Bay Residential	
<b>Monday 22nd</b> - 5CH, Kew Gardens, All day	
<b>Monday 29th - Friday 2nd June</b> - Half Term	

### Students Of The Week

RCM - Roman & Lulu  
1JD - Joshua & Ophelia  
2ZP - Alexa & Noah  
3MQ - Anastasia & Giselle  
4AJ - Maya & Soloomia  
5CH - Ryan & Astar  
6TM - Whole Class Award



### Book Fair



We took £354.72 in total at our Spring Book Fair and have earned £101.89 in commission to purchase books for school.

### Comic Relief's Red Nose Day



By purchasing red noses, paying to wear red, entering the joke competition and buying cakes at the cake sale, you raised an amazing £759.30 for the Comic Relief charity. Thank you for getting involved!

To find out more about Comic Relief and what your money supports, please visit this link:  
<https://www.comicrelief.com/>



### Easter Service

Our Easter Service will be held at Holy Trinity Church on Wednesday 29th March at 10am

You are welcome to join us and see our children lead our service with readings and re-enactments of the Easter story.

Follow us on our social media platforms:

Federation Instagram

[@cchtfederation](https://www.instagram.com/cchtfederation)

School Kitchen Instagram

[@ccandhtschoolkitchen](https://www.instagram.com/ccandhtschoolkitchen)



## HOLY TRINITY PROMISES AUCTION LOT

Following the Holy Trinity Promises Auction on Thursday 9th March, Lot 85, below, is available to the highest silent bidder. If you would like to make a bid, please contact Lisa directly on [lisa\\_frost@hotmail.com](mailto:lisa_frost@hotmail.com) who will liaise with you directly with regards your appointment. All proceeds will go towards Holy Trinity. Thank you in advance.

### 85 A Mummy MOT

A 1 hour initial assessment for women following both vaginal and caesarean deliveries. The specialist postnatal examination will assess how your posture, pelvic floor muscles and stomach muscles are recovering and provide you with exercises and treatment to help in your recovery and to return to exercise safely. From 4 weeks to 4 years plus postnatal.

*Donated by the Burke Frost Family, YR, 3*



THE POSTNATAL CHECK YOU DESERVE

### CLASS MEETING DATES

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April - **Reception**

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 1**

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 2**

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 3**

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 4**

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 5**

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April - **Year 6**

### Amazon Wish list



If you would like to purchase something on our behalf,

please visit: <https://amzn.eu/3jaGUpr>

If you find something you would like to purchase – just add it to your basket and follow the same procedures as it you were ordering something for yourself. The items will then be delivered directly to the school please make sure you select the school address in the delivery section.

*Look out for new items added every week!*

On **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April**, ChildNet will be running a parent workshop at **Christ Church in the School Hall at 7pm** for anyone who wishes to attend.



This session will focus on the key areas of online risks whilst offering practical tips and useful tools to support young people online. It will begin with conduct: the kinds of behaviours we see from young people online, including screentime and sharing. They offer specific advice around privacy settings and time management strategies. Then they consider online content including topics like fake news, adult content and the perfect lives children might see online. The advice incorporates guidance around parental controls, critical thinking and age ratings. Finally, they explore contact with others online including online bullying and grooming. The sessions will finish by highlighting key reporting tools and signposting to sources of further help and information.

## Secondary Transfer Meeting for Year Groups 3, 4 & 5 Tuesday 18th April 9-10am

Transfer from  
Primary to  
Secondary School

Parents and carers are invited to join our Secondary Transfer Meeting with Mrs Hawkins to discuss the Secondary Transfer process. There will be a chance to ask questions and to discuss options. Congratulations to our CCHT 2023 leavers who have had offers from a wide range of excellent schools in the state and independent sectors, including:

