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'The Best for Every Child -a Unique Child of God'
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Dear Parent / Carers

Our Christian Ethos this term is [Compassion](#).

Our Ethos Statement this week is:

Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed,' says the Lord who has compassion on you. Isaiah 54:10

VE Celebration news

Victory in Europe Day or VE day, marks the day of the end of World War Two between Europe and Nazi Germany. We celebrate this day because it was the end of the fight between Europe and Nazi Germany and we commemorate the war veterans for their service. VE Day will be held on Friday 8th May 2020 and for those of you who would like to do some VE Day activities please use the links below.

- Take a look at the [Child Friendly Leeds blog post](#) all about VE Day. They have suggested activities, links to other websites and are even running a competition!
- Take a look at the virtual learning page from [Leeds Museums and Galleries](#). Their [Museum From Home YouTube channel](#) will be featuring VE Day related objects next week.

Play in a Band lessons!!

Mr Mercer has been busy developing lessons for you to try out at home. Let us know how you get on...

Play In A Band Lesson 1

<https://youtu.be/ghTXdXSLPcs>

Play In A Band Lesson 2

https://youtu.be/J_Ao6KnRLB4

Maths News

The next set of results are in...

Each week the Mathletics trophy is awarded to the class with the best participation in Mathletics, and we will announce our top ten school mathletes - the individual pupils with the most participation points.

Our top ten mathletes for w/c 4th May 2020 are:

1. Christian Holmes (1A)
2. Elliott Blacker (3W)
3. Oliver Watkinson (1CR)
4. Imogen Townsley (3R)
5. Amelia Matson (3W)
6. Poppy Johnson (1CR)
7. Zachary Taylor (1A)
8. Arnav Gupta (3R)
9. Harry Jones (5E)

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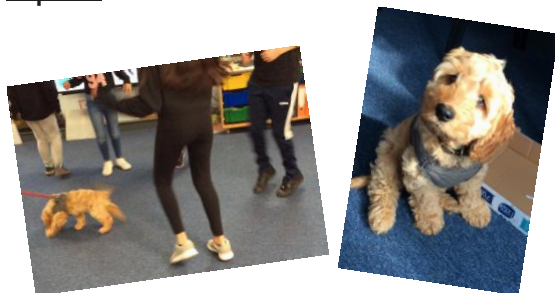
10. Benjamin Jones (6M)

This week the key stage trophies have been awarded to: KS1 – 1RB and 1A in joint first place 😊 KS2 – 4H for the second week in a row 😊

Pupil of the week – although we are not able to be at school we would still like to recognise the efforts and skills of our pupils. Teachers may choose someone they know has submitted a super piece of work, left an enthusiastic comment, been trying hard on Mathletics or TT Rockstars, or been being a wonderful Holy Trinity example in the home environment by being kind and caring to their family.

<p>RR</p> <p>My pupil of the week is Sebbie Wilson. Sebbie has shown excellent perseverance at home, learning all the sounds on our phonics tree and learning all of the common exception words. Sebbie is showing his fantastic attitude to learning within everything he does, enjoying lots of baking and science experiments at home. Well done 😊</p>	<p>RW</p> <p>Our pupil of the week is Niamh Farey for her excellent work at home. Niamh has been working on her writing using her phonics to help. Niamh confidently talked on the phone about all the wonderful home learning she has been doing independently and with her brother too. Well done Niamh, keep up all the hard work :)</p>
<p>1RB</p> <p>Saara Sharif for having an excellent attitude towards her learning across all subject areas. She has done some super work in maths and has created some beautiful art work. Well done Saara.</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>Megan Pierce for her fantastic, positive attitude. When I spoke to Megan this week she was so upbeat about staying at home and the activities she was getting up to. She has been doing her learning but also finding the time to apply it in practical ways around the house, such as helping with cooking and growing vegetables. Well done Megan.</p>
<p>2J</p> <p>I am so proud of all of 2J for their wonderful attitude to home learning. Keep it up 😊 My pupil of the week this week is Daniel Buckle! It made me very happy that he felt brave enough to talk to me on the phone this week. He clearly couldn't wait to tell me everything that he'd been enjoying at home in a very enthusiastic, animated way! Lockdown is clearly suiting Daniel and he put a big smile on my face 😊</p>	<p>2S</p> <p>Sophie Tugwell for her fantastic chewing gum design! I know she worked incredibly hard on it and it's sound delicious! I also noticed your beautiful presentation in your book too Sophie! Keep up the amazing effort! Well done! 😊</p>
<p>3W</p> <p>Fletcher Johnson for producing an outstanding story about Theseus and the Minotaur. His presentation was outstanding he had clearly put in a huge amount of effort into ensuring his story was detailed, had a variety of sentence starters and some fabulous description. Well done Fletcher.</p>	<p>3R</p> <p>Another brilliant week in 3R with lots of lovely home learning taking place. This week I have chosen Jake and Oliver Harland for giving me a good giggle. The boys have been busy planning and creating their own Greek myth and acted it out in their garden! They filmed it and sent me the video which was very entertaining. Keep up all the fantastic work Jake, Oliver and the rest of 3R 😊</p>
<p>4H</p> <p>Abbie Thornley for some amazing topic and English work this week! She has written a beautiful and informative persuasive leaflet, designed her own fantasy land and written a fantastic postcard from Egypt! She has been very busy making an Egyptian messy map and has drawn some stunning pictures of an Egyptian landscape too! It is great to see that she has not forgotten her presentation skills since being in school, as her cursive handwriting looks brilliant. Well done Abbie!</p>	<p>4L</p> <p>Pupil of the week in 4L is Lewis Kellett for producing an excellent piece of modern art for our Egypt topic. He has been working hard with his maths and has also produced a fantastic persuasive leaflet all about Egypt! Well done Lewis!</p>
<p>5E</p> <p>Anna Tyler, for her continued dedication to not only completing all the work set to her but also taking the extra step of emailing it to school and allowing us to display it on the website. Keep up the effort.</p>	<p>5O</p> <p>Izzie Jones for being the first member of 5.O to send in their parachute picture and for doing lots of other good work. Well done Izzie.</p>
<p>6M</p> <p>Basil Kee for his excellent cable car design that moved. He has clearly spent lots of time and effort on it which has made it look extremely authentic. Well done Basil!</p>	<p>6C</p> <p>Lenni Nithsdale for his efforts and attitude towards his home learning. He produced a fantastic small scale mountain model which included incredible detail of the geographical features. Keep up the great work during these challenging circumstances.</p>

