

Weekly Newsletter

Key Stage 1



Dear Parents/Carers,

We are well and truly back into the swing of things here in Key Stage 1. Here is your weekly update of what we have been up to and all the information you need regarding what is in store for next week:

Mission Day



As part of our Caritas in Action work, we took part in the school Mission Day. The theme of the day was 'Dignity of the Human Person'. Our day began with Stay and Learn.



It was great to see so many grown-ups joining us to

support the children. The children spent the day surrounded by kings who encouraged them to think about the special gifts that God has given us, just like the ones The Three Kings gave baby Jesus. They also took part in activities about how we are all unique, God's love for us and how we can show the gifts of love and kindness to our brothers and sisters.

Year 1 were particularly excited by the arrival of fish in their classrooms! After

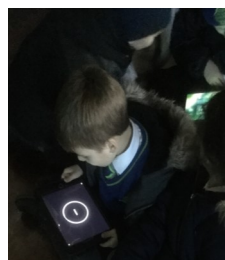


carefully considering what we need to do to take care of them, we began to make links with God's creation and how He cares for us. We can't wait to showcase what we have done next week!



A Trip to the Polar Regions

After lunch on Wednesday, Year 1 went on an expedition to the Polar Regions. The children promptly set off to wrap themselves up in their coats, hats and scarves. When we arrived the temperatures were sub-zero and we could hear the sounds of nature around us. The children used technology to explore the surroundings. Some even spotted a polar bear! The super explorers soon deduced that we must be in the Arctic. We are certainly very keen to head back soon!



Up and coming dates for your diaries:

Wednesday 17 th January	Year 2 trip to the Science Museum
Thursday 18 th January – 9.30am	Diamond Class Liturgy of the Word
Friday 19 th January – 8.45-9.15am	Stay and Learn - we would like to invite you to see the outcome of our learning from our Mission Day.

Have a great weekend,

Miss Rees & the Key Stage 1 Team