<u>State Schools</u>	<u>Independent Day Schools</u>	<u>Boarding Schools</u>
<i>Chelsea Academy</i>	<i>St. Paul's Girls' School</i>	<i>Charterhouse</i>
<i>Fulham Boys' School</i>	<i>Dulwich College</i>	<i>Radley College</i>
<i>Lady Margaret's</i>	<i>Godolphin &amp; Latymer</i>	<i>Wycombe Abbey</i>
<i>Grey Coat Hospital</i>	<i>Putney High</i>	<i>Marlborough College</i>
<i>Saint Cecilia's</i>	<i>Thomas's</i>	<i>Bradfield College</i>
<i>St. Thomas Moore</i>	<i>Westminster Under</i>	<i>Cranleigh</i>
<i>Fulham Cross Girls</i>	<i>City of London</i>	<i>Blundells</i>
<i>Westminster City</i>	<i>Francis Holland</i>	<i>St. Helen's &amp; St. Catherine's</i>
<i>Steyning Grammar</i>	<i>Portland Place</i>	<i>Papplewick Prep</i>



**Attendance**  
W/C 13.03.2023



Class	% Attendance	Unauthorised	Number of lates
YR	96%	2.76%	4
Y1	95%	0	4
Y2	92%	2.77%	6
Y3	96%	1.33%	6
Y4	97%	0%	5
Y5	93%	0%	2
Y6	94%	0.37%	6

## Uniform at Holy Trinity, a message from Mrs. Hawkins.



We are a school that has a uniform to ensure we look smart and part of a community.

A few reminders to please check with your child:

- On PE days children can wear trainers but not on uniform days. Black or navy blue shoes or trainer shoes need to be worn on these days.
- School ties need to be worn with school shirts.
- Please do not wear red jumpers with PE kits.
- Coats need to be a school coat or a plain navy-blue coat. Not black or any other colour.
- Socks and tights are navy blue or red.
- Red, blues or hair coloured hair accessories.

After Easter you can wear summer uniform.

We will be awarding whole class awards next term for the smartest classes.

**PLEASE WEAR THE CORRECT UNIFORM ON THE CORRECT DAY  
PE OR SCHOOL UNIFORM.**

KS1 & KS2 Uniform only

Reception Class and PE uniform



### Mrs Wordsmith

YR	backbreaking
Y1	exhausted
Y2	gruelling
Y3	laborious
Y4	overwhelming
Y5	tedious
Y6	conscientious

We would like to wish all of our CCHT Families who are joining in with this special time of year a very Happy Ramadan.








# Coronation Walk


Saturday 13th May 2023

## Hampton Court Palace to Christ Church School



### Fundraising for CCT






## Kensington and Chelsea Family Information Service



A free, confidential and impartial information, advice and signposting service for children and young people 0 - 19 (or up to 25 for those with additional needs), their families, and the professionals who work with them.

**We offer guidance and information about:**

- Nurseries and Childminders
- Funded early education and childcare, and help towards childcare costs
- Family hubs (children's centres) and library services
- Careers in childcare: becoming a childminder
- Out of school hours clubs
- Activities and services for children, families, and young people



For more information, contact us:  
 Tel: 07814 804262  
 Visit: [www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis](http://www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis)  
 Email: [fis@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:fis@rbkc.gov.uk) / For the Early Years: [BI-BoroughChildcareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:BI-BoroughChildcareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk)


# GOBLIN POLKA

THEATRE by the LAKE



## The Lost Spells

A New Musical

Based on the book by  
**ROBERT MACFARLANE & JACKIE MORRIS**

**28 MAR - 8 APR 2023**  
**WATFORDPALACETHEATRE.CO.UK**  
**BOX OFFICE 01923 225671**



GOBLIN, WATFORD PALACE THEATRE, POLKA  
 THEATRE AND THEATRE BY THE LAKE PRESENT



## The Lost Spells

**A NEW MUSICAL**  
**ADAPTED FROM THE BOOK BY**  
**ROBERT MACFARLANE & JACKIE MORRIS**

A girl with no name finds a magical book of spells that conjures up a wild world. Moths appear from nowhere, Owls light up the dark; a Red Fox leads the way down a rabbit hole to a brand-new wonderland. On her journey she meets a host of wonderful characters on a fantastical adventure like no other; she learns the dandelion time, meets a boy who turns into a seal, flies with a band of jackdaws and battles with conkers - on a quest to find that which was once lost.

