



ST THOMAS MORE'S NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parent,

I hope you all had a lovely half term break and managed to have a bit of a rest doing something you enjoy. The children have returned full of energy and have settled back into the school routine very nicely. They are working hard and we are just beginning to hear lots of mention about Christmas. The carols are starting and the plays have been discussed. It won't be long!

Catholic Life of the School - CAFOD/Eco Club

Mrs Jones will be taking a group of Y6 pupils with her to the Foodbank on Tuesday to hand over our Harvest collection of goods and a cheque from your generous donations. If you would like to add any more money or any goods (non perishable) Monday would be the last day. Thank you!



Religious Education

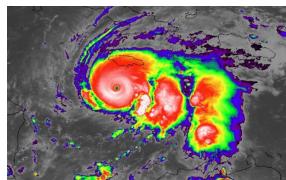
We met with the other RE leads and HTs from our Trust on Wednesday afternoon to moderate the work in our RE books. Mrs Jones and I were extremely proud of the work our children have been doing. We took an English book and an RE book from each class to compare with the other schools. We were more than happy with the standard of work in every class at our school.

Collective Worship

Year 4 celebrated their class Mass this week in the Church. It was a lovely service and well led by the children.

Hurricane Melissa

It was awful seeing the devastation caused by hurricane Melissa over half term. We would like to organise a fundraiser to support those affected in Jamaica. Any ideas welcomed.



Look and Share



You are welcome to come and look through your child's work with them, either at 3.00pm on the 19th November or 8.30am on Thursday 20th November.

I am sure your child will enjoy showing off their work.

BCCS Concert

Our choir will be putting on a joint performance with 3 of our Trust schools at the end of the month. They have raised an amazing £3000 each year for BCCS which helps children all over the Diocese in times of need. We are currently getting ready for it,



as we only have 3 more practices, please encourage and help the children to learn the words to the songs! Thank you.

Christmas PTA Sale

Mrs Green & Mrs Moncur are kindly organising this year's 'Elfridge's' Christmas Sale, where children can buy a small gift for a loved one on December 4th during the school day.

We will need parent help with the sale on the day, if you can help, please let Mrs Kelly know. Thank you.



Book Fair

Our annual book fair is visiting the school and will be open today and Monday after school for you to have a browse.

Books make excellent gifts and all the commission goes to new library books for the school so win-win!



Important dates

November 4th - Year 4 Mass in Church 9.30am

November 6th to 10th - Book fair in dinner hall 3.00pm

November 11th - Year 2 Liturgy in Church 2.30pm

November 14th & 17th - INSET DAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED

November 19th - Look and Share 3.30pm

November 20th - Look and Share 8.30am

Our Stars of the Week are:

Julian Ciobanu

Marcel Reid

Ruby Reid

Frank Saunders

Louis Wright

Orla Livingstone

Lorenzo Moriarty

Seanluca Ahlbrecht

Timayah Iremiren

William Koutalonis

Tochi William

Theodora Faherty

Jonah Whiteside

Nathan Wampamba

House points

Lincoln 189

Bath 170

York 138

Colchester 105

Have a lovely weekend

Bridget Harris