



Christ Church School Newsletter 10th March 2023

If you would like an item included in the Newsletter, which is also published on the website (www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk) - please email it to: krose@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk

VISITORS, COMMUNITY EVENTS & CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT

Tuesday 14th March	Y5	Trip to the Gurdwara
Tuesday 14th March	Y6	Trip to the Natural History Museum 12.30-3.30pm
Wednesday 15th March	YR & Y1	Trip to St. Luke's Church
Friday 17th March	Whole School	Comic Relief
Friday 17th March	Y2	Trip to St. Paul's Cathedral

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Reception Class:

Avaline & Xander

Year 1:

Anna & Win

Year 2:

Petros & Artemis

Year 3:

Whole Class

Year 4:

Teddy & Thomas

Year 5:

Chloe & Elmer

Year 6:

Kai & Nia

Dates for your Diary

M	Monday 20th March—Friday 24th March—Sports Week— postponed
A	Monday 20th March—Y1 Trip to Linley Sambourne House
R	Friday 24th March—Y6 Trip to Buddhist Temple, Wimbledon
C	Tuesday 28th March—Y5 Secondary Transfer Meeting 9-10am
H	Wednesday 29th March—Easter Assembly 2.30pm
	Friday 31st March—End of Term 1.30pm



Federation Instagram

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

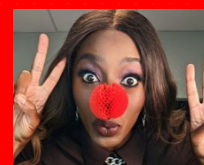
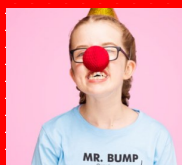
School Kitchen

Instagram

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



COMIC RELIEF'S RED NOSE DAY



It's Comic Relief's Red Nose Day on Friday 17th March. On this day, children can come to school wearing red for a donation of £1. We will also be holding joke competitions in class, children can enter a joke into the competition for an additional £1 donation.

Winners will receive a prize and their joke will be featured on the school website. Donations can be made on the School Gateway.

We will also be holding cake sales after school on the piazza. Proceeds will go to the Comic Relief charity. Please could you bring in cakes and cupcakes for a classic, comic relief cake sale after school to raise as much money as we can.

Don't forget you will be able to buy your red noses from the school office. Red noses are £2.50 - cash only..... Red noses sell out very fast, so be quick, When they are gone, they are gone!

<https://www.comicrelief.com/>

Year 1 Forest School



Attendance Week Beginning 27 th February			
Class	% Attendance	Unauthorised	Number of lates
YR	98	0	0
Y1	94	0	0
Y2	99	0	0
Y3	100	0	1
Y4	97	0	2
Y5	97	0	6
Y6	98	0	0

Mrs Wordsmith is a team of artists, game designers, writers, data scientists, teachers, and researchers. The company was founded in 2015 by Sofia Fenichell, a mother and writer with a simple vision: to create educational content that works.

Their aim is to improve the reading and writing outcomes of children aged 4 - 11, and to make word learning hilariously fun both at school and at home.

One strand of this is to have focused words to help build their vocabulary. In order to make this achievable, but also impactful, we will have a focused word of the week for each class. Children will be challenged to use it in their writing and where appropriate, when speaking. The weekly words will be published in the newsletter.

Reception	commotion
Year 1	devastating
Year 2	havoc
Year 3	rebellious
Year 4	turbulent
Year 5	unruly
Year 6	mayhem

amazon
wishlist

Amazon Wish List

Thank you to everyone who has purchased something for our school from our Amazon Wish List!

If you would like to purchase something on our behalf, please visit:

<https://amzn.eu./8EJTD8E>

If you find something you would like to purchase – just add it to your basket and follow the same procedures as if 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 the 22nd of April Mrs A is taking part in the Muddy Dog Challenge along with her dog Bailey. A 5k course full of muddy obstacles. Please sponsor her and Bailey and help raise money for Battersea Dogs and Cats home. Follow the link below to donate.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/colourfulcollies>



BATTERSEA

BATTERSEA DOGS & CATS HOME

Registered charity in England and
Wales no. 206394



STAY UP TO DATE WITH BATTERSEA

Sign up for Battersea email updates
featuring news, events, fundraising
and supporter information.