The Lost Spells is a fun, wild and boisterous adventure full of paw-tapping music and dancing, played live on-stage by talented actor-musicians. A riot of colour and a new Alice in Wonderland, The Lost Spells celebrates the magic, power and wonder of nature that could be just outside your window.

Adapted from the 'cultural phenomenon' and bestselling book that has delighted and inspired people of all ages, by globally renowned writer Robert Macfarlane and artist Jackie Morris. Moving, joyful and funny, The Lost Spells is for anyone who wants to celebrate and save the natural world around us - be that in the city or countryside, before it's lost forever.

MARCH 2023		
Tue 28	10.30am	
Wed 29	10.30am	
Thu 30	1pm	
Fri 31	1pm	6pm

APRIL 2023		
Sat 1	2.30pm	6pm
Sun 2	no performances	
Mon 3	11am	
Tue 4	11am	2.30pm
Wed 5	11am	2.30pm
Thu 6	11am	2.30pm
Fri 7	2.30pm	
Sat 8	2.30pm	6pm

**GROUP DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE!**  
 10% off groups 10+  
 15% off groups 25+  
 School groups: £10 with every 11th ticket free!

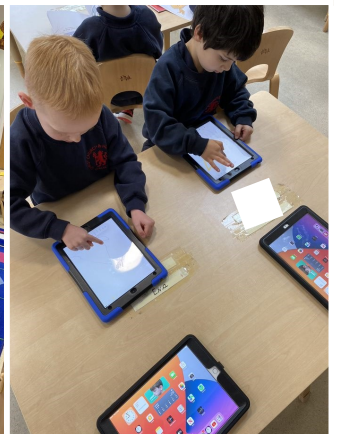
TICKETS		
Price Band A	Price Band B	Price Band C
£18	£14	£10



**JONATHAN CHARLES** Fox  
**LUCY YATES** Woodpecker  
**MIRIAM NYARKO** Jay  
**PAULA JAMES** Jackdaw  
**TOBY DE SALIS** Hare



# Fantastic Learning At Holy Trinity





# Visits To Special Places

Year 1 at Linley Sambourne House



Year 2 at Westminster Cathedral



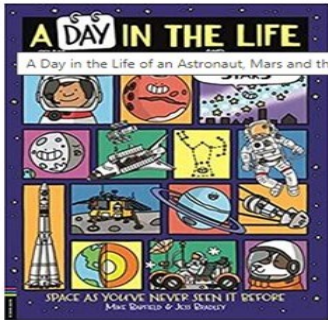


## Recommended Read

### A Day in the Life of an Astronaut, Mars and the Distant Stars

(ages 9-11 & up)

Author: Mike Barfield **Illustrator:** Jess Bradley **Publisher:** Buster Books



Think you know about space? Think again! You might not have read about it in quite this way before...

The book features three sections: The Solar System, Outer Space and Space Travel, each containing a plethora of information within them, presented in the form of comics, comic-style illustrations and Secret Diary and A Day in the Life Of... features.

The Secret Diaries are a particular joy, showcasing the key movers and shakers in the realm of space travel, technology and science. If you expect these all to be humans, though, think again: we get an excerpt of the diary of Miss Baker, one of the first monkeys in space, A Little Bit of Sunshine, A Hairy Star and Rosetta, a Comet Catcher built by the European Space Agency.

Plus, we get an insight into A Day in the Life of space features such as copycat planets, UFOs, a Galaxy and a Northern Star among many other fascinating things.

The third in the series from Mike Barfield and Jess Bradley (The first in the series, *A Day in the Life of a Poo, a Gnu and You*, won the Blue Peter Awards 2021 Best Book with Facts), *A Day in the Life of an Astronaut, Mars and the Distant Stars* is just as zany, smart and fun as the previous two titles, and guaranteed to entertain even the least bookish kid with its immersive cartoons, clear layout and brilliant sense of humour.



