



THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND

**Kingsland CE (VA)
Primary School**



The Kingsland Times

Friday 15th March 2024

Let your light shine

“Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:16

Let your light shine on our vision:

As God’s children, overflowing with His light, we will shine before others to inspire, nurture and bring joy so all may embrace life in its fullness to the glory of God.

Our Christian value for this half-term is **THANKFULNESS**

Please help your child to reflect on the importance of this Christian value

Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)

How would you define spirituality? Our school's understanding of spirituality states: **'Spirituality is the recognition of your soul, the soul in others and that there is something greater than ourselves.'** The former Archbishop of Canterbury, George Carey, wrote: *'Church schools know that their viscera is not just about acquiring skills and good examination results. It is about forming people who have the moral strength and spiritual depth to hold to a course and weather ups and downs. It is about forming people who know that economic competition is not more important than family life and love of neighbour, and that technical innovation is not more important than reverence for the beauty of creation. It is about forming a people who, however academically and technically skilled, are not reduced to inarticulate embarrassment by the great questions of life and death, meaning and truth.'* In all that we do at Kingsland Church of England Primary School, we endeavour to nurture and value spirituality.

PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME

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Dates for your diary

Friday 15 th March	PTA Bingo – see advertisement later in the newsletter
Friday 22 nd March	Last day of term – Easter Service in Kingsland Church 1.30pm
Monday 8 th April	INSET day for teachers – school closed
Tuesday 9 th April	Start of summer term
Thursday 18 th April	KS2 visit to Leominster places of worship
WB 13 th May	KS2 national assessment week
27 th – 31 st May	Half term

Term dates can be found on the school website following the link:

<https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/term-dates/>

Congratulations go to the following children who have received Headteacher's Awards:

Faith, Jess, Flo, Mia, Olivia and **Austin** for super charcoal drawings for World Book Day; **Jasmine** and **Claude** for achieving full marks in arithmetic; **Effie** for super writing and effort in RWI – well done!

Big Question

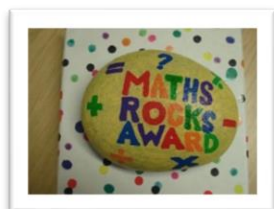
We continue our series of BIG QUESTIONS as a focus for family discussions. This week's BIG QUESTION is:

How would you define spirituality?



This week's attendance – well done Class 1!

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	School total
97.5%	91.94%	96.86%	96.67%	92.35%	94.81%



Every Friday, a child is awarded with "The Maths Rock" – this is given to a child who has worked especially hard in maths during the week. This week's winner is **Grace** ... Well done!

House Tokens

Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!

Ambrey	Berrington	Croft	Mortimer
Henry Arthur Cora Willow Freddie Ruby	The Class 1 Team Hugh Harvey Harriet Renee Emily	The Class 1 Team Ronnie	The Class 1 Team Iris Arthur Elsie Molly Clara

Safeguarding

For safeguarding reasons, please ensure, when dropping children off at school (particularly at the front gate), that parents ensure their child is safely through the green gates before leaving. Once children are through the green gates, the school becomes responsible for the children. Thank you for your understanding of this.



Sport Report

Kingsland CE Primary School had a thoroughly enjoyable day yesterday running through the mud at the Lucton Cross Country. The children showed incredible stamina and determination to complete the course. They all did fantastically well! Ollie, Jasmine and Ella came 1st, and Sophia and Harry came 3rd. Well done everyone!

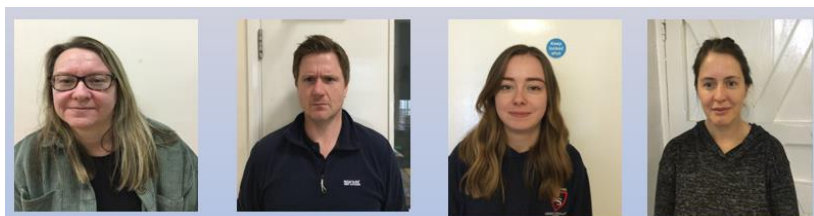
This week has been a busy week of sport. The Year 6s played netball against Lucton last Friday and had a narrow loss after a great comeback. On Monday, some Year 4 children took part in their first hockey match and had a thoroughly enjoyable time. Tuesday was the finals day of the Rolle Cup: we narrowly missed out on playing in the final by just 2 tries.

Science Week

THANK YOU to Mrs Smith and the staff for organising a very successful and memorable Science Week – I am sure you have heard all about the mystery of the biscuit crumbs! Proceedings culminated in a court case on Friday morning ...



The four suspects!



Each class undertook a series of investigations, looking at a range of different evidence:

Class 5

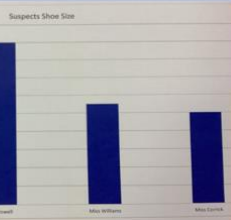
Do you have an alibi?

