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Dear Parents and Children,

Collective Worship – Words

Last week in Key Stage assemblies the children reflected on our new school mission statement and were able to explain to each other what each of the statements means. We also thought about what our scripture attached to the mission statement “Growing in God’s Love” means.

Robinwood - Class 5

Our Class 5 pupils enjoyed three days of adventurous and challenging activities (and weather!) at Robinwood last week. I visited the class on their second day and was delighted to see how much they were enjoying the opportunities and how many people really pushed themselves to conquer their fears. The instructors at Robinwood were keen to tell me how impressed they were by the attitude and behaviour of our pupils and particularly how nobody complained about the dreadful weather. Thank you to parents for supporting the pupils to make the trip and to the staff for looking after them so well.

CAFOD Assemblies and Workshops

Today we are being visited by CAFOD volunteers who are going to present an assembly for the pupils and then run workshops for the rest of the day. Thank you to those parents who are coming along to take part in the workshops.

Religious Education Monitoring Visit

We will be visited by Father David Melly on March 8th for a monitoring visit as part of the Section 48 Inspection (Religious Education) cycle. I would be grateful if you could complete the short survey that was sent home on Friday and return it to school by this Friday 3rd March.

Ash Wednesday

This Wednesday the children will receive Ashes in school at 10am. Due to Father John needing to be in two parishes it is not possible for the children to attend mass to receive them.

World Book Day - 2nd March

This year we will celebrate World Book Day with a shared read. Each teacher will choose a story to read and children will be able to choose which story they would like to listen to. The children in Reception and Key Stage One will be treated to an author and illustrator visit and they will be able to buy the book which is called “Murphy and the Monsters” by BB Taylor. The book costs £6.99 or £6 with a World Book day Voucher which will be given to the children in school if you wish them to use it.

Children’s Liturgy

Children’s Liturgy (Little Church) has started again. There will be a Children’s Mass on Sunday 5th March - everyone is very welcome and Father John would be delighted to see you there.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

Regards,

Mrs. Monaghan



Growing in God's Love

