

Junior 4 & 5 News!



Dear Parents,

Another busy week in school. The children have continued to work hard and have produced some fantastic pieces of work. In history, the children have studied crime and punishment in Medieval and Tudor times. During RE, we have looked at familiar stories of Christianity and discussed the meaning behind these.

A few reminders:

- Next Friday (11th December) is the last yoga session for year 6 in J4 and J5.
- The 9th December is Christmas Lunch day, the children are invited to have a school Christmas lunch if they want to.
- Unfortunately, school will not be able to take part in Christmas productions for parents this year due to the current situation with Covid. However, we have come up with a great idea to help celebrate our run up to Christmas with a few surprises along the way. Watch out for further information on our school app, Seesaw page and Facebook.
- To help further support funding for reading resources in school, we are holding another non-uniform day. Friday 11th December - Children are invited to wear something Christmassy to celebrate Christmas Jumper Day. We ask that children bring in £1.00 to purchase a sweet treat gift from their class.
- We will be holding our annual Christmas parties this year. However, instead of year groups meeting in the hall classes will hold their own party. The parties will take place on Tuesday 15th December. Children are invited to come into school in party/own clothes. Children will be provided with party food and a small gift. Father Christmas may pay a socially distanced visit and pop his head around class doors. We will provide adequate parking space for his reindeer and sleigh.

DT Week

This week the children have researched, designed and constructed a light-up and pop-up Christmas card. They have worked extremely hard on these and have started constructing some amazing designs. Have a look at our See Saw page to see what we have been up to.

Reading and Spellings

Your child will bring home their reading book and we encourage children to spend about 15 minutes reading to an adult at home each evening. This is very important and in Year 5 and 6, children need to work on reading for lengthier periods, in order to build their reading stamina. Children also need to practise their spellings every night ready for their test on a Friday.

Stars of The Week

Junior 4: Laney Bristow & Emily Britton
Junior 5: Harry Lee & Lexi Gaskell
Miss Taylor: Nadia Skomorowska & Frankie Latham

As part of our promotion of Growth Mindset, Junior 4 and 5 are focusing on the quote, 'If it doesn't challenge you, it won't change you!'

Thank you
Mrs Pugh, Miss Williamson
and Miss Taylor