Miss Corrick	Yes- Mrs Wilson and Mr Debenham
Mr Powell	No
Miss Williams	No
Mrs Crump	Mrs Lyndsey

Do you have an alibi?

Mrs Crump	Yes
Mr Powell	No
Miss Williams	No
Miss Corrick	Yes

What is your favourite biscuit?



What time did the suspects arrive in school?

Miss Corrick	7.55am
Mr Powell	7.20am
Miss Williams	7.00am
Mrs Crump	7.45

Do you wear lipstick?

"Only on the weekends, so no" ~ Mr Powell

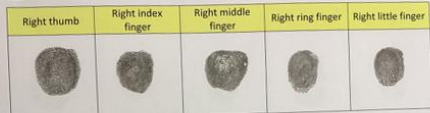
"No, I wouldn't wear it to school" ~ Miss Williams

"No, I hate lipstick!" ~ Miss Corrick

"No comment" ~ Mrs Crump

Class 4

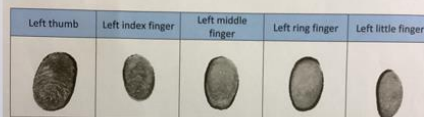
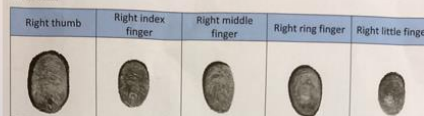
Mrs Crump



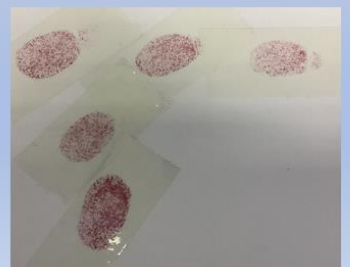
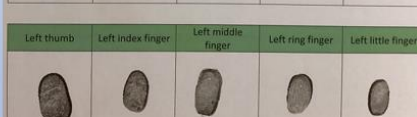
Miss Williams



Mr Powell



Miss Corrick



Class 3

Science Week : Crime Scene Investigation
Shoe Print Measurements
 Use cm/ mm to measure the shoeprints of each suspect

Suspects	cm	mm	Shoe Size
Miss Corrick	25 cm	250 mm	7
Mr Powell	27 cm	270 mm	9
Miss Williams	28 cm	280 mm	6 1
Mrs Crump	25 cm	250 mm	5
Prints at the Scene	28 cm	280 mm	

Our conclusion based on the evidence gathered:
 The evidence shows the length and
 and the pattern that matches to the
 print at the scene I think it could
 be Mrs Williams

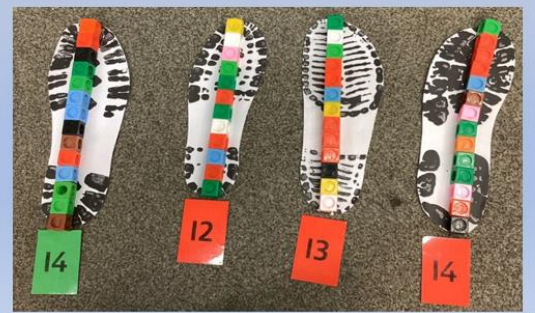
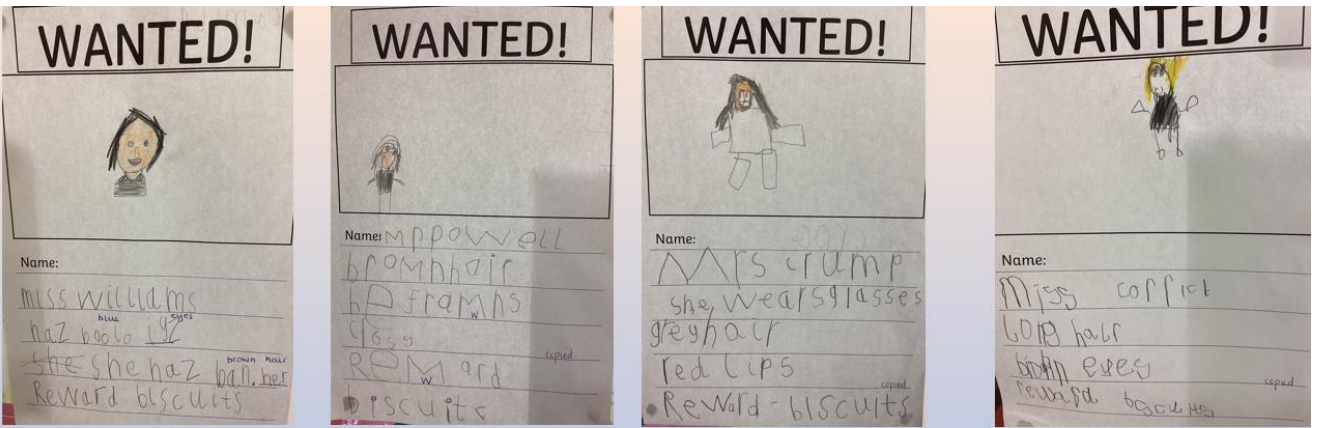


