



ST JOSEPH'S
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents,

We have a really busy final few weeks in school.

Gospel Reading

This week's reading is from St Mark's Gospel. Jesus was back in his home town and teaching in the synagogue. The people were very surprised. They couldn't understand how Jesus, who they had known since he was a little boy, could have so much wisdom and teach so well. Let's see if next week we can try not to judge anyone for where they come from or who their family is, but instead listen to them, look out for the special things that they do, and see what we can learn from them.



Homework

This week we are sharing some of the fabulous homework that has been sent in this half term.

An FS2 child exploring the train platform for their Journeys topic.



A wonderful rhino habitat made by one of our Y1 children as part of his homework. He knows all there is to know about rhinos!



One Year 2 child made this huge Taj Mahal as part of their 'What a Wonderful World' homework.



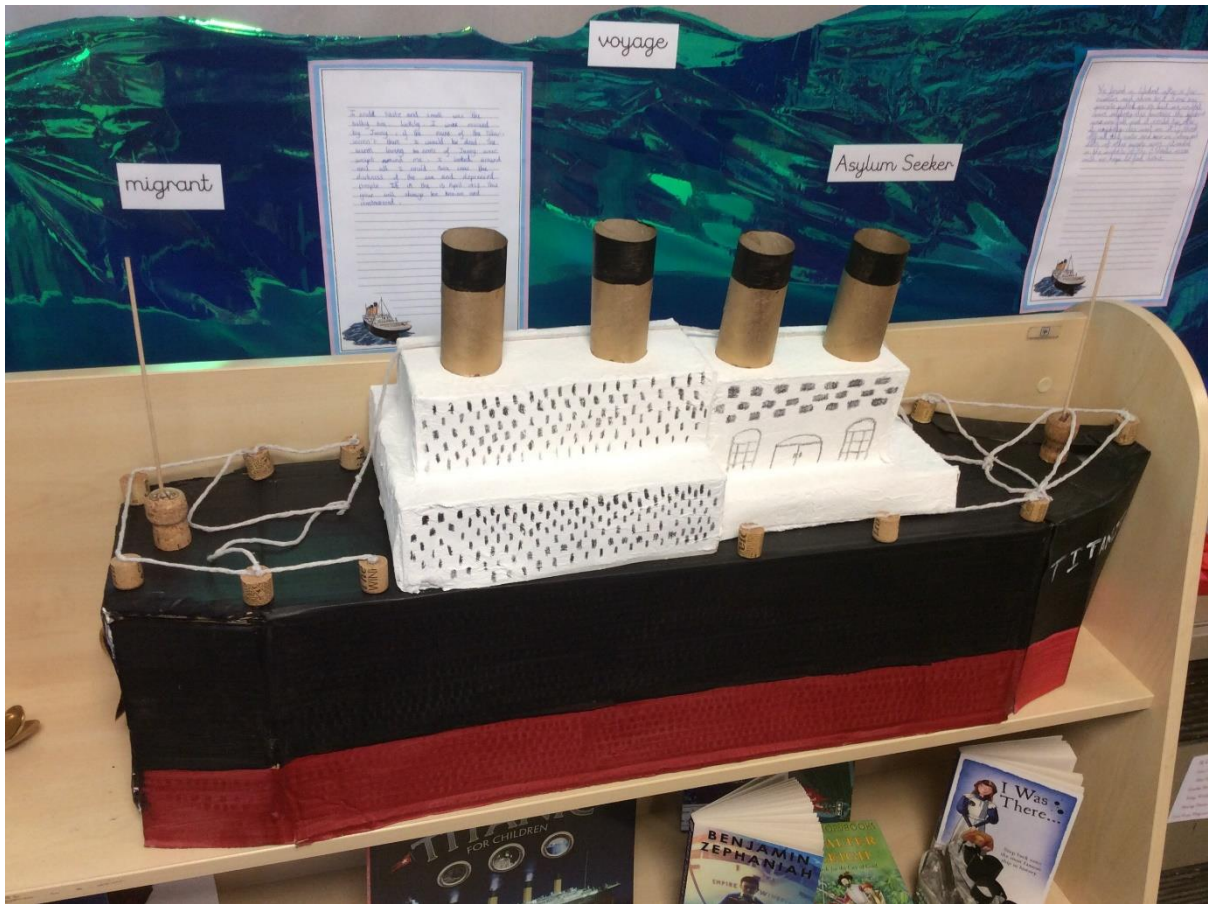
A beautiful shell necklace made by one of the Y3 boys as part of the Coast to Coast Geography topic. All shells sourced from Runswick Bay!



