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Autumn Eco Newsletter



We are delighted that our school has won 1st prize at the Manchester Airport eco schools awards. A huge 'Thank You' to Mrs. Marshall and the whole of the C.C.I.S. and C.C.J. community for all of their hard work in helping us achieve this. The plans for the new outdoor classroom and developing forest school sound amazing!

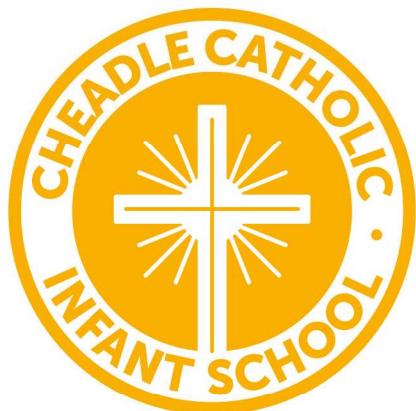
Cop 27

6th November- 18th November, 2022

Our year 2 children were extremely knowledgeable about the Sharm el-Sheikh conference (Cop 27) that took place in Egypt during November, 2022. There were 35,000 representatives of 190 countries at the conference. This is what our year 2 children said:

Orla: "All leaders came together to discuss and try to resolve Eco concerns."
Ivy: "We must create more energy using wind power and solar sources."





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Ciara: "Dropping litter is irresponsible as it can harm or kill animals and sea creatures."

Well done children!



'Cut Your Carbon' is a national week of action running from the 6th-10th February, 2023. We are encouraged to pass our clothes on or donate them to charity shops, reduce energy and food waste.



Energy Investigators

In our drive to reduce wasting energy, our eco warriors will be doubling up as energy investigators. They will be checking lights and interactive whiteboards are turned off when leaving the classrooms and windows are closed.

Biodiversity

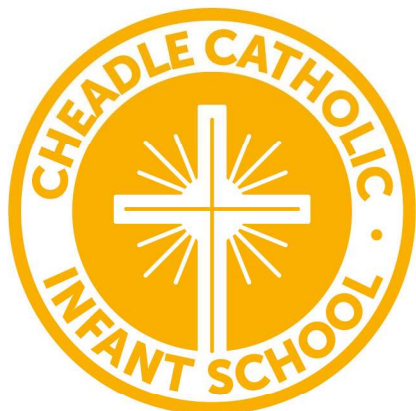


To maintain our 'Eco Schools Green Flag' status we need to continue to work on our topics 'Healthy Living' and 'School Grounds'. We are also introducing a new topic on 'Biodiversity'. Here is a simple video clip for children on biodiversity:

<https://youtu.be/ErATB1aMiSU>

Our Forest School is on target to fulfil nearly all of the criteria needed for the biodiversity strand of the Eco Schools programme as Mrs. Marshall and her team have installed bug hotels, bird baths, bird feeders, bird boxes and a hedgehog home.





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Also, all of our pupils have been involved in observing and recording nature. We will be promoting the Big Garden Birdwatch on 27th – 29th January, 2023 so we encourage you to put bird food out to attract lots of birds to your gardens and parks for this event.

Year One Eco Warriors / Energy Investigators

After meeting with our year one Eco Warriors, they have decided that we need to re-visit parts of the Eco Code each half -term to ensure our Nursery and Reception children become more familiar with it. This is what we will be concentrating on in the Spring Term:

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Eco Code 2022- 2023

Please remember to:

- always put litter in the bin and switch off lights, interactive whiteboards and monitors when not in use.

Year Two Eco Warriors / Energy Investigators

Our year two Eco Warriors re- enforced the eco messages from our Eco Code. This is what they said:

Daniel: "Pick up litter to keep our school grounds litter free."

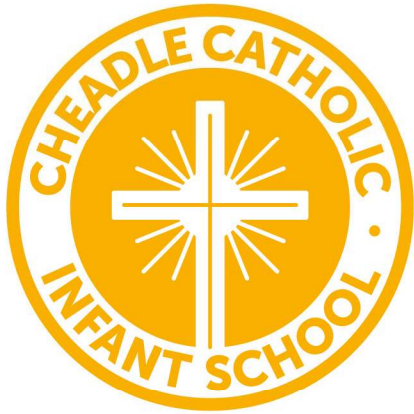
Ernie: "Make sure you turn electrical appliances off when not in use."

Edward: "We need to keep planting trees."

Odhran: "We need trees to grow food."

Ernie: "We must not chop down too many trees as they are needed to clean our air."

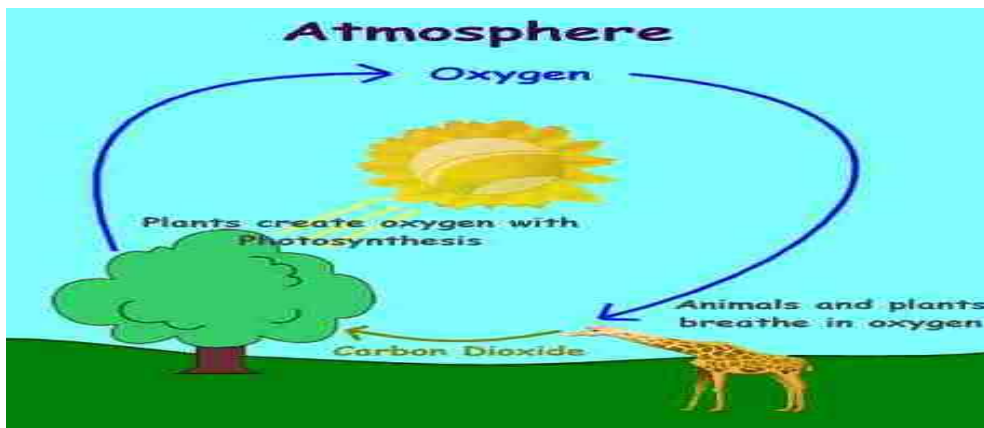




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Thank you children for sharing these really important messages.

Cop15

7th December-19th December 2022

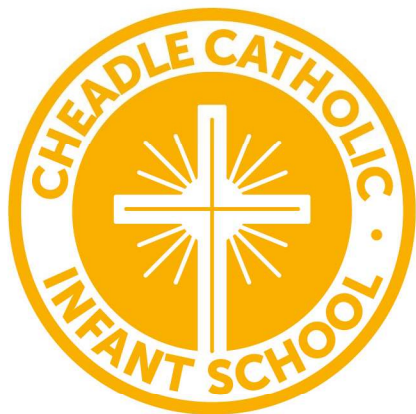
Finally, it was great to hear that at the United Nations Biodiversity Conference (Cop15) held in Canada, 23 targets have been set to stem the loss of wildlife, plants and habitats across the world with the aim to halt and reverse biodiversity loss by 2030. Every little thing we do and educating our children will contribute to this.

Thank you for all of your help and support and if you have any ideas or suggestions about how we can develop further as an Eco School, please get in touch.

Wishing you a wonderful Christmas and best wishes for the new year,

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