## Weekly Headlines



Most Accurate	Fastest	Most Active	Rank Amongst Local schools
Year 2 EH	Year 3 MQ	Year 4 EA	21

### Holy Trinity

Year 2 <small>ZP</small>	Year 3 <small>MQ</small>	Year 4 <small>AT</small>	Year 5 <small>CH</small>	Year 6 <small>TM</small>
Christopher	McKayla			Maria

### Christ Church

Year 2 <small>EH</small>	Year 3 <small>NK</small>	Year 4 <small>EA</small>	Year 5 <small>MB</small>	Year 6 <small>EH</small>
Sofia	Perseus	Sophie		Adam



## Weekly Headlines



### Holy Trinity

Year 1 <small>JD</small>	Year 2 <small>ZP</small>	Year 3 <small>MQ</small>	Year 4 <small>AT</small>	Year 5 <small>CH</small>	Year 6 <small>TM</small>
Margot	Ivy				

### Christ Church

Year 1 <small>OB</small>	Year 2 <small>EH</small>	Year 3 <small>NK</small>	Year 4 <small>EA</small>	Year 5 <small>MB</small>	Year 6 <small>EH</small>
Matteo		Filippo			



Spring 2023

# KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA FAMILY INFORMATION SERVICE

Spring Edition Newsletter

## SUPPORT AT CHILDREN'S CENTRES AND FAMILY HUBS

Children's Centres and Family Hubs support parents/ carers and their children including those caring for children including grandparents. Friendly, experienced and qualified staff on hand to assist you with making choices and using services.

These are great places for families and communities that can provide information on finding local services such as childcare, early education and healthcare, as well as advice on jobs and training. Many run stay and play sessions, where trained professionals will be on hand to help you support your child's development.

For more information, click [here](#) or scan the QR code below.



## EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES: DISCOVERY DAYS

The LookOut Discovery Centre in Hyde Park host free Discovery Days on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays during the school holidays. Take part in a range of exciting, nature inspired activities for families. You could be pond dipping, helping your children discover an underwater world, sweep netting in the meadow or bug hunting at the minibeast hotel. No booking necessary; visitors are welcomed on a first-come-first-served basis. [Click here](#) or scan the QR code for more information





# EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES: THE HAF PROGRAMME



**Running from 3rd April until 14th April, we have over 60 local organisations across the Bi-Borough offering free activities and free, healthy meals to children and young people aged 4-16 years, who are eligible for means-tested Free School Meals.**

**Activities are available for a minimum of 4 hours per day and include sports camps, arts & crafts, dance, sewing, adventure play, gardening, cooking, nature skills, and offsite trips.**

**Families can choose the best provision to meet their needs. There are also activities for those with special educational needs and disabilities. Click [here](#) to see what activities are available, and to book a place**

**OUR CITY**

## ENJOY ACTIVE FUN THIS Spring

**FREE ACTIVITIES AND HEALTHY FOOD FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE**  
SPRING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2023

Department for Education  
Westminster and Chelsea  
City of Westminster

This Spring it's more important than ever that young people in Westminster and Kensington & Chelsea, have somewhere to go for fun activities and a free healthy meal.

Whether you like sports, arts & crafts, or cooking, there's something for all children and young people to enjoy! There are also activities for those with special educational needs and/or disabilities, so everyone can join the fun.

Don't delay - register for fun and healthy activities today!

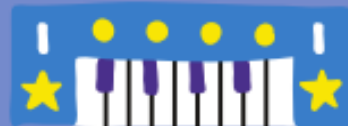
Free places & free food for children and young people eligible for Free School Meals

VISIT THE OUR CITY WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER:  
[ourcity.org.uk/haf-programme](http://ourcity.org.uk/haf-programme)

SCAN ME



# LIBRARY ACTIVITIES



Did you know that Kensington and Chelsea libraries provide lots of free activities for children and their families. Here are some of the activities on offer.

## BABY RHYME TIME

Join us to sing along to your favourite songs, rhymes and stories. Sessions are aimed especially at children under the age of five and their parents/carers.

## STORY AND CRAFT TIME



Come along to the library to hear a story and create a fun craft based on the book. This event is suitable for children of all ages.

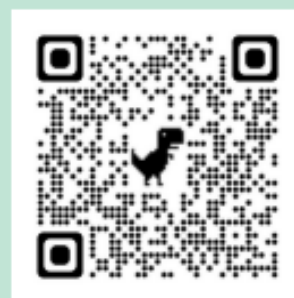
## HOMEWORK CLUB

Need some help with your homework? Library staff can help children with any homework they have and provide them with extra activities to help with their learning.

