

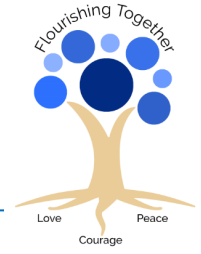
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Newsletter 3rd December 2021

Flourishing Together, in the love of God, to live life in all its fullness.



A note from the Headteacher

Another two weeks of flourishing have flown by. The children have shown huge enthusiasm for all the learning they have experienced, demonstrating great pride and courage. From acting out the Three Little Pigs—innovating the story to come up with their own, working through systematically to understand the properties of materials and understanding the importance of knowing the four operations in maths and how they link to life after school.

The children in Year 2, 3 and 4 have thoroughly enjoyed a virtual author visit from the one and only Nick Sharratt.

As we draw a close to the first week in Advent, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a lovely festive weekend.

With very best wishes,
Mrs Orla Gibbons
Headteacher



Christmas Season Update

As COVID cases remain high, we want to be extremely vigilant in how we approach our Christmas celebrations. We understand that this will be the second year in a row whereby it is 'very different' to normal times. We want to really try to ensure that our children and our families have as 'normal' a festive advent season as possible. With this in mind, we will aim to have our EYFS and KS1 nativity in the Church with a live audience. However, St Thomas' Church has a risk assessment which we must adhere to. We are not able to have anymore than 80 people in total in the church. This means with our children and staff we can only offer 1 place per child. We know that this is not ideal but we have a responsibility to keep everyone safe. Please see below for additional information. The nativity will be recorded to share with those who could not attend due to numbers.

Morning Nativity—Blossom parents only. Time to be confirmed next week

Afternoon Nativity—Willow parents only. Time to be confirmed next week

However, we will switch to online recording and no live audience if our school COVID cases rise within the next week. We will let you know if this is the case.

Our KS2 Christingle service for Birch and Willow Classes will go ahead in the Church but will be recorded and shared online for all to experience—there will be no live audience for this service.

I want to take this opportunity to say that we truly understand how these decisions may impact on children and families but again I would like to reiterate that safety for all is paramount and at the forefront of our decision making processes. Guidance from PHE and the Local Authority is to NOT have live performances if there are any COVID cases within school.



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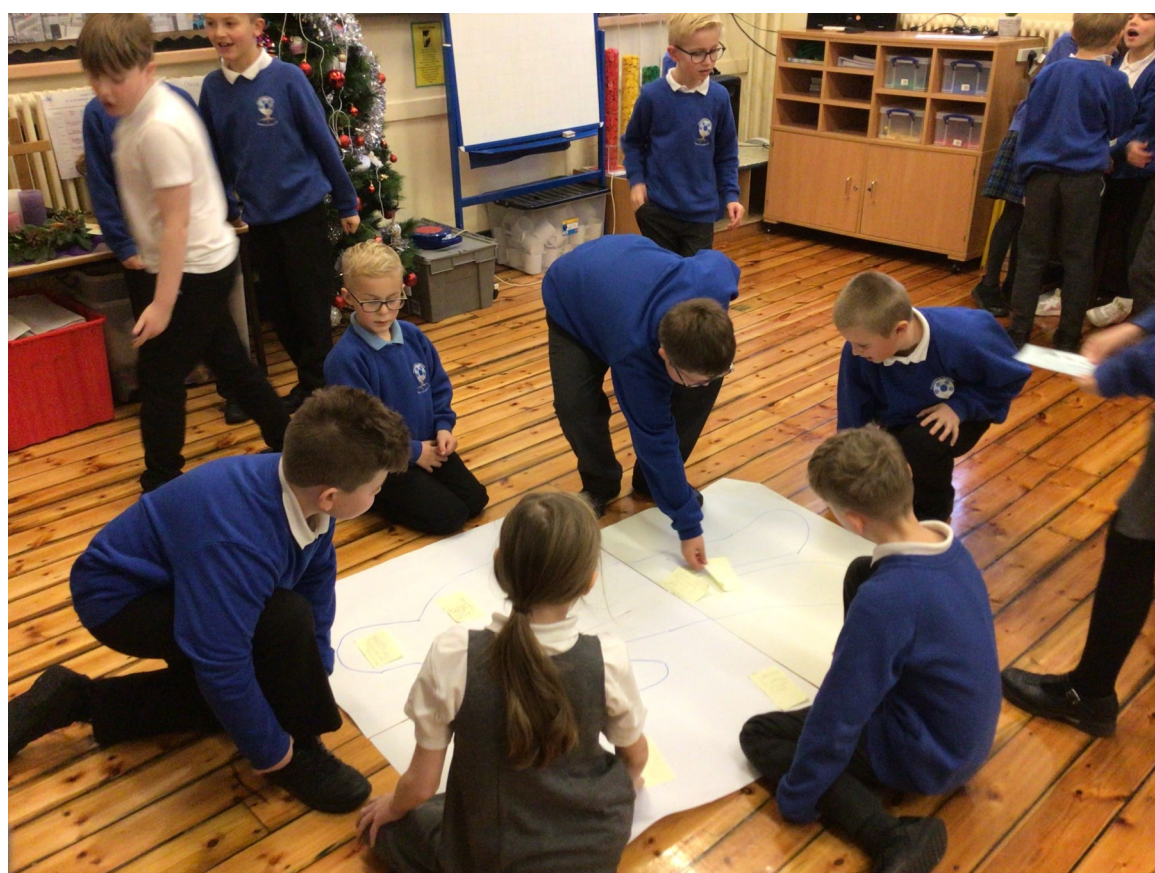


