

Friday 25th June 2021

Year 1 Update

Dear Parents,

RE

This week we have started our 'Neighbours' topic creating a class display of the children's work. This topic is taught through a variety of resources provided by CAFOD. This term we will be considering who our neighbours are, both near and far.

Next week is Sikhism week where we will be teaching the children all about Guru Nanak and the Sikh religion.

English

This week we have looked at a similar story from another culture called 'The Snow Bears' we have been comparing and contrasting both books and using this week's wonder words.

Next week we shall be working on our reading skills and comprehension.

Wonder words

Please discuss these words with your child.

We would like the children to write these words into sentences for their homework this week.

One sentence for each word to be completed in your homework book.



Maths

This week in maths we have continued learning about how to recognise missing numbers on a number line and using number lines to assist us in bridging ten when carrying out addition. We have been revising our number bonds to help us with this method.

Next week we shall continue revisiting the concepts that need reinforcing and consolidation.

General information

The Trim Trail is not to be used by the children before or after school.

A reminder that at St Anthony's the children wear red socks only.



Next week all classes will be taking part in 'The Big Sing' which is a music concert for all streamed to specially registered Primary and Secondary Schools across the UK.

We are one of the lucky schools registered and are able to watch performances with artists from across the globe encouraging everyone to sing loud and proud. This year the concert will be streaming from the famous **Abbey Road Studios** and feature live Q&A sessions with each artist along with some special guests.

Aston Merrygold
Kirsten Joy
Nathan Evans
RED

Becky Hill
Marisha Wallace
Professor Green
MNEK and Gabrielle

The children will be able to post any questions to each artists and have them answered live by the artist. It would be a great idea to think of some questions for the artists ahead of the event, then have them ready on the day! They will answer as many as they can.

The vocal leader for the event is Mark De-Lisser. Mark who has previously led 'The Big Sing' also arranged Ben E King's performance of Stand By Me for the wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle in 2018, as well as performing in the choir on the day. Mark is also the vocal coach for The Masked Singer where he works with each of the celebrities.

Please see below for information for this week's Wellbeing Challenge

God Bless

Ann and Frankie



5 Ways to Wellbeing

Weekly Challenge 11

'Get Active.'

Once again, last week, we saw some great work with your flags. We saw some research about the history of individual flags as well as very colourful designs and even some bunting of all the 24 countries. Brilliant effort!

This week, we are keeping to the sporting theme by inviting you to 'Get Active'.

Have a go with your families at making up a game.

Your game can have a small or large ball, a bat, a racquet, or other sports equipment.

Think about the rules of your game:

- How do you score points or goals?
- How many people are needed?
- Is the game going to be timed or is it the first to a certain number of points?

Your game can be similar to any sport you already enjoy playing but with one or two different rules.

Remember to get your family involved in your special game in a safe place.

Perhaps talk to your teachers about your game so that your class can have a go.

Most important- Have fun being active!