



Weekly Roundup – 25/03/2022

What's been happening in class:

Year 1 – Monarch Class



It's been very exciting this week having Sweetie and Spicey join our class. We have read a little bit about how to look after a fish to make sure we know what we are doing! It's been great fun taking turns feeding them too! We have been learning a bit about octopuses this week, did you know they have beaks and 3 hearts? We even wrote a character description about them! Maths has been super fun this week as we begin to look at measure and which objects are longer and shorter! We have been painting again this week mixing primary colours to make secondary colours. It's our Easter service next week and we have loved learning our new songs and actions and can't wait to preform it! It's been a super, sunny week Year 1!

Year 2 – Apollo Class



Apollo have been so busy this week!

We have been learning how to tell to the time in our math lesson which has been a lot of fun. In writing we have been busy creating our 'lost poster' for the Sunny the meerkat using our skills of expanded noun phrases, subordinating conjunctions and exclamation marks. In our geography we have been exploring the continents that the equator runs through which has been super interesting. In our music lessons we have been learning about tempo and pitch, we have learned a wonderful new song called 'I am the music man.'

What another great week, well done!

Forgiveness

Christian Value: Forgiveness

Main Christian Value Story: Jesus forgives and heals a paralyzed man (Matthew 9)

“Take heart, son, and your sins are forgiven.”

Caterpillars



Caterpillars have had a great week, we welcomed Mr Dwyer to do a talk about being a Postman.

Caterpillars had lots of question to ask him, we were really surprised to learn that he can deliver over 1,000 letters a day!

We have also been busy in our garden planting some potatoes, carrots and wild flowers.

Caterpillars have been working really hard on their independent writing this week – Well done Caterpillars!

Year 3 – Peacock Class



Miss Deedigan's Class

This week we have been exploring the different types of rocks in science, learning how to hold our hockey sticks and dribble the ball in PE and comparing Spain and the UK in Geography. In maths we have been getting stuck into division and multiplication with 2 and 1-digit numbers and in writing we have been using 'a' or 'an' correctly as well as identifying nouns in our writing. Another great week and looking forward to the penultimate week of term!

Miss Shires' Class

This week the children have enjoyed reading our new book, 'Dancing hands' all about a little girl from Venezuela who learns to play the piano, we used the atlases to look at where the country is. In writing, the children have been learning all about nouns and pronouns and have been trying really hard with their handwriting. They are all determined to be able to use a handwriting pen soon!

On Wednesday, we really enjoyed our football lesson in the lovely sunshine. The children are getting very good at controlling the ball when they pass it to one another. They also showed great kindness to one another when learning and new skill and encouraging one another.

Year 4 – Emperor Class



This week, Year 4 have been busy finishing their 'How to make a Clay Gargoyle' instructions. We began practicing writing skills ready for our narrative writing. In maths, Year 4 have been using the written method for multiplication and began looking at division. In science, the Year 4 used torches and different materials to work out which were reflective. In art, the children used one of their water colour washes as a background for their cubism tree.

Year 5 – Brimstone Class



This week, Year 5 have been busy finishing their 'How to make a Clay Gargoyle' instructions. We began practicing writing skills ready for our narrative writing. In maths, we have ventured into the world of shape! Translating and describing the translation of shapes. In science, Year 5 made Orrey models to represent the Earth, sun and moon. In art, the children used either water colours or acrylic paints to create a surrealism tree thinking about mood.

Year 6 – Admiral Class



This week year 6 have been really focused on finding area and perimeter of 2D shapes, looking at algebraic formulas to follow. In Collective worship we used our drama skills to act out the story of Jesus and the paralysed man and could explain how each character was feeling when the man was healed. During writing sessions, we have been writing our own explanation of a new invention inspired by the text 'The Last Alchemist'. What amazing work we have produced! Well done Year 6. We have loved the weather this week and have been outside more to make the most of it.

Reading Book Reminder

Please make sure children are returning their Big Cat and Little Wandle books to school every Friday.

Safeguarding



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<https://www.fearless.org/>



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www.childline.org.uk



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<https://www.samaritans.org/>

Online Safety Tips

<https://www.commonsemmedia.org/>

This is a great site for you to use if you want to find out more about a computer game or film that your children are talking about. It has reviews from other parents to help you make informed choices.

For advice on how to keep your children safe, please visit:

<https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers>

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Easter Church Service

we will be holding our Easter Church Service at St. Michaels and All Angels Church on Thursday 31st March, 10am. EYFS and Year 1 will be leading this service. We look forward to seeing you there.

PE Days

Reminder of PE days for this term:

- Year R- Friday
- Year 1- Tuesday and Friday
- Year 2- Wednesday and Friday
- Year 3- Monday and Wednesday
- Year 4- Tuesday and Wednesday
- Year 5- Wednesday and Friday
- Year 6- Wednesday and Thursday

Uniform for PE days should consist of a white or yellow t-shirt, black tracksuit bottoms or shorts and a school jumper. Please ensure that all clothing is appropriate for school.

Reminders

We are a nut free school. Children's snacks and packed lunches should not contain nuts. Please check ingredients on cereal bars and if your child has a chocolate spread sandwich please ensure that it is not a hazelnut spread like Nutella. Thank you for your support to ensure that we can keep all of our children safe.



On Friday 18th March we wore red, bought noses and held a cake sale to raise money for Comic Relief.

We raised a total of £367.20

Well done The Manor!