## LEGO CLUB

A chance to play, build and create your own Lego masterpieces. This event is suitable for children aged 4 to 11 years old.

For a full range of things to do and information on when they are taking place, [click here](#) or scan the QR code





# FREE EARLY EDUCATION AND CHILDCARE



SCAN HERE FOR MORE  
INFORMATION

**15 AND 30 HOURS FREE EARLY  
LEARNING AND CHILDCARE  
FOR 3- AND 4-YEAR-OLDS:**

ALL 3- AND 4-YEAR-OLD CHILDREN  
ARE ENTITLED TO A FREE  
UNIVERSAL EARLY EDUCATION  
PLACE. EACH PLACE PROVIDES 15  
HOURS OF EARLY YEARS  
EDUCATION FOR UP TO 38 WEEKS  
PER YEAR.

CHILDREN IN SOME WORKING  
FAMILIES COULD ALSO BE  
ENTITLED TO AN ADDITIONAL 15  
HOURS OF FREE CHILDCARE,  
OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE '30  
HOURS CHILDCARE OR EXTENDED  
ENTITLEMENT'.

CLICK ON THE LINKS TO FIND OUT  
MORE: [15 HOURS](#), [30 HOURS](#).



**15 HOURS FREE EARLY LEARNING  
AND CHILDCARE FOR ELIGIBLE 2-  
YEAR-OLDS:**

IF YOU ARE ON A LOW INCOME OR  
CLAIMING INCOME-BASED BENEFITS,  
OR IF YOUR 2- YEAR-OLD HAS  
ADDITIONAL NEEDS, YOU MAY BE  
ENTITLED TO CLAIM 15 HOURS OF  
FREE EARLY EDUCATION AND  
CHILDCARE PER WEEK.

THIS ENTITLEMENT COULD BE  
ACCESSED AT A NURSERY OR WITH A  
REGISTERED CHILDMINDER. DON'T MISS  
OUT! THIS OPPORTUNITY WOULD  
ENABLE YOUR 2-YEAR-OLD CHILD TO  
RECEIVE HIGH QUALITY EARLY  
EDUCATION WHICH COULD HELP THEM  
TO DEVELOP EMOTIONAL RESILIENCE  
AND IMPORTANT SOCIAL,  
COMMUNICATION SKILLS.

FIND OUT MORE [HERE](#).

## TAX-FREE CHILDCARE

SOME WORKING FAMILIES MAY ALSO  
RECEIVE AN EXTRA £2 FOR EVERY £8  
PAID INTO AN ONLINE ACCOUNT  
TOWARDS CHILDCARE COSTS, UP TO  
£2,000 PER CHILD PER YEAR (THIS  
MAY BE HIGHER FOR CHILDREN WITH  
SEND).

CONTACT US FOR MORE  
INFORMATION, OR VISIT:  
[TAX-FREE CHILDCARE | KENSINGTON  
AND CHELSEA \(RBKC.GOV.UK\)](#).





# INFORMATION AND WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

## EARLY BIRD PLUS PROGRAMME - TRESHAM CENTRE FOR DISABLED CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The Early Bird Plus Programme is a three-month programme for Parents/Carers of young children (4-9yrs) with an autism spectrum disorder and for the professionals supporting them. It aims to

- empower parents/carers
- help parents/carers to learn about and understand autism
- help parents/carers to learn and understand their child's behaviours
- help parents pre-empt problem behaviours and handle those that do occur

The programme involves 8 group sessions and 2 home visits. This programme does not replace our traditional pre-school programme but offers support for families who receive a later diagnosis. Each group session lasts two and a half hours and a different topic is discussed each week.

Please click [here](#) or scan the QR code for more information.



## BI-BOROUGH COMMUNICATION HUB

The Bi-Borough Communication Hub is an online speech and language resource offering parental advice and professional training to advance children's speech development in the London boroughs of Westminster and Kensington and Chelsea.

