



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

'Love God, Love Others, Love Ourselves'



Miss Egan writes.....

What a difference the weather has made! It has been lovely to see everyone smiling and enjoying the sunshine this past week. It is hard to believe that we only have 5 weeks left of this academic year and, as always, this end of the Summer term remains busy. We are continuing to include as many things as we can and we will keep you updated. I am pleased that this week, Y6 have been able to enjoy a retreat at Abbotwick and plans are in place for our 'Sports Festival Week' in a couple of weeks' time.

I would like to wish all our Dad's and Grandads a very Happy Father's Day this weekend. We ask our Heavenly Father to bless those who may find Sunday a difficult day and we remember them in our prayers.

'Connect with Nature'

Back in May, we asked the children ask friends and family to sponsor them to do a nature walk to 'Connect with Nature' and raise funds for the Mental Health Foundation. The response was amazing and thanks to those who sent up pictures and updates about what they did. I am happy to tell you that the children's efforts and your support we raised the fantastic sum of.....

£1412.18!!!!

Brentwood Catholic Children's Society

continues to support the emotional health and wellbeing of children, and families and are seeing an even greater need for their services at this time. Please take a minute to read about their work.

https://www.bccs.org.uk/application/files/5916/2315/2865/bccs_Newsletter_Summer_2021.pdf

Spotlight on.....Y3



Year 3 have been very busy in the last few weeks. We have learnt in many different ways and have been having lots of fun!

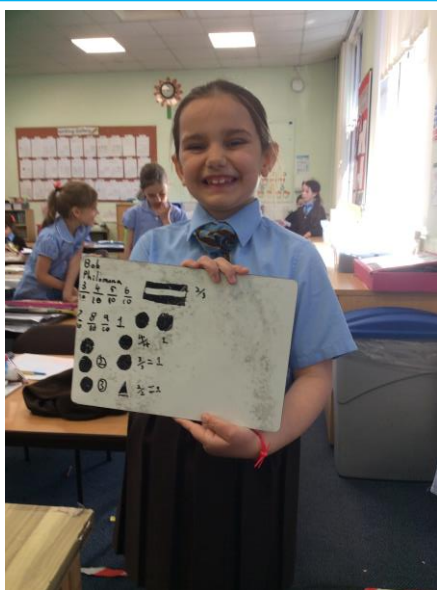


We have been writing persuasive letters to Miss Egan, convincing her to allow animals into school, to which we were successful! Pickles the miniature sausage dog came to visit our school and loved the stories we read her. The children loved being able to share their ideas and so did Pickles.



In D&T the children have been designing, making and evaluating their own kites. This was an amazing opportunity to learn about different inventors and become one themselves.





In Maths, we have been learning about fractions and how to add numbers with the same denominator. Although this was a little challenging the children were so proud of the learning they had accomplished.

In Science, we have explored how different surfaces and heights can cause friction and how this affects a moving car.



In History, we have been learning about Romans and even got to dress up for the today to attend our workshop. The children were able to act out battle scenes and traditional myths and legends.