Class 2



Thank you to Phoebe Lytle who came to talk about forensics and investigations

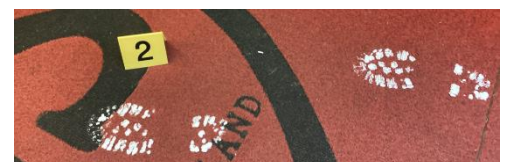
Class 1



An evidence board was set up ...



We can now release CCTV imagery of the culprit ...



The courtroom ...



Mmmm, enough about this!

Mrs Smith took the delivery of some more damning evidence.

The jury came to their conclusion ...



The judge gave the verdict and handed out the consequence ... Miss Williams gave a heartfelt apology and promised to replace all the eaten biscuits!

Herefordshire Performing Arts Festival Celebration Concert

On Monday this week, we enjoyed a fabulous evening of poetry, readings and choir singing – well done to all the children who took part in this year's HPAF! And especially to Yarna who was selected to perform her poem in the HPAF Gala Concert in The Courtyard on Thursday!





FRIDAY 15th MARCH
Doors open- 5PM
KINGSLAND SCHOOL HALL
Refreshments available

The Easter Bingo is an event for the children and their families. Parents are asked to stay with their children throughout. There will be lots of chocolate eggs to win, with prizes for a completed line and full house!



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HOLIDAYS

TALK COMMUNITY



FREE FAMILY ACTIVITY DAY



FOR FAMILIES THAT ARE FEELING THE PINCH

**ACTIVITIES
INCLUDE**

CHEERLEADING, DANCE, CRAFTS,
COOKING, AERIAL HOOP,
FOOTBALL, CLIMBING, BOXING,
SLIME-MAKING, PARKOUR

**AND
LOTS
MORE**

**GRAB A FREE
TOOTHBRUSH**

**INCLUDES A
FREE MEAL**



**WHITECROSS HIGH SCHOOL,
HEREFORD, HR4 0RN**



**SATURDAY 23RD MARCH,
10:30AM - 2:30PM**



BOOK ONLINE AT: WWW.EEQU.ORG/EXPERIENCE/7420
CONTACT THE TEAM AT: HAF@HEREFORDSHIRE.GOV.UK



SIX

TEEN EDITION

BY TOBY MARLOW AND LUCY MOSS

Where history meets the future on stage in 2024!

Prepare to be captivated by the energy, enthusiasm and undeniable talent of these incredible young performers, as they bring the story of Henry VIII's wives to life with modern beats and contemporary flair.