Our Resource Hub is full of free information and advice to support speech development in children and young people. It contains resources for parents/carers seeking help to support their child's development as well as the latest guidance for professionals looking to expand their knowledge. Please click [here](#) or scan the QR code for more information.



# CHILDHOOD IMMUNISATIONS

## WHY CHILDHOOD IMMUNISATION IS IMPORTANT

Young babies are very vulnerable to infections, immunisations can help their bodies fight any future serious infections.

Your child needs several different vaccines to be fully protected, so it's important to complete their childhood immunisation programme.

Visit the link below or scan the code to find out more

[Immunisations and Vaccinations ::  
North West London ICS  
\(nwlondonics.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nwlondonics.nhs.uk)



## ENGLISH CLASSES



Do you already know the basics of English conversation? Interested in improving and gaining confidence in your English conversation skills?

Then come along to this free weekly class at Chelsea Library with an expert teacher who's on hand to help.

Every Monday, 10:00am - 11:00am at Chelsea Library, SW3 5EZ

[Click here](#) or scan the QR code to book your spot



## FACES - FAMILY AND COMMUNITIES EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

FACES offers professional and friendly one-to-one support to help you into work, training or education. Registered users will receive the following support:

- a team of coaches committed to helping residents find work and develop skills
- help dealing with barriers to work, such as childcare, housing or benefit advice
- training and work experience opportunities to build confidence and readiness for work

For more information click [here](#) or contact [faces@westminster.gov.uk](mailto:faces@westminster.gov.uk)

## VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES IN KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

Volunteering can be a great opportunity to meet others and learn something new while doing something meaningful. Kensington and Chelsea Volunteer Centre provide lots of information about how to get into volunteering as well as opportunities that are available locally.

Click [here](#) or scan the QR code to find out more



Contact the KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA FAMILY INFORMATION SERVICE:

Tel: 07814 804262 / Email: [fis@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:fis@rbkc.gov.uk)

or visit: <https://www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis>



For more information or if you have any queries, contact:  
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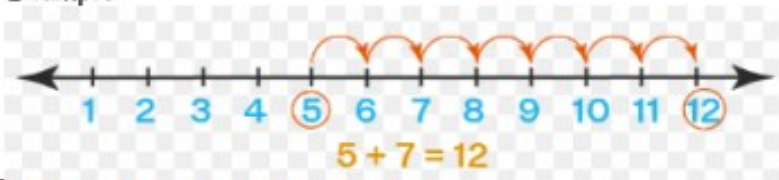







Friday 24th March 2023

Learning in Reception at Holy Trinity

Alphabet Code	<p>This week we reviewed the following sounds: /ar/, /or/, /ur/</p> <p>/ar/- start the car /or/- shut the door /ur/- a nurse with a purse</p>
Tricky words	Please continue to go through the tricky words in their tricky words book. Thank you
Literacy	<p>This week's story focus was 'The Great Race'. The children learnt the story of the Chinese zodiac animals. They discovered which animal they were (either a rooster or a dog) depending on the year they were born. They used adjectives to describe their animal and they took part in a fun race outside in the playground!</p>
Maths	<p>In Maths, we focused on addition using a number line.</p> <p>Example:</p> 
History	<p>Our display 'Toys from the Past'</p> 

Have a lovely weekend,

Miss Martin





Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 1

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2023

This week in maths, we looked at numbers to 50. We did lots of revision of place value, talking about how many tens and ones there are in a number. We then used this understanding to talk about what happens when we count in ones, compared to counting in tens. We finished the week by comparing numbers, using ten frames to describe how we know if a number is bigger or smaller than another.

In RE we looked at Good Friday, what happened that day and why it is called 'good'. We spoke about the huge sacrifice Jesus made for Christians and why he had to die. We then created some beautiful artwork showing the dramatic change in the sky the moment Jesus passed, with the silhouette of the three crosses in the background.

In alphabet code we looked at the /w/ sound. We found there were two ways of writing it, /w/ as in **w**in and /wh/ as in **wh**at.

Our artistic talents were also used in Forest School this week. We used the forest to create some beautiful pictures of our favourite animal, plant or part of the forest. We carefully chose twigs to make a frame and then used leaves, bark and whatever else we could find to create our art. To finish, we came together as a group and made one big picture showing the whole forest.



