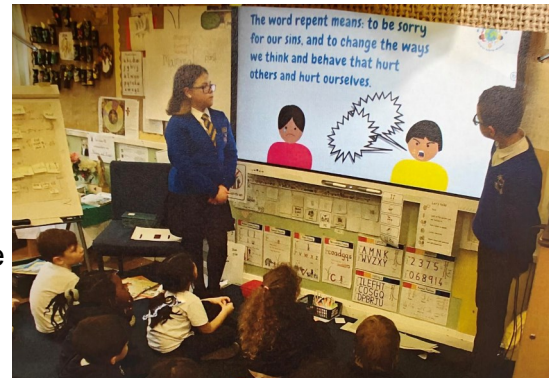
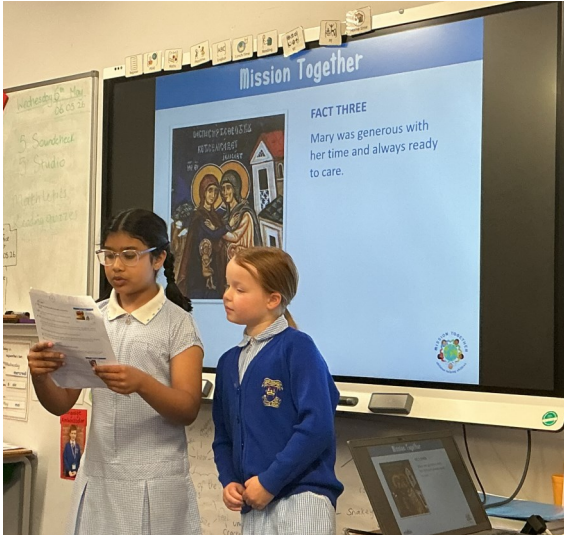




RE Ambassadors at work

Our KS2 RE ambassadors are continuing to lead class reflection sessions across the school. Last week, having entered the month of May, their reflection sessions focused on Our Blessed Lady, Mary, Mother of the Church. They explored the virtues Mary possessed and how, by practicing them in our lives, we can bring the love of God into the world just as she did.



Year 1 Banham Zoo trip

On Tuesday, Year 1 visited Banham Zoo. They had the opportunity to see lots of animals up close, including giraffes, flamingos, meerkats and penguins. Linking to their science learning, they discussed whether different animals were herbivores, omnivores or carnivores. They found out more about what they like to eat and learnt about the different types of teeth the animals have by looking at animal skulls too. Whilst at the zoo, they had a ride on the safari train which was definitely the highlight of the day for many!



Marathon success!

We mentioned in a previous newsletter that Becky Brunning, a parent of one of the children in The Nest was taking part in the Manchester marathon with the intent of raising funds to split between The Nest and Riverwalk. We were delighted to hear that Becky successfully completed the marathon and she popped into school to present us with a cheque for an incredible £810. Her son Thomas proudly joined us in our celebration assembly in the main school and spoke in front of the whole school to share his mum's success and show the rest of the school her medal and the cheque.



The whole school community were keen to applaud both Thomas and his mum. We are so very grateful of the fundraising effort that Becky made to raise money to support the provision and opportunities on offer to the children in The Nest.

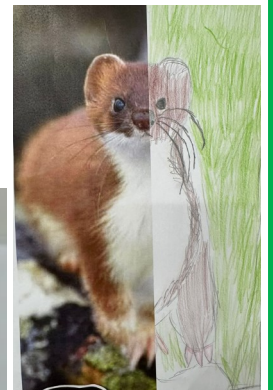
Year 6 Maths

The children in Yr 6 enjoyed taking their maths learning outside into the sunshine earlier this week. They were focused on co-ordinates and translation across the 4 quadrants, identifying and translating shapes.



Sir David Attenborough's 100th Birthday

Inspired by the 100th birthday celebrations of Sir David Attenborough, take a look at some of the artwork produced by a selection of the children in year 4.



Diary Dates

Tue 19th May Horstead residential trip meeting 3:30pm
Wed 20th May Yr6 PCSO visit
Thur 21st May Yr6 WW2 Day

HALF TERM

Mon 1st June Children return to school
Thur 4th June Yr6 Bawdsey residential trip meeting 3:45pm
Wk beg 8th June Y5 Activity Week (including Horstead residential trip)
Mon 15th June Yr6 First Aid training
Thur 18th June Yr2 Lackford Lakes trip
Mon 22nd June Annie and Sue from OM Health and Wellbeing in school
Tue 23rd June Yr4 WCIT Concert at The Apex
Wed 24th-Fri 26th Yr6 Bawdsey residential trip
Tue 30th June KS2 Sports Day 2pm
Sat 4th July Summer Fayre 12-3

Year 3 Roman's Day

Year 3 recently celebrated Romans Day as part of their current history topic. Mark from Portals to the Past led a series of activities throughout the day. The day started with the children learning about various events and historical characters during the Roman invasion of Britain. Later, they found out a range of facts by completing a quiz – discovering that Romans had gods and goddesses for almost everything. The children then discovered how innovative the Romans were, from powerful weapons to folding frying pans! In the afternoon, they became soldiers in the Roman army, learning to march together around the hall!