Please bring some spring uplift and Easter readiness for some of our community families, by helping Kensington and Chelsea Foodbank replenish their larders. Dependence on their help has been huge and stores are depleted. They need supplies or donations:

Tinned meats and fish that may be eaten cold – corned beef; chicken breast; (no pork please); tuna; mackerel

Many varieties of pasta sauce (again, not with ham, please)

All varieties of tinned vegetables

Cup-a-soups & tinned soup

Sunflower and Olive oil

Long-life Juices and Milks – including dairy-free

Tea Coffee Sugar

Toilet Paper and Sanitary products (pads preferred)

Personal toiletry products (deodorants; toothpaste/brushes; shampoo; shower gel; shaving materials)

At present no clothes are required, thank you.

Your gifts can be taken to Holy Trinity Church from Wednesday 1 March to Sunday 5th March after Eucharist Service (12.30).

You may prefer to make a financial donation when you can't help to fill the larder for K&CFB. Add HTSS in your reference so they know it comes from us.

Bank details: Kensington and Chelsea Foodbank

postal address: 240 Lancaster Road W11 4AH

sort code 60-83-01

acct number: 20442606 or

Just Giving Web Link <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/kensingtonandchelseafoodbank> (site includes access to gift-aid)

As always many thanks for your help and support to our community

Check out our schedule on the back...

Casita Yoga Battersea

SCAN QR CODE FOR
OUR INTRO OFFER
2 CLASS FOR £20!



Casita Yoga Battersea offers yoga and wellbeing practices with a commitment to being inclusive and accessible to all.

Ethelburga Community Centre
60 Worfield Street
SW11 4RA

Katherine Low Settlement
108 Battersea High Street
London SW11 3HP


www.casitayogabattersea.com
info@casitayogabattersea.com
EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

Ethelburga Community Centre 60 Worfield Street SW11 4RA		<h1>Schedule</h1> <p>Please always check our schedule online before booking</p>				Katherine Low Settlement 108 Battersea High Street London SW11 3HP
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
07:30 - 08:30 HATHA	07:30 - 08:30 HATHA	07:00 - 08:00 HATHA	07:00 - 08:00 HATHA	07:30 - 08:30 HATHA	08:00 - 09:15 HATHA	08:45 - 09:45 HATHA
	09:30 - 10:45 GENTLE		09:00 - 10:00 PILATES	10:30 - 11:45 GENTLE	09:30 - 10:30 BACK TO BASICS (Beginners)	10:00 - 11:00 SUNDAY YIN
12:30 - 13:45 YIN & GENTLE		12:30 - 13:30 DYNAMIC	10:30 - 11:45 GENTLE			
18:30 - 19:30 HATHA	18:30 - 19:30 CORE & STRENGTH	18:30 - 19:45 HATHA	18:30 - 19:45 GENTLE HATHA	18:15 - 19:15 FUNKY FLOW	WORKSHOPS	18:00 - 19:15 HATHA
19:45 - 20:45 YIN & RESTORATIVE	19:45 - 20:45 YIN & STRETCH					19:30 - 20:45 YIN & RESTORATIVE


Microbiota - Gut - Brain Axis

Probiotic interventions and perceptual, emotional and cognitive decision making for food choices through improved gut bacteria diversity


Interested to know how probiotic foods affect your memory, stress, anxiety, depression and food choices?



EST 1892



European Union
European Regional Development Fund



latic.co.uk

Recruiting now!

Email Adri Bester bestera@lsbu.ac.uk
 Susanne MacGregor macgregs@lsbu.ac.uk



Recommended Read



Mummy Time (ages 4-6 & up)

Author: Monique James-Duncan **Illustrator:** Ebony Glenn **Publisher:** Walker Books



This warm and joyful picture book charts a day in the life of a stay-at-home mother and her two energetic children. When morning time arrives, a day of marvellous mummy time begins for the youngest boy sibling (and a lot of busyness for mummy).

Written through the eyes of the little boy, it captures both the precious and - at times chaotic - moments of the everyday routine. From morning wake-up call and getting ready, dropping big sister off at school, stops at the library, supermarket and more, mummy time is the best of times for the little boy.

The rhythmic and pacy text is great for reading aloud and gives a real sense of both the happy haze of the children's world, as well as the tiring but loving work involved in busy motherhood. The yellow colour palette captures the warmth of everyday bonding moments between mother and children. We particularly love the subtle details in the mother's facial expressions which parents will be



Weekly Headlines



Most Accurate	Fastest	Most Active	Rank Amongst Local schools
Year 6 TM	Year 3 MQ	Year 3 MQ	21

Individual Class Leaderboards

Holy Trinity

Year 2 ZP	Year 3 MQ	Year 4 AJ	Year 5 CH	Year 6 TM
Moritz	Mohammed		Hugo	Christelle

Christ Church

Year 2 EH	Year 3 NK	Year 4 EA	Year 5 MB	Year 6 EH
Sofia	Alexander	Agatha	Chloe	Louis



Weekly Headlines



Holy Trinity

Year 1 JD	Year 2 ZP	Year 3 MQ	Year 4 AJ	Year 5 CH	Year 6 TM
Margot	Max				

Christ Church

Year 1 OD	Year 2 EH	Year 3 NK	Year 4 EA	Year 5 MB	Year 6 EH
Matteo	Rowan	Filippo	Hero		

**Is your child
under 5?**



Learn, make friends and play!

