

# Year 3 Newsletter

Week beginning: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

## English



In English, the children practised how to organise information into paragraphs. We learnt how paragraphs are created and when might be a good idea to start a new paragraph. Using paragraphs breaks a chunk of writing into smaller parts, making it easy for the audience to read it.

We then discussed questions we could ask the four characters in the story – Little Red Riding Hood, Grandma, the woodcutter and the wolf. The children learnt how to ask relevant questions and wrote them in their books.



## Geography

The children learnt the process of erosion caused by rivers. We looked at some of the effects of erosion.

## Maths

We have started learning multiplication and division this week. The children started by creating equal groups and answering questions to consolidate their previous learning and fluency with vocabulary around this topic. The children were asked to create arrays and write out the four associated multiplication number sentences, creating fact families. They also worked out multiples of two.





## RE

We learnt that the meaning of the word 'incarnation' is 'being born'. From the Bible stories, the children tried to understand what kind of man Jesus is and why Christians believe that he is God incarnate. We will learn about Baptism next week. We were very fortunate to have Reverend Kelly to help us in answering some tricky questions in our lesson on the topic.



## Music

The children have enjoyed a lot of music this week! Mr Jaggard continued teaching the class ukulele. In addition to that, the children have started learning the songs for the Nativity! How exciting!



## PE

We have started learning hockey skills in our PE lesson. Since the weather was not on our side on Wednesday, we practised dribbling the ball using hockey sticks indoors. We learnt football dribbling skills from some of the boys who consider themselves to be the experts. Some of the girls proved that they can play the game just as well, if not better! 😊



## Spellings

All groups have been asked to learn all of the spellings on their sheet this week as they are the spellings that they have already learnt last year, and we repeat these words on a daily basis in the class.

## Reminder

If you have not yet returned the Parent Consultation letter, please do so as soon as you can. We still have slots left open on both the days. It will be great to discuss your child's progress so far in KS2.

Have an enjoyable weekend!

Mrs Pattanshetti, Mrs Glennon and Mrs Patterson 😊



*Our Remembrance Service on Friday*