Two Y4s showing off their 3D models of the water cycle which they created.



Look at this amazing model of the Titanic that was made by Macey in Y5!



Children in Y6 have been asked to help their local environment by going on a litter pick. They have been shocked by the amount of litter found in their local attractions.





Well done to the following children, your teachers are very pleased with the time you have spent learning your times tables!

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| Y2 | Oliver M | Y3 | Ellie |
| Y4 | Isabelle | Y5 | Quinn |
| Y6 | Isaac C | | |

Stars of the Week

Teachers have awarded certificates this week to children who have been kind to others.



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| FS1 | Ellis and Harry |
| FS2 | Martha and Connie |
| Y1 | Charley and William |
| Y2 | Isaac and Matthew |
| Y3 | Ava and Xanthie |
| Y4 | Chloe and Freya |
| Y5 | Florence and Scarlett |
| Y6 | George and Oliver P |

Lexia

We have lots of children accessing Lexia, a web based reading programme. The following children for a special mention and certificate this week as they are making a real effort with their reading at home. Well done!

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| Y1 | Oskar | Y2 | Henry |
| Y3 | Logan | Y4 | Layla |
| Y5 | Brooke | Y6 | Luke |

HOUSE POINTS

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| St Anthony | 199 points |
| St Cuthbert | 197 points |
| St Joseph | 170 points |
| Our Lady, Star of the Sea | 215 points |
| Well done to everyone in Our Lady, Star of the Sea | |

A couple of reminders!

Covid

If you need to report a positive test result or your child has symptoms out of school hours, please ring me on 07826789383 or email covidpositive@stjosephs.npcat.org.uk so that any arrangements that need to be made in school can be made as quickly as possible.

Please make sure that you inform us as soon as possible if during a school day.

Thank you for your support with this.

End of day routines

Please make sure that you do not arrive early to pick children up from school. Y2, Y4 and Y6 leave school at 3.05pm.

FS, Y1, Y3 and Y5 leave at 3.15pm (unless siblings in Y2 Y4 Y6).

Children will not be released from classes outside of these times. We are continuing to work hard to avoid any cases and thank you for your support with this.

Uniform

Lollipops, our uniform supplier, will be in school on the 8th July. You can make an appointment (by phoning the office) to order uniform for 21/22. We will make these appointments Covid safe. Lollipops have advised that you check the sizes that your children are wearing now before you come.

We have now got a price list and I will send this out on Monday.

Term Planner

Some dates for the next couple of weeks.

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| Mon 5th July | |
| Tues 6th July | New to FS2 Information Sent home Reports Home to parents |
| Wed 7th July | New to FS2 lunch |
| Thurs 8th July | Lollipops Uniform 3-5pm |
| Fri 9th July | Ice Pop Friday |
| Sat 10th July | |
| Sun 11th July | |
| Mon 12th July | |
| Tues 13th July | Transition to new classes FS2 Graduation - children only |
| Wed 14th July | Retreat/picnic lunch/treat - children only |
| Thurs 15th July | Last after school clubs Y6 presentations - TBC |
| Fri 16th July | Leaver's Mass - children only Break Up |

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs A G Toward

Head teacher