Whether it is at a nursery, at a pre-school or with a childminder, your child could enjoy the benefits of funded early education and childcare.

★ 30 hours free early education and childcare for eligible 3- and 4-year-olds!

Some working families can now get an extra 15 hours free early education and childcare.

For information about eligibility, how to apply, and details of where your child could access their free place, please contact us.

★ Tax-Free Childcare

Some working families may also receive an extra £2 towards childcare costs (up to £4 for children with additional needs) for every £8 paid into an online account, up to £2,000 per child per year. Contact us for more information.



Kensington and Chelsea Family Information Service (FIS):
Email: Bi-boroughChildCareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk
Tel: 07814 804262, or visit: www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis



**Is your child
under 5?**



Learn, make friends and play!

Have you heard about the free early education and childcare entitlements?

★ 15 hours free early education and childcare for 2-year-olds

If you are in receipt of certain benefits, your 2-year old might be eligible for 15 hours of free early education and childcare per week. Contact us for full details.

★ 15 hours free early education and childcare for ALL 3- and 4-year-olds

ALL 3- and 4-year-olds can claim 15 hours free early education and childcare. Contact us for a list of local nurseries and childminders where your child can use these hours.



Kensington and Chelsea Family Information Service (FIS):
Email: Bi-boroughChildCareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk
Tel: 07814 804262, or visit: www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis



Kensington and Chelsea Family Information Service

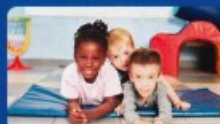
A free, confidential and impartial information, advice and signposting service for children and young people 0 - 19 (or up to 25 for those with additional needs), their families, and the professionals who work with them.

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



The Kensington and Chelsea Family Information Service (FIS) also provides information about:



Early years providers and funded early education and childcare for 2, 3 and 4-year-olds (including the 15hrs and 30hrs funded places)



Local schools and how to apply for a place. Educational and other options for post-16 and adult students



Training, apprenticeships, employment and volunteering opportunities in the area for young people and parents



Parenting and information about health, wellbeing, and social care services and organisations in the area



Referrals, training and other useful information for professionals. Our FIS directory is home to an Early Years hub for practitioners
...and much more!

For more information, contact us:
Tel: 07814 804262
Visit: www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis
Email: fis@rbkc.gov.uk / For the Early Years:
Bi-BoroughChildcareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk



For more information, contact us:
Tel: 07814 804262
Visit: www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis
Email: fis@rbkc.gov.uk / For the Early Years:
Bi-BoroughChildcareEarlyEd@rbkc.gov.uk



Chelsea Community Fridge

New Day

FREE, fresh, surplus food every Thursday at FRIDGE THURSDAYS!

Thursdays 2pm-3pm
Chelsea Methodist Church
SW3 5TX

New Time

Partnering in response to the Cost of Living Crisis

Chelsea Methodist Church

THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

No referral needed - just turn up.
Entrance next to 33 Chelsea Manor Street
chelseacommunityfridge@gmail.com
Tel: 020 7352 9305 + option 2

Charity reg. no. 1140225

Transforming Lives
CHELSEA & FULHAM METHODIST CHURCH

FAITH • HOPE • LOVE
PASSION • COMMUNITY

EARLS COURT COMMUNITY Champions MATERNITY Champions

response Community Projects Earls Court

Earls Court BABY BANK

Free Baby and children's clothes, nappies, food and other items for those who need it most

Every Wednesday 9am - 11am

& Every Saturday 2pm - 4pm

Response Community Project
300 OLD BROMPTON RD,
LONDON SW5 9JF

Stay & Play!

Wednesday 9.15am - 10.45 am

For more information please call
Lenny on 07557 237697
email: leonora.ghazal@smartlondon.org.uk

Logos: SMART, karma bank, EARLS COURT COMMUNITY, response community projects, LONDON BOROUGH OF KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA, KENYON COMMUNITY CENTRE, KENYON COMMUNITY CENTRE, KENYON COMMUNITY CENTRE

Childcare Vouchers accepted & Half Day options available. BE QUICK TO BOOK!

