

Year 6 Update – Friday 3rd March 2023

It's been a busy week and below you will find details of our visit to the Al Zahra Islamic Centre and to Holy Rood Church on Wednesday.

This week our hidden ten letter word has something to do with the environment.

Reminder for Year 6 Lisbon

Year 6 Lisbon will be visiting St. Joan of Arc this Wednesday (8th March). This trip was a real success when Padua visited in November and our colleagues are looking forward to our next visit. Can you please give permission your through The Gateway if you haven't already done so.

Religious Education

This week we have been studying another faith tradition- Islam. As part of this programme, we visited Al Zahra Islamic Centre on Wednesday where we had a talk with the Imam. The talk was very informative and we will use the knowledge he shared by writing this up in the RE exercise books. We received a very warm welcome and look forward to returning there again soon.

Year 6 also went to Holy Rood Church for the Noon Mass with the parishioners for St. David's Day. Well done to the altar servers and readers who did extremely well at the Mass.

Pre-learning

Next week we will be starting our new topic which focuses on Lent and the road to Easter, ***Death and New Life***.

Wellbeing

We will have gone through the Wellbeing Challenge with your child. It is outlined below. Mental wellbeing is vital to all aspects of our life, contributing towards good physical health and effective learning.

English

The children all looked great yesterday dressed as their favourite book characters; we were particularly impressed with their book cover entries for our World Book Day competition. The winners will be revealed on Monday.

Pre-learning

Next week we will be starting our new mystery and suspense unit based on the book *The Night of the Gargoyles*.

Mathematics

We have been carrying some conferencing with the children this week. This is when the children get to discuss their work and share with us the topics they would like more support on. We also carried out an assessment on time.

Vocabulary: duration, time line, hours, minutes, intervals.

Pre-learning

We will continue to revise different topics next week including, long division and fractions.

Humanities

In Geography this week, we looked at how the change in weather across the world is a result of global warming and the evidence that this is occurring such as the melting of glaciers, the spread of disease and increased drought and forest fires. The children carried out some map work to identify which countries of the world are experiencing these issues.

Other Information

- Today will be our third Booster Class focusing on Maths.
- After-School Football Club has now restarted on Monday afternoons.
Please ensure arrangements are made for your child's collection at 4.30pm.

Five Ways to Wellbeing



KEEP LEARNING

Visit a library or a bookshop and find some new books to enjoy.

