

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award Florence H, Harry W, Harry R, Maisie R, Jack J, Harry B, Lavanya, Rya<u>n G, Alice H, Harry N</u>

Value Award Elmira, Max, Toby, Uma, Poppy K, Harry F, Molly H, Riamh-Og, Beatrice,

6H as a whole class

House Points

Shakespeare	1319
Holmes	1423
Harvey	1189
Churchill	1377
Dickens	1391
Becket	1301

CONGRATULATIONS TO: HOLMES This week's Winner!



CLASS READING AWARD

3C

Best Fiction/Non Fiction Split

PRAYER SPACE

Hold my hand God, lead the way, Help me be good every day. Let me know what's wrong and right, Keep me safe day and night, Let me know what you have planned, Lead the way God, Hold my hand. Amen

Message from the Deputy Head

November seems to have passed by so quickly; I can hardly believe that it will be December next week! This week our Collective Worship focus has been on the Story of David and Goliath and the themes of bravery, friendship, self-control and finding forgiveness for mistakes. The children have been thinking about these aspects in their own lives with the support of all adults around them; it has been fantastic to listen to their ideas and thinking. Year 6 have written some wonderful prayers which we share in our whole school Worship on Fridays.

This week we have welcomed prospective parents to tour the school following on from our Open Evening last week. We are enormously proud of the children and of our school and our visitors were extremely complimentary. We cannot do our job without you, as expert parents, and we are grateful for your continued support in all aspects of school life. Children in our Reception classes have been enjoying some exciting writing experiences in their outdoor area and have settled very well into school life. They are very busy preparing for their Nativity performances and I hope that if you are a parent of a child in RH or RG that you will be able to join us at one of the performances; a letter was sent out yesterday with all the details. The whole school will have the chance to watch the Nativity and to support the children – it is one of the highlights of the school year!

With the onset of colder weather, we would be grateful if you could ensure that your child brings a coat to school.

I hope that you have a safe and happy weekend; weather forecasts seem to suggest sleet or a touch of snow!

Dates to remember

02.12.21 – RH Virtual Parents Evening 03.12.21 – PFA Non Uniform Day 04.12.21 – PFA Christmas Fayre 08.12.21 – YR Nativity for Parents 09.12.21 – YR Nativity for Parents 10.12.21 – PFA School Disco 10.12.21 – Christmas Jumper Day 15.12.21 – Christmas Dinner 17.12.21 – Last day of Term 13.30 finish



Wellbeing

For support & advice please type the link into your chosen search engine: www.parentingsmart.place2be.org

<u>News</u>

Please see the attached flyer regarding the Open House for the Church's informal worships in December.

You may have seen the letter issued by email to all parents and carers earlier this week with regard to illness and Covid 19. Cases across Kent are rising, we therefore ask that you remain vigilant with any symptoms that you or your child displays and refer to the NHS letter for advice.

As you may have seen last week, for Anti bullying week the children were invited by their class teacher to write kind messages to project their learning through Anti Bullying Week. I'm sure that you will agree that there were many kind and thoughtful words written by the children.



Things to remember

Year 2 & 6 – It is PE block week next week for both Y2 and Y6 (29.11.21-03.12.21), please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE Kit all week.

Due to limited space in classrooms please can we ask that no keyrings or other items are attached to book bags

If your child develops **ANY** of the main symptoms of Covid-19, please keep your child away from school and arrange for your child to have a PCR test. The main symptoms are high temperature, a continuous cough and/or a loss of their sense of smell or taste.