Inspired by the new movie musical 'MATILDA' Easter Camps!

Ofsted Registered

Age 5-11 Yrs

Working towards a professionally filmed final performance

Monday 3rd - Thursday 6th April
Full Days: 9am - 3.20pm
Half Days: 9am - 1pm (1.30pm finish on the final day)

*Please note that we only allocate a certain amount of half days slots, book early to guarantee these.

FULHAM: St Johns Walham Green Primary School, Munster Rd, SW6 6AS
RICHMOND: Christs School, Queens Rd, TW10 6HW

Our camps are a great opportunity for children to have fun and build in confidence through singing, drama and dance. We pride ourselves on our small group sizes, allowing every child the chance to shine and be heard. Our videographer comes along on the final day to film the children performing their scenes and songs with props, costumes and excitement. Our caring team of tutors provide exceptional tuition, ensuring everyone is cared for whilst keeping in line with the latest government guidance. Props and costumes are provided by us, children just need to bring a nut free packed lunch for each day of the camp with some snacks and water.

LittleVoices
Drama & Singing Lessons of Distinction

To apply contact:
Email: swl@littlevoices.org.uk
Call: 0208 088 0113
www.littlevoices.org.uk

£10 off for Little Voices Pupils!

Full Day Camp: £240. Half Day Camp: £200. (Childcare vouchers accepted & Sibling Discount)

*Terms and conditions apply. You must apply via our application form to book onto a Little Voices camp. Please wait for Little Voices to contact you to confirm a place. If a child comes down with COVID 19 and cannot attend our camp we will offer a credit for the future or will offer a credit for the days they can no longer attend. Anyone displaying coronavirus symptoms will be required not to come to our camp until they have met the self-isolation or testing requirements. All Little Voices tutors are fully enhanced DBS checked and hold Level 3 First Aid and Paediatric Training. Places may vary. Subject to application and consent for your child to be filmed for the final performance.

FIRST CLASS LEARNING
Maths and English tuition

FUNSTUDY AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

AT HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL EVERY MONDAY

FIRST CLASS LEARNING
Maths and English tuition

MATHS AND ENGLISH

I COUNT.

FUNSTUDY CLUB AT FCL CHELSEA

Holy Trinity C of E Primary School
Sedding St, London, SW1X 9DE

BRAND NEW after school club at Holy Trinity School

- Drop-in centre for children of all ages
- Safe and fun environment
- Homework help
- £10 per child, per hour

OPENING TIMES
Monday 3.30pm to 6pm

CALL ERIC VAN MULLEN ON

07896 307 123

firstclasslearning.co.uk/icount
chelsea@firstclasslearning.co.uk



Friday 10th March

Reception Class Newsletter

This week we:

- Revisited the sounds /ss/ (kiss), /ai/ (rain) and /ll/ (full) in our Alphabet Code lessons.
- Used mathematical language to compare objects by their height and length. We found objects around the school which were taller or shorter than us. We painted our hands and compared who had the longest and shortest fingers. We also ordered the class by height.
- Read *The Magic Paintbrush* by Julia Donaldson. We wrote an extended sentence about what we would paint with a magic paintbrush and explained our reasoning. We painted beautiful water colour pictures to match our sentences.
- Had a visit Clare Luther, the author of the *Head 2 Heart* series. She read one of her stories and spoke to us about being an author.
- Read *Dogger* by Shirley Hughes. We discussed the role of the toy maker and the process of making toys by hand. We compared it to the modern process of mass producing toys in a factory. The difficulty and skill involved in making an old-fashioned toy means that we treasure them, perhaps more so than a new toy. People often pass them down to their children as an heirloom. We pretended to step back in time and designed our own soft toys. Next week, we will make them using socks. **Please bring in one full-sized sock (no trainer socks!) on MONDAY.** Please bring in a sock which is plain and preferably in keeping with an old-fashioned material. Thank you 😊
- Discussed the importance of saying sorry in our R.E. lesson. Christians believe that God loves us and will forgive us if we apologise for our mistakes.

Next week, we will:

- Explore mass and capacity in Maths.
- Visit St. Luke's Church with Y1.

Well done, Reception Class 😊



Learning at Christ Church in Year 1

Friday 10th March 2023

In Maths, we have been looking at numbers to 50. We have been counting forwards and backwards to 50.

