



The Anchor News

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7th April 2022

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Our values focus this half term is

Courage



School Closed Friday 8th April - Term ends TODAY - THURSDAY 7th APRIL

Hi Everyone,

I can't believe it's the end of term already. This term seems to have flown by. I hope everyone who had a parent consultation this week found it useful and heard lots of positives about their children that they can be proud of. The teachers also would have mentioned some things the children still need to work on and things you could help at home with. It is important that school and home, work in partnership to support the academic, social, spiritual and moral development of the children. The children will all have holiday homework as well as a reading book to keep them engaged and busy over the break and it would be great if you could support and encourage them with this. Especially year 6 and year 2, who should be spending some of this holiday revising for their SATs which are only a few weeks away.

I hope you all have a super break and the weather stays nice.

Happy Easter.

Miss Shryane - Head Teacher



Easter Blessing

May Christ's glory and the promise of this joyous time of year, bring peace and happiness to you and those you hold most dear.

Please take note of our new lunch menus starting after Easter.

They have been sent home with the newsletter today for you to look at before we return. You can also find them on the school website at: <https://bit.ly/StClemSchoolLunches>



Signs of the week

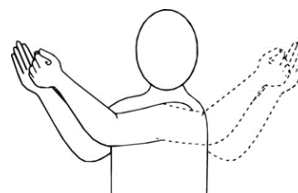
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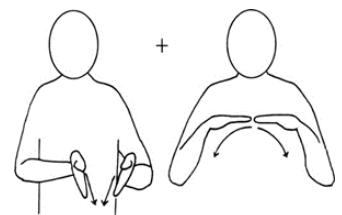
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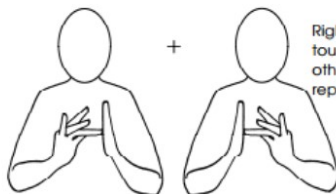
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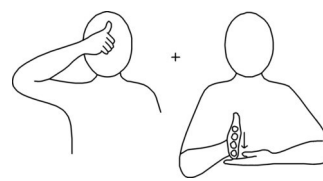


Easter



Jesus

Right middle finger touches centre of other palm, then repeat with left hand



Faith



Resurrection

Head Teacher: Miss Shryane
Deputy Head Teacher: Mrs Nizamis
Assistant Head Teacher: Mrs Fox



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Safeguarding: Hate Crime

Hate crime not only harms its victims, it also harms their families and communities. The government is committed to tackling hate crime. We want to raise awareness of what a hate crime is and help people understand that it is not right to target individuals based on their identity.

A hate crime is any criminal offence which is perceived by the victim, or anybody else, to be motivated by hostility or prejudice towards someone's:

race

religion

sexual orientation

transgender identity

disability

These aspects are known as 'protected characteristics'. A hate crime can include verbal abuse, intimidation, threats, harassment, assault and damage to property. A hate incident is behaviour which isn't a crime but which is perceived by the victim, or anybody else, to be motivated by hostility or prejudice based on the 5 protected characteristics.

This is how children at the academy describe the importance of kindness, acceptance, and tolerance.

You can report a hate crime online or call 101 to speak to the police.

Call 999 if you're reporting a crime that's in progress or if someone is in immediate danger.

"Just help people, do things that make people happy and if you need to say sorry."

"Using kind words and hands and showing someone how to have courage."

"It is showing respect and caring for others"

"All people need to do is show respect to others no matter what and have passion about being kind because that is what we all need to do."

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UNICEF Rights of the Child

Article 30: Minority culture, language and religion

Children have the right to use their own language, culture and religion - even if these are not shared by most people in the country where they live.



Article 36: Protection from exploitation

Children have the right to be protected from all other kinds of exploitation (being taken advantage of), even if these are not specifically mentioned in this Convention.

Important APRIL Dates:

Thurs 7th: Last Day of Term

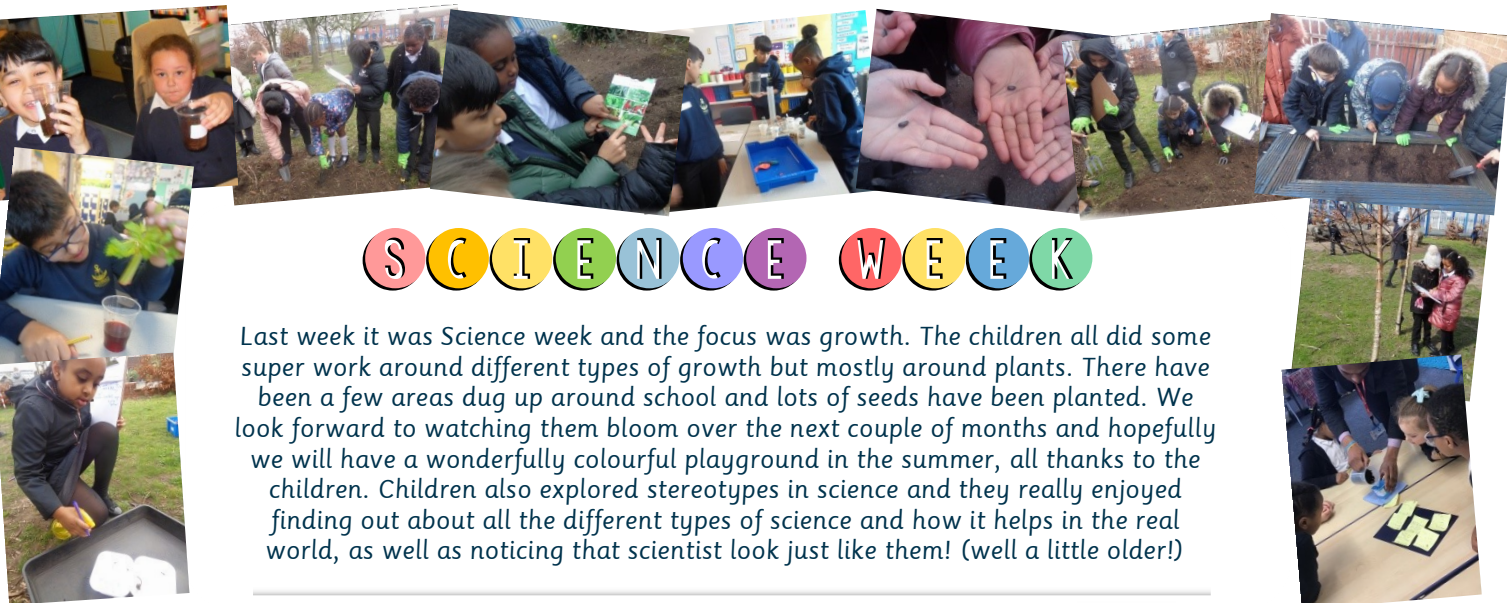
Fri 8th: **SCHOOL CLOSED:**

Easter: Mon 11th - Fri 22nd

Mon 25th: First Day Back
(normal time)

SCIENCE WEEK

Last week it was Science week and the focus was growth. The children all did some super work around different types of growth but mostly around plants. There have been a few areas dug up around school and lots of seeds have been planted. We look forward to watching them bloom over the next couple of months and hopefully we will have a wonderfully colourful playground in the summer, all thanks to the children. Children also explored stereotypes in science and they really enjoyed finding out about all the different types of science and how it helps in the real world, as well as noticing that scientist look just like them! (well a little older!)



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