**Reminders:**

- **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March** - 10am Easter Assembly in Holy Trinity Church
- **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March** - Forest School (Year 1 to leave straight after their performance)
- **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March** - Last day of term, 1:30pm finish. **No after school clubs.**

What a great week Year One! Have a wonderful weekend! 😊



Holy Trinity Amazon Wishlist



Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 2  
Friday 24th March 2023

This week we have so enjoyed publishing our inspired 'Flotsam' stories! We read these so proudly during our Special Mentions assembly this afternoon. We used the original story to plan, write and publish our own alternative endings! These are full of interesting underwater worlds! We will send a photocopy home so you can enjoy them together.

This week's homework continues to practice our spelling and grammar rules. We have been working hard to edit our own writing and spotting our beautiful mistakes, these help us learn.

In our maths learning, we are working hard to use a number line and part part whole model to solve inverse operation problems. We have been using our number facts to find missing values. This involves using opposite operation to find a missing value.

In Art, we focussed on Monet's use of light and reflection in water. We were inspired by his 'Impressions, Sunrise' and worked hard to layer our brush strokes to create depth and a range of perspective.

In RE, we began our preparation for our Easter Assembly next week. If you are free please join us on Wednesday at 10 am. We will be focussing Jesus's last supper. We wrote a detailed recount following our beautiful trip to St Pauls Cathedral- a big thank you to our parent volunteers.

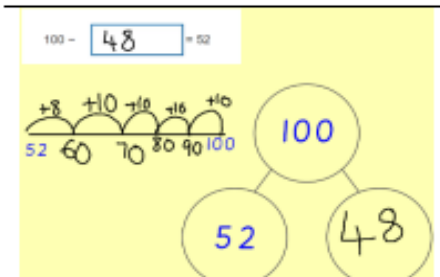
In PE, we are developing our bating and fielding skills through the game of Cricket.

A big well done to our wonderful music performer, you were so wonderful!

Have a lovely weekend!

**Reminders:**

There are some class requests on our Amazon Wishlist :)  
Easter Assembly Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March  
Early Finish Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March- End of term 1.30 finish  
Friday



Holy Trinity Amazon Wishlist

'A wish from year 2'







## Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 3

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2023

This week in English, we generated expanded noun phrases, adverbs and rhyming verbs to describe the creatures from 'The Black Hat.' We then used these words and phrases in our own retelling of the magical event witnessed by the boy in the story. Next, we designed our own creature and we thought carefully about the features and movements of it. Next week, we will be including our made-up creature in our own writing.

In Maths, we continued learning about fractions. This week, we have focused on non-unit fractions (when the numerator is larger than 1), counting in fractions and finding the whole.

Mrs. Verity is counting in thirds.

$\frac{1}{3}$	
$\frac{2}{3}$	
$\frac{3}{3}$	
$\frac{4}{3}$	

I don't think you can have 4 thirds.

What would come next?

The whole one is still made up of 3, so we are still counting in thirds. This is called an improper fraction.

$1\frac{1}{3}$

In RE, we recapped the key events of the Easter Story and we thought about what we can learn from each important person. We then wrote about who we think the most important person in the Easter Story is and why.

In Geography, we continued learning about climate zones. This week we used atlases to help us identify which climate zones different countries are in.

### Reminders:

Easter Assembly – Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 10am

School finishes at 1:30 on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March



Have a wonderful weekend 😊



Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 4

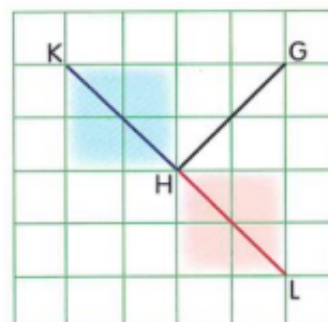
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### Highlights of this week include:

#### Maths

This week Year 4:

- Identified and marked angles on 2D and 3D shapes.
- Associated the number of sides with the number of angles in geometric shapes.
- Recognised if an angle is bigger or smaller than a right angle.
- Learnt the symbol for perpendicular lines and practised drawing these lines.