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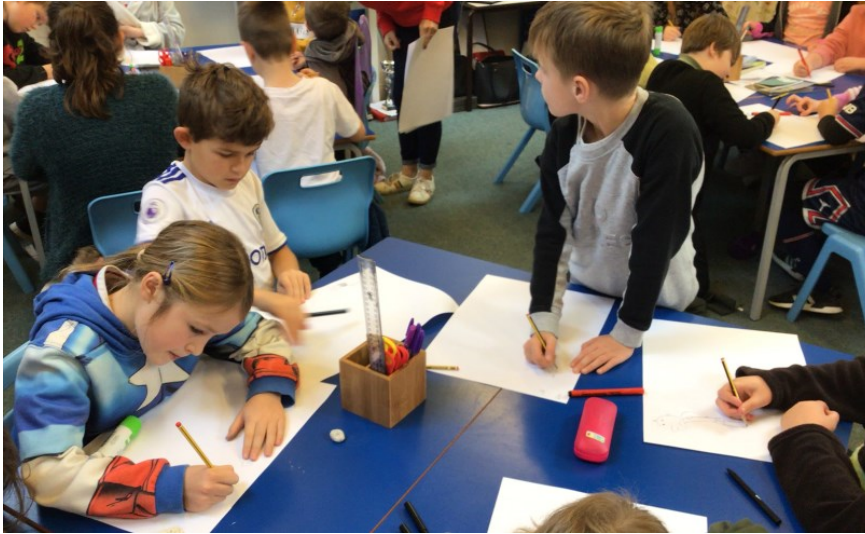


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Flourishing together— Jeff Kinney Sketching



P.E. Reminders

Blossom — Tuesday and Friday
Willow — Wednesday and Friday
Birch — Monday and Wednesday
Oak — Tuesday and Friday

Children to come to school in a clearly named P.E. Kit on their allocated P.E. days only.



Uniform Reminders

Please make sure your child wears correct uniform each day. Trainers are only to be worn on P.E. days and long hair should be tied back at all times for health and safety reasons.

Please ensure your child's name is on all items of uniform. We have a growing stock of 'lost' uniform in school.



Road Safety

Road safety is a vital life saving skill that we need to teach and role model for our children. The roads around our school are becoming increasingly busy particularly at drop off and pick up times at the beginning and end of the day.

If you do need to cross the road, please use the pedestrian crossing outside of school. We really appreciate your support with this.



A Huge Thank you

We would like to say a huge thank you for your generosity and kindness. We have received a tremendous amount of donations for both the Christmas coloured hampers as well as the Christmas Santa Shop. Any last minute donations can still be brought into school on Monday. Raffle tickets can be paid for via ParentPay. Thank you.



Parent/Carer emails and Forms

Please can you return all your e forms back to school ASAP. It is imperative that we have the correct information held in school. We need **ALL** families to fully complete these forms. They include permissions, contact information and medical information.



- Dec**
- 3rd Nick Sharratt Zoom Reading Workshop—Year 2, 3 and 4
 - 7th Girls Football Festival
 - 13th Key Stage 1 Nativity (see details above)
 - Blossom—morning showing
 - Willow—afternoon showing
 - 15th Christmas Dinner, Christmas Jumper day and Christmas shop.
 - 16th Key Stage 2 Christingle Service (online and recorded)
 - 17th Last Day of Term and Christmas Service in school

The Great Skipton Santa Fun Run 2021

Run, jog, walk, wheelchair for charity



Team Sutton CE

The team had an amazing time, running in the snow last Sunday raising money for school. We would like to thank you all for your generous donations through parent pay. We will be using these funds to support the continued development of our playground.



Parent support

- Did you know North Yorkshire County Council have PRE-PAID for every parent and carer in North Yorkshire to access a range of courses for parents/carers (access now for life-long access)?
- There are courses for parents, carers and grandparents about children from bump to 19+ years, from the [Solihull Approach](#) (NHS).

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- Understanding your pregnancy, birth, labour and your baby
- Understanding your baby
- Understanding your child (0-19+ yrs, main course)
- Understanding your child with additional needs (0-19+ yrs, main course)
- Understanding your child's feelings (taster course)
- Understanding your child's brain (short course)
- 'Understanding your brain (for teenagers only!)
- Understanding your child's mental health and wellbeing (accompanies UYC and UYCAD)

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The advertisement features a collage of four images: a young girl in a yellow shirt, a young girl in a pink shirt holding a pencil, a young boy, and a smiling woman. A large blue speech bubble in the center contains the text 'NEW TERM NEW START NEW LEARNING FOR PARENTS TOO!'. Three smaller speech bubbles contain testimonials. The top left corner has the 'UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD SOLIHULL APPROACH' logo with five colorful icons. The top right corner has the NHS logo. The bottom right corner has a small icon of a family.