Pupdate



Photos of Poppy doing the Joe Wicks workout and her just about to get to grips with some paperwork.

Poppy Hellings was in school this week – she had such a busy couple of days: Listening to children teaching her their phonics and reading their work to her, taking part in the Joe Wicks workout (she did adapt the workout – instead of running on the spot she wagged her tail on the spot!).

She has admired the hard work that Mr Osborne, our caretaker, has done to prepare for a day when our children will return to school – he has put new wood chippings down around the adventure trail and also up in our out door worship area (in the woods) – it all looks fantastic – and Poppy agrees!

Additional school news

Ollie in 2J is running a Marathon over 2 weeks in support of the NHS. It was his own idea. He wanted to raise £100. To date he's raised £1444 and he's not finishing until Saturday. I'm attaching the fundraising link incase you want to have a look at his progress (it's very cute!) and make a donation.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/ollierunsamarathon> - Donation page

<https://bbc.in/2SHEjH6> - BBC news article about it.

Every Mind Matters

Every Mind Matters has released expert advice and top tips on how to look after your mental wellbeing if you need to stay at home during the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak. It also includes guidance if you're feeling worried or anxious about the outbreak. Please visit: www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters/ Learn about the government response to coronavirus on GOV.UK. For further health information and advice please visit nhs.uk/coronavirus.

Keep safe everyone and keep in touch.

Cath Hellings
Headteacher



RE: Supporting Parents and Carers during Self-Isolation and School Closures

We understand that this is a challenging and worrying time not only for our students, but for many of our parents and carers. We have therefore, put together this list of local and national agencies or charities that will offer advice, signpost or support you first hand. We hope you find it useful. All schools in the ESNW cluster of schools are working together to ensure we can support all our families.

Below are a range of different support that all our families can access;

ESNW Cluster

The Cluster supports families with children who are aged 0-19 in the Leeds area. Their aim is to give children who are enrolled at schools in Leeds the support needed to become successful and reach their potential. Some of the services their core team provide are family support, parenting courses, and therapeutic support for young people, children and adults. They can be found at;

Ireland Wood Children's Centre

Raynel Gardens

Leeds

LS16 6BW

Or visit our Facebook Page – ESNW Cluster

Mental Health Support, Information and Advice for Adults and Parents/Carers:

Key websites to access

www.leedsmind.org.uk

www.mindmate.co.uk

Silvercloud self-directed website for parents/carers

Northpoint have worked with Silvercloud Health to provide access to online support for parents and carers during the current situation.

The site has been designed by clinical experts with the aim of empowering you to think and feel better. The website includes programmes that are tailored to your needs. It contains easy to use content and interactive tools.

The online space is secure and anonymous. No identifying details are required apart from a contact e-mail address.

To access the site go to <https://nhs.silvercloudhealth.com/signup/> and enter the code 'north' when prompted.

Mental Health Support for Children and Young people

Mindmate www.mindmate.org

Teen Connect (13-18 years) Teen Connect is a helpline for Leeds based 13-18 year olds who are in crisis. Open 6 pm – 2 am every night of the year. Call, go online or send a text 0771 566 1559 .

Kooth online counselling an emotional wellbeing service Kooth online counselling is a free, safe and anonymous service for 10-18 year olds where young people can chat 1-2-1 with counsellors, access self-help articles 24/7 and connect with peers through live moderated forums. www.kooth.com

Give us a shout <https://www.giveusashout.org/>

24/7 Anonymous Text Support for When You Feel You Can't Cope. Text Us Today

For support in a crisis, Text Shout to 85258

Childline <https://www.childline.org.uk> - Whatever your worry we can help you. Call Childline for help and advice!

Tel: 0800 1111

The Mix Emotional support for under 25's. 24/7 Crisis messenger, 1-2-1 chat, forums and resources.

www.themix.org.uk

Resist or manage the urge to self-harm

The Calm Harm app has been customised for young people in Leeds (aged 12 – 25 years). It helps you resist or manage the urge to self-harm; it has a number of activities including breathing techniques to help reduce symptoms of stress and anxiety.

Safe Zone (11-17 years)

The Safe Zone is a crisis service for young people aged 11-17 in Leeds. It's open every Monday from 7pm to 10pm – the last drop-in to Safe Zone will be 9.30pm. Call 0113 819 8189 call before you go.

The Market Place

The Market Place offers free, confidential support in Leeds 11-25 year olds. Call 0113 246 1659 or 0113 819 8189. 18A New Market St, Leeds. www.themarketplaceleeds.org.uk

Samaritans

Samaritans is available round the clock, every single day of the year, for anyone who is struggling to cope. Call 116 123

<https://www.samaritans.org>

Bereavement support for Children and Young People