#### English

During English this week, Year 4 produced instructional texts 'How to build a robot' which involved the children writing a set of instructions. We considered how information texts are presented such as the use of a passive voice, imperative (bossy) verbs, adverbs and technical vocabulary. It was a great exercise in writing clearly and concisely and taking a formal (impersonal) tone.

#### Science

This week in Science, we were joined by Ms Edgeworth for our latest lesson in our States of Matter unit. This involved looking at the 3 states that water can take and the processes that change one state to another. We started with the whole class together and children were given a list of questions and answer cards which they had to match up. The class then split into two groups (split between Ms James and Ms Edgeworth) with one group in the outside classroom to observe the processes of evaporation, condensation and melting. We also observed how these processes are reversible. The theory of these processes was presented in the classroom. The two groups then swapped locations.

Have a lovely weekend!





Learning in Year 5 at Holy Trinity  
24<sup>th</sup> March 2023

In English, we analysed a good piece of writing to find the language features we have been learning about including brackets, relative clauses, meaning words, expanded noun phrases and modal verbs. We also discussed the features of a non-fiction text such as a title, headings and paragraphs. We then combined all of this knowledge together in our final piece of writing.

In Maths, we have been whizzing our way through percentages! We learnt that 'percent' means out of 100, which is another way of writing a fraction. Then we found the equivalence between percentages, fractions and decimals, and have been committing to memory some important percentages -  $25\% = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $60\% = \frac{3}{5}$  and  $75\% = \frac{3}{4}$ .

Fractions	Decimals	Diagram	Out of 100	Percentages
1/10	0.1		10/100	10%
2/10	0.2		20/100	20%
3/10	0.3		30/100	30%
4/10	0.4		40/100	40%
5/10	0.5		50/100	50%

In Science, we have been learning about the movement of the moon and Earth and how this causes day and night. We extended our knowledge this week to learning about time zones, so when it is 12:00pm in London it is 8:00am in New York, 4:00pm in Dubai and 11:00pm in Sydney.

In RE, we finally reached Easter Sunday on our exploration of Holy Week! We learnt about the resurrection of Jesus and examined evidence both for and against it. We held a respectful debate over what we believe and each of us drew our own conclusions.

In Geography we started looking at maps of Dorset. Next week we are going to add physical and natural features to our maps.

In Computing, we designed a doorbell! We also designed the circuit diagram we will need to run it and began to code the program we need to make it work. Next week, we will give our program a try!

**Reminders:**

- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 9:00am - Osmington Bay meeting.  
Please inform me, as soon as possible, if you cannot make this meeting.
- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April - Trip to Westminster Abbey.  
In order to make this trip possible, we need at least two parent volunteers. Please let Ms Walden know if you are available.
- Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 9:00am - Year 5 Class meeting

Have a great weekend,  
Miss Harman



Holy Trinity Amazon Wishlist  
Support our classroom  
learning 😊



## **Learning in Year 6 at Holy Trinity**

**24<sup>th</sup> March 2023**

Year 6 have not had the week they were expecting as poor Ms. Moros has been feeling very unwell. They have had lots of different teachers and cooed brilliantly. Their visiting teacher Ms Flockton who taught them yesterday said what a wonderful day she had had. She said have carried on with all their learning with maturity and a positive spirit - well done Year 6.

Here is a run through some of their key learning:

In English, students continued learning about effective dialogue. We analyzed a piece of text with dialogue and thought of ways to improve it, making it more interesting for the reader. We changed the dialogue, described how the characters spoke using adverbials and added exciting action in-between.

Year 6 followed the clues to find rectangle and squares using all four quadrants and developed their understanding of grids with negative numbers and use language such as 'vertex' and 'axis' accurately. Children learnt from each other and were encouraged to share answers and strategies for conquering coordinates.

During Shepherds and Sheep, children worked together to order numbers by creating sequential numerical paper chains from Reception's book, The Great Race, which featured characters from the Chinese Zodiac - Shepherds guided sheep with cutting and sticking, helping Reception to practise their fine motor skills whilst also doing Maths!