

20th March 2026 - No. 561

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award

RF - Freya R	RH - Maame A
1A - Edward A	1B - Katy S
2K - Jesse K	2M - Gracie B
3G - Violet K	3H - Henry H
4N - Finley R	4S - Nevaeh P
5B - Mya B	5T - Oliver J
6C - Bella R	6L - Thea H

Value Award

RF - Denny B	RH - Ember K
1A - Otis H	1B - Ava-Lily GC
2K - Thomas E	2M - Harrison H
3G - Matilda S	3H - Harry S
4N - Nathaniel S	4S - Henry S
5B - Ocean R	5T - Rose L
6C - Annie H	6L - Edie B

House Points

Beckett	3057
Dickens	2823
Churchill	2870
Harvey	2804
Holmes	2880
Shakespeare	2768

CONGRATULATIONS TO

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This week's Winners

Hot Chocolate Friday

Year R - Phoebe B

Year 1 - Arla W

Year 2 - Grace H

Year 3 - Paisley N

Year 4 - Charlotte M

Year 5 - Florence G

Year 6 - Benji S



Dates for the Diary

W/C 23.03.26 - Y4 Level 1 - Bikeability
 23rd & 24th March - 4S Parent Consultations
 24.03.26 - School Class Photos
 30.03.26 - Rocksteady Concert to parents
 30.03.26 - Ashford Mobile Library visit
 31.03.26 - Y4 Easter Performance @ 9am
 02.04.26 - End of Term 13.30 finish
 03.04.26 - **BANK HOLIDAY**
 6th - 17th April - **EASTER HOLIDAYS**
 20.04.26 - Term 5 Begins
 04.05.26 - **BANK HOLIDAY**
 6th - 8th May - Y4 PGL residential trip
 07.05.26 - Y3 PGL day trip
 W/C 11th May - Y5 Bikeability
 W/C 11th May - Y6 SATS
 20.05.26 - YR School trip
 22.05.26 - Sports Day
 25.05.26 - **BANK HOLIDAY**
 26th - 29th May - **HALF TERM**

Spirituality Reflection

Miss Gillmore thinks that kindness is the most important attribute that you can have. Reflect on ways that you've shown kindness to others this week, and to yourself.



School News

As we move into spring, hay fever season begins. If your child is affected, please ensure they have taken any necessary medication before coming to school, as we are unable to administer it during the school day.

On Wednesday 25th March we have a change to the dinner menu for Easter. Please see attached menu.

A reminder about uniform expectations - No hoop earrings, only stud earrings for health and safety reasons please. No nail varnish, and full uniform. Please see attached our School Uniform Policy.

A reminder to please be mindful when entering the school through the gates in the morning. Please take extra care to keep pathways clear and allow space for those using mobility scooters, wheelchairs, and pushchairs. A little awareness and consideration can make a big difference in helping everyone move through the gates smoothly.

TT Rockstars Weekly Tournament

Y2 & 3

3G are our winners this week with 5,373 correct answers
Congratulations!

Our top contributors this week:

1st: Hope G - 2M
2nd: Arthur G - 2K
3rd: Harry B - 3G

Y4, 5 & 6

The winners this week were 5B with 1,569 correct answers.
Congratulations!

Our top contributors this week:

1st: Tony S - 6C
2nd: Molly Hi - 5B
3rd: Thomas W - 5B

On Tuesday morning, a group of six Year 3/4 children represented the school in a hockey tournament. It was a challenging start, as we faced the strongest team first and lost 7–0. Despite this setback, the team showed great resilience and determination.

They went on to win their next four matches without conceding a single goal—an outstanding achievement.

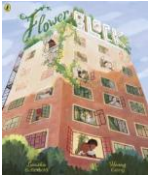
Although they narrowly lost the following game 2–0 in a very evenly contested match, they finished the tournament on a high by winning their final two games.

Overall, the team secured five victories and finished in an impressive second place. We were incredibly proud of the children, not only for their hockey skills, but also for their excellent behaviour and positive attitude throughout the event.



Reading for Pleasure

Weekly Book Recommendations



KS1 - Flower Block by Lanisha Butterfield. *Jeremiah plants sunflower seeds that grow overnight, breaking through the ceiling of his apartment. As he climbs the tower block to follow the sunflowers, he meets a host of quirky neighbours who join the adventure. This book captures themes of connection and resilience, while also touching on loss.*

KS1 - Marv and the Dino Attack by Alex Falase-Koya. *A class visit to the Natural History Museum is more exciting than Marvin and Joe could have imagined when a supervillain brings the dinosaur exhibits back to life. Can Marvin and his upper intelligent robot Pixel stop the prehistoric reptiles before it's too late? A gripping, fast-paced and fun first short chapter book.*



KS2 - The Accidental Prime Minister by Tom McLaughlin. *When schoolboy Joe's video about how he would make the world a better place goes viral, he becomes very popular and very famous and ends up being the Prime Minister! Follow Joe's funny journey in which he makes buses banana-shaped, cats have hats, and trains have swimming pools. A great chapter book for more confident readers.*

Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is **exaggerate**

Remember, if you can use it in your writing correctly, show your teacher and you'll earn 2 house points for completing the challenge. Try and talk about the word around the dinner table or with your friends.