In English this week we have started our new topic on 'The Clock Tower', we were introduced to a little girl who lives in a clock tower and then suddenly something very strange happens. We thought about how the little girl would feel to live in the tower.

In Art, we researched the life and work of the French artist Paul Cezanne. We watched some videos, studied some painting and read some key information before creating a fact file.

In History this week, we began our new topic looking at how food has changed throughout time. We thought about how we can use a chronological timeline to place events in order from the oldest to newest and we also thought about what artefacts are.

In RE, we have been thinking about important and special meals we have had. We then learnt about The Last Supper and how important it is. We thought about how Jesus might of felt during that time when he found out that one of his Disciples had betrayed him.

Key words

English:

feelings
theatre
question mark
question word
question
letter

Maths:

subtract
part-part-whole
take away
numberline
minus
less

A great week in Year One!

Have a restful weekend!

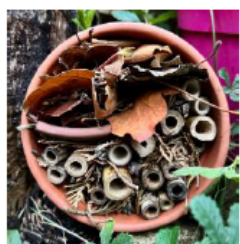


Learning in Year 2 at Christ Church

This week in Year 2 in Maths, we have been reading, drawing and interpreting information from pictograms and talking about how useful they can be to clearly present information. Year 2 have shown that they have excellent data presentation and analysis skills and have done very well to present their information clearly and accurately on a range of different topics.

In English, we have rounded off our exploration of the wonderfully imaginative "ocean meets Sky" book by the Fan brothers. The children came up with lots of questions for the main character, Finn which allowed us to think carefully about which questions words we needed to find particular types of information (such as using **when** to ask about timings and **how** to ask for descriptions) as well as showing off their beautifully formed question marks. We finished this topic by reflecting on what we had enjoyed about the text - a good thing to keep doing in your reading records as you reflect on all that you have read at home through the week!

Elsewhere, we've been thinking about how we stay clean in Science as part of our topic on looking after our bodies, thinking about how we can create music using computers in Computing, focusing in on key parts of the Easter Story in RE including the last supper, we have been recapping and building on our knowledge of numbers and days of the week in Spanish and having lots of fun outdoors...



This week we went to the garden to plant some sweet pea seeds. We have brought them into our classroom so that they are safe from the frost and keeping nice and cosy on our windowsill ready for them to germinate soon. We look forward to planting them out once they are ready in our eco-friendly cardboard tubes! We also had a wonderful time on our trip on Tuesday exploring all the different animal habitats at Chelsea Physic Garden, including a look in the compost heaps, the ponds and then creating our own micro-habitat for insects with a flower pot bug hotel (like the one pictured)! Ask your child all about what creatures they saw and where they lived!

Coming up:

Friday 17th March - Trip to St Paul's Cathedral (sign up for helpers is now full!)










Learning in Year 3 at Christ Church

Friday 10th March 2023

Year 3 made a brilliant start to their latest English unit this week. Throughout the week, we've brainstormed appropriate adverbs and adjectives to describe a little boy's journey through a forest – as well as describing the creatures he meets when he discovers a magical black hat. Every member of the class has been able to work towards their individual writing targets so we should see lots of head teacher awards next week!

As well as making great progress in English, Year 3 have been keen mathematicians this week as they started their fraction topic. They were introduced to some key vocabulary like *denominator*, *numerator* and *vinculum*.

Can they label the fraction below with these words? What do they mean?

		1 
Half of an Orange	Half of a Circle	
		— 
Glass half full	Half of the watermelon	2 

Together, we have also explored the Easter Story in more detail – considering Peter's denial and having further discussion about the relationship between Jesus and his disciples. In Art, we've used the Repper App to create repeating patterns with contrasting colours and motifs. We are even hoping to design notepads using our patterns to fundraise some money for our school! <https://repper.app/>

Next week, we will be reviewing handwriting with the hope to hand round more pen licences! Please encourage your child to use their very best cursive handwriting to complete their homework to work towards this goal.

Best wishes for a happy weekend,
Miss Kennedy



Learning in Year 4

Friday 10th March

This week in English, Year Four started a new unit based on an animated film called 'The Girl and the Robot'. We made predictions about what the film could be about based solely on the title. Then, we worked collaboratively to ask interesting questions about the film and the main characters. We have been using exciting synonyms to describe the girl's emotions at different points in the film. For example, when the robot breaks, the girl felt 'dismayed and crestfallen' because she had worked hard to build her creation.

