

St. Ethelbert's Catholic Primary School and Nursery

'Learning, achieving and growing together with Jesus'

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Friday News from Mrs Maynard

St Ethelbert's Book Day



Today we held our own St Ethelbert's version of World Book day with the children and staff coming to school in pyjamas to enjoy a day of reading and sharing our favourite books. The children swapped classes in the morning to read with another year group and really enjoyed the experience of working with other pupils. All the work today has focused around books and the enjoyment of reading. Many children have made lovely 'stories in a jar', prizes for these will be given out next week in assembly.



Fire Brigade visit Year 5



Firefighters from Langley Fire Station visited the school on Tuesday to talk about fire safety, and to allow the pupils to see the fire engine and equipment and ask lots of questions. Understanding dangers and how to keep themselves safe is important for children as they get older, I hope they told you all about the visit and how to minimise the risk of fire at home, as well as what to do if a fire does start.

Writers of the Week

We are continuing to teach writing through the Storytelling Schools approach where the children learn to tell a story before they start writing it. Well done to the following pupils who have been working well this week.



Kacper Paczek-1I
Anna Rzepka- 1Y
Sarah Pancierz-2S
Paavan Arjunan-2M
Lena O'Bara-3PG
Vanessa Buda-3PC

Licia Triumph 4D
Elijah Adu 4Z
Nicola Podoba 5E
Julia Lutecka 5G
Nicole Lewandowska 6C

Attendance for week 18th March to 22nd March

Target attendance is **95%**. Regular absence from school has a negative impact on pupils' learning. Ms Cripps will contact parents of pupils whose attendance drops below 90%.

Class	% Attendance
RH	96.8
RBF	87.8
1Y	98.0
1I	99.7
2S	97.3
2M	98.0
3PG	97.8
3PC	95.6
4Z	97.0
4D	99.0
5G	97.6
5E	90.0
6D	98.7
6C	96.7

Reminders for Next Week

- **No clubs next week**
- **Monday 1st April** Year 1 Great Fire of London workshop
- **Friday 5th April** Year 5 The Passion of Christ 9.15am KS1 hall

School closes at 1pm on Friday 5th April

Safeguarding Reminder

Our school staff members with responsibility for safeguarding and welfare are:

Miss Jema Fernandes, Safeguarding and Pupil and Ms Wendy Cripps, Welfare and Family Support Officer

If you wish to speak to either of these members of staff, please make an appointment via the school office.

God Bless

St Ethelbert, pray for us

**Mrs Maynard
Headteacher**