The more you say it, the more you'll remember it!

VW **Shinobi Word of the Day**
Word of the Day: **exaggerate** Word Class
(verb)
Pronunciation / Syllables (ex-ag-ger-ate)

Definition:

If you exaggerate, you indicate that something is, for example, worse or more important than it really is.



Ryan **exaggerated** how many chocolate eggs he had eaten.

Synonym:

embellish
inflate

Antonym:

play down
understate

Prefix / Suffix:

over-
-tion

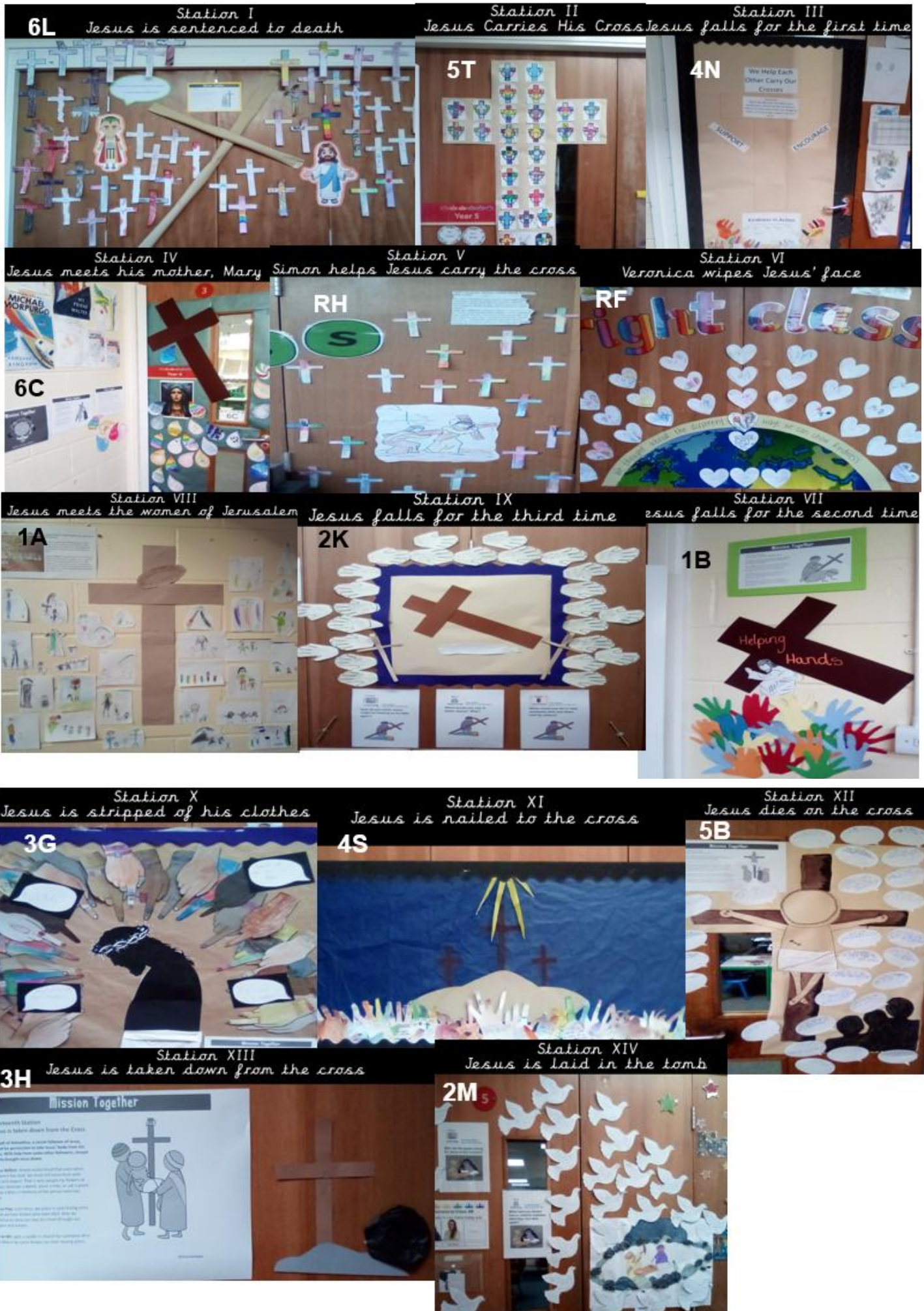
Rhyme:

elaborate
collaborate

Link Word:

excessively
slightly

'Each class created a beautifully reflective and respectful Stations of the Cross door display, offering a thoughtful visual journey through this important story.'





Kingsnorth PFA Newsletter

20.03.26



Easter Raffle Draw NEXT FRIDAY

Please return all ticket counterfoils and
payments by 26th March

**Our AGM is taking
place on
Monday 23rd March
at 7.30pm
The Queen's Head Pub
Everyone welcome!**



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