In Maths, we have been adding and subtracting fractions. Before we could add or subtract, we needed to find a common denominator for the two fractions. We did this by listing factors for both denominators. We also used a bar-model to help us subtract two related models.

In History, we learnt about the hierarchical ruling system of Ancient Egypt and the different jobs people had, including the roles of: pharaoh, priest, craftspeople, scribe, physician, vizier, slave, farmer. We then ranked these in order of their higher status in society. In Science, we have looked at states of matter. We described the difference between solids, liquids and gases and then classified different materials into the three categories.

Good questions to ask your child this week:

- What was the most important person in ancient Egypt?
- What is an example of a liquid?
- What is a synonym for disappointed?
- Reminders:
- Drama is on Thursday afternoons this term.
- Homework is sent home on Thursdays. Homework club takes place on Thursdays.
- Please bring Reading Records and Homework books in on **Tuesdays**.
- P.E. is on Monday and **Tuesdays**. Please send your child in wearing their P.E. uniform and trainers.
- **Word of the week:** turbulent - in a state of agitation, unrest, or turmoil.



Learning at Christ Church

Friday 10th March 2023

Another learning filled week at Christ Church has come to an end. Next Tuesday, children are going on a trip to the Gurdwara. Thank you very much to the parents who have already volunteered to come with us. We would need another parent to volunteer to make sure our trip goes ahead next week.

In English, Year 5 have been learning about poems. Children have been discussing the poem *Change* by Karl Nova and they have been planning, drafting and editing their own poem around the topic of change. In these poems, children talk about a variety of changes they have experienced in their lives such as growing up, hobbies evolving, technological changes and how quickly the news can change. Children have also been learning about and writing their own personifications, similes and hyperboles.

In Maths, children have been learning about angles. Children have been learning about the different types of angles (obtuse, acute, reflex, straight, full angles) and they have been learning how to use a protractor to measure and draw a variety of angles. The main challenge in using a protractor accurately is making sure they are using the right scale (either the inner or outer scale) when measuring or drawing their angles.

In RE, children have been learning about Palm Sunday. Children learned that Palm Sunday celebrates the day Jesus entered Jerusalem. Children learned that the reason people lay palm branches in front of him as he entered the city was because they symbolise victory and triumph.

In Computing, children learned how to use the Crumble application on their desktops to control a Crumble and Sparkle circuit. Children learned how to code their Crumble devices to generate a variety of commands.

In Science, children learned about how plants reproduce by creating seeds. Children learned that in order to reproduce, the pollen of a plant needs to fall on the stigma of either the same or another plant. These processes are called self and cross pollination.

In DT, children have been reviewing their instruments and they have been using their instruments to create a musical performance.

We hope you have a lovely weekend!

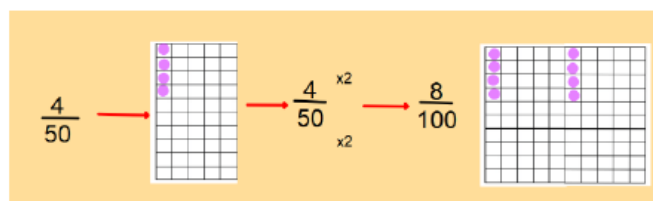


Learning at Christ Church

Friday 10th March 2023

This week in Maths, we have been focusing on fraction, decimal, percentage equivalency. We started by converting fractions into decimals and vice versa by looking at how many digits came after the decimal point in the place value chart and then choosing the denominator to be 10, 100 or 1000. We also learnt how we can divide the numerator by the denominator in order to turn a fraction into a decimal (see below). We then learnt about percentages and how 'per cent' means out of 100. We looked at fractions that had varied denominators and turned them into equivalent fractions with denominators of 100 in order to turn into percentages.

$$\frac{3}{4} = 0.75$$



In English, we have been working hard on our final narrative pieces. The children have worked incredibly hard to make their work as good as it can be by using a thesaurus, asking for feedback and discussing their ideas with one another. The children should be so proud of what excellent writers they have become this year! In Reading, we have been looking at retrieval questions and using the following method to answer them: underline key words in the question; find them in the text; read the sentence; refer back to the question; answer the question. We have also continued reading our non-fiction book about Politics and have begun to find out about the different political systems in the world.

In RE, we learnt about the burial and resurrection of Jesus and looked at eye-witness accounts from the Bible. In Art, we learnt about the graffiti artist Keith Haring and drew a picture inspired by his work. In Dance, we choreographed and practised a dance based on a storm. In Computing, we learnt how to rotate and change the position of 3D objects using TinkerCad.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend!