



# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Collective worship

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We completed the Easter story in assembly today with our Easter liturgy describing the resurrection of Jesus. Beacon and Stirling Class dramatised the story with some great acting and narration which the whole school enjoyed. Everyone then decorated the cross with symbols of new life such as bunnies, lambs and flowers. We finished our first week back with a very spirited singing practice.

John 11:25-26 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?"

## Dates for the Diary

5th May Coronation celebration

11th July Sports Day

14th July Graduation

18th July End of Year celebration

## Head Teachers Message

Welcome to the summer term.

We hope all of our families had a good Easter break and Eid Mubarak to our families celebrating the holy month of Ramadan.

We have a lot planned for this term and excited to get going, we look forward to keeping you informed over the coming weeks of all of our exciting opportunities.

**Beacon:** Students came back from Easter holidays full of energy and ready for learning. We did celebrate Bobby's birthday this week, we went on a trip to Tesco where the birthday boy chose his Pepa Pig cake and shared with his friends. Learners picked cooking ingredients and helped paying at the tills as part of their life skills. We have started a new sensory story, Oliver's Vegetables, it will help us learning about the days of the week and with the name of vegetables. In cognition we did compare sizes in a Post Office role play, where students have to put the parcel through the right size parcel sorter. Our Aspirational Award went to Henry Green for working on his life skills, picking the ingredients and scanning the shopping at the tills.



### **Bramley:**

Welcome back everyone! Hope we've all had ourselves a pleasant half term break. It's lovely to see all our learners back in class. We've had a really fun and busy week. Cooking, reading, exploring new environments and plenty of arts and crafts to last us the whole term. Our star of the week is Immy for all of his hard work. Our picture for the week comes from some fun and learning in the ball pool.

Thanks you from Greg and all of us in Bramley Class



### **Jubilee:**

Jubilee class have been busy cooking sausage rolls which the learners choose as one of their favourite recipes that they have done over this learning cycle. We have been very lucky to have a duck lay its eggs just outside our classroom so we have been looking at the lifecycle of ducks and found a story called Brenda's boring egg which we have enjoyed reading.

One of our lessons we went to the OMI room and used the interactive screen and floor display. As part of our assembly we were thinking about new life finished the Easter Liturgy where Jesus had arisen. We then shared of symbols of new life with the rest of the school and finished the day with singing practice Have a lovely weekend Jubilee Class



### **Pippin:**

Pippin class have had a brilliant first week back, we have made chicks for our Easter assembly, enjoyed cooking vegan fajitas, scones and fruit skewers. We have also taken part in alot of therapy sessions and music lessons.

Our STAR of the week is Gabriel for collaborating really well with staff



### Stirling:

We had a tremendous week with a lot of their knowledge being tested as we spent the week revisiting content and assessing the progress they have made towards topics they have previously learned throughout the cycle. We still included our trip to Tesco where students selected their own ingredients inspired by past dishes cooked as a class. In a master chef style session, they then had to prepare and cook their chosen dish from memory, considering what improvements they would make from last times attempt. They also impressed us with their knowledge recall about parts of speech, the story so far for Gangsta Granny and 2D and 3D shape measurements. The later part of our week involved rehearsing for our assembly. The final instalment as part of the story pf Jesus from his trial to crucifixion and now his resurrection. Some amazing stage background and props were made and performances were Oscar worthy. Another wonderful week from Stirling class.



### Winston:

Happy Friday from The Winston Team  
A nice return from Easter, we have visited the ICT suite and Ash Vale. We are discussing Spring and new beginnings. The students have worked very hard on communication and social skills. In numeracy they have made shapes out materials gathered on our walks. We are also finishing off our City and Guilds work and had a lovely trip to the farm.  
Have a great weekend! Mel and The Winston Team



### Friday's Prayer

Dear God,  
We pray for people who feel that they are in darkness. For people who are grieving or feeling lost, ill or hopeless. We pray for ourselves when we find that it is hard to have hope.  
We thank you that Jesus is described as the light of the world. We ask that we might bring hope to others. Grant us a sense of your light and love for us. Bless us with people who offer us hope and light, And strengthen us to be light and hope for others.  
Amen.



Class	Star of the Week
Beacon	Henry
Bramley	Immy
Jubilee	Medeea
Pippin	Gabriel
Stirling	Owen
Winston	Jesse