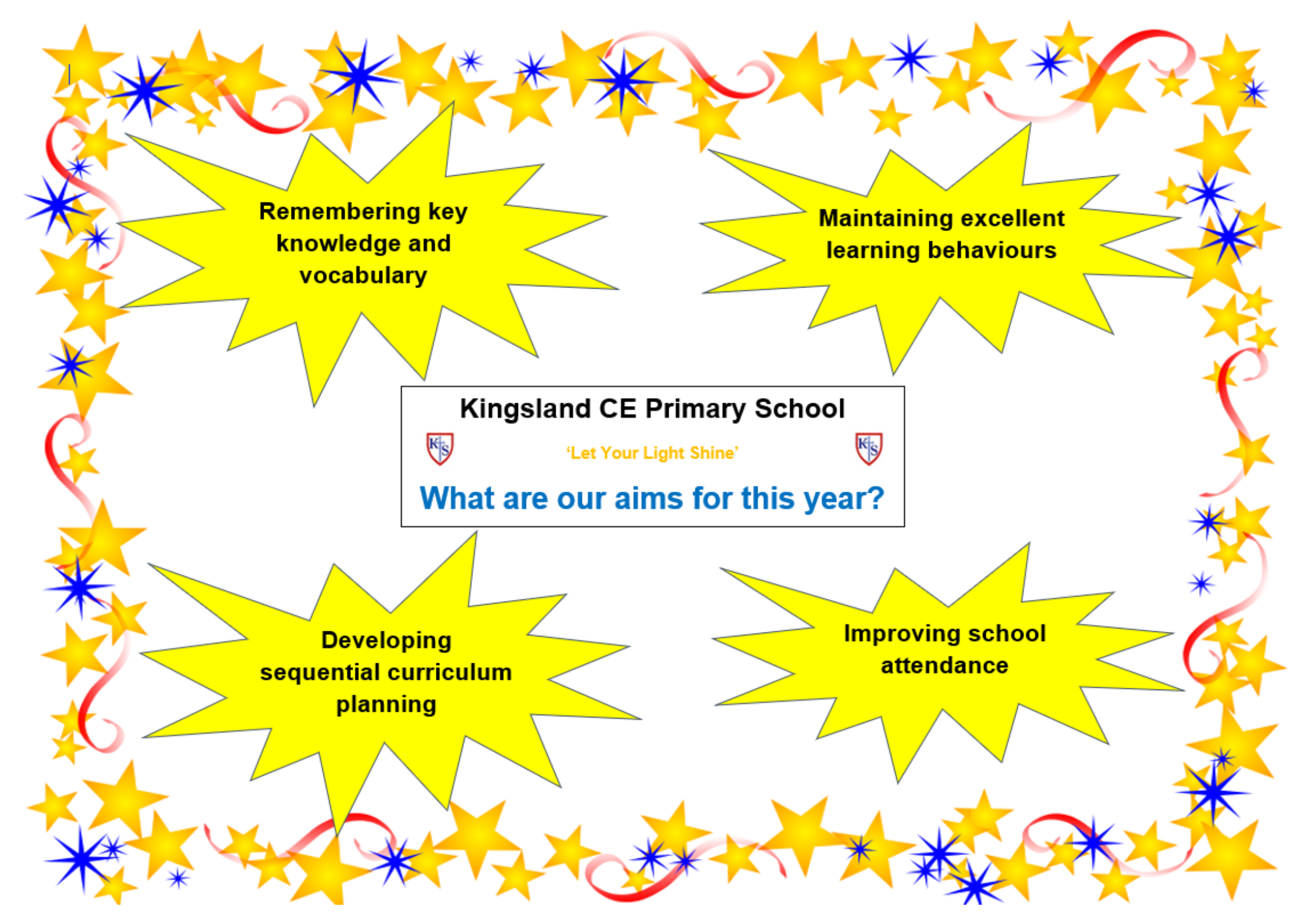
Friday 22nd March 7pm

Saturday 23rd March 7pm

**Conquest Theatre
6 Tenbury Road Bromyard HR74LL**

Book Now: www.conquest-theatre.co.uk

This amateur production of SIX: TEEN EDITION is presented by special arrangement with Concord Theatricals. www.concordtheatricals.co.uk



**Remembering key
knowledge and
vocabulary**

**Maintaining excellent
learning behaviours**

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'Let Your Light Shine'



What are our aims for this year?

**Developing
sequential curriculum
planning**

**Improving school
attendance**



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This half term's Christian value is:

THANKFULNESS

Educating for Community and
Living Well Together



A prayer for THANKFULNESS

Thank you, God, for all your blessings to me and my family; for the strength you give me each day and for all the people around me who make life more meaningful. Amen

Christian Value Family Reflection

Welcome to our Christian Value Family Reflection which offers some suggestions, thoughts and ways into exploring and reflecting on the value of this half term: **THANKFULNESS**

A reflection on THANKFULNESS by Wendy Priday, Foundation Governor, Eardisland Church

A Bible story that illustrates the value of THANKFULNESS is the story of the ten lepers: Luke, Chapter 17.

A leper is a person who has a disease called leprosy which causes sores all over their bodies. In Jesus' day this disease was very common – people who had this disease were thought to be unclean and were required to stay away from others because of the fear that they may be infected.

One day, Jesus was walking through a small village when he saw a group of ten lepers. They stood far away from Jesus and called to him, “Jesus, Master, have pity on us.” Obviously, they knew who Jesus was and that he had the power to heal them. When Jesus heard them, he called back to the lepers and said “Go, show yourselves to the priest.”

As the lepers went on their way to see the priest, they looked at their skin and the sores were gone! Jesus had healed their disease! They were so happy that they ran up and down the streets singing and dancing. Suddenly, one of them stopped and went back. Praising God with a loud voice, he threw himself at Jesus' feet and said “Thank you”. Jesus said to him, “Weren't there ten who were healed? Where are the other nine?” Only one out of ten remembered to say, “Thank you.”

Every one of us has so much for which to be thankful and don't you just hate it when someone does something nice for you and you are prompted with the words “Now what do you say?” We all know what to say, but unfortunately, we sometimes forget to say it - which is what happened in our Bible story.

I wonder how often you remember to say “Thank you” ... to your family, to your teachers, to other children. Furthermore, how could you SHOW that you are thankful, as well as just saying it ...?

There is a very old saying “Count your blessings” and, indeed, it reminds us to celebrate and be truly thankful for everything, our families and friends and the acts of service in this amazing world that keep us all going each and every day.