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### Eco Newsletter

#### Spring Term 2024

## Eco Garden

Well done to our Eco Warriors. Mrs. Glynn was delighted and so proud to hear how knowledgeable you were about our Eco initiatives when our local councillor, Mary Robinson MP, came to visit. A huge 'thank you' to Mrs. Marshall for all of the amazing work she done since winning the 'Manchester Airport Community Award' one year ago. Forest School is looking fantastic and all of the children have had so much fun learning in this stimulating outdoor area!

#### Eco Code

We have now updated our Eco Code. It is displayed in every classroom.

As it is 'Walk to School Week' from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2024- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024, our Eco focus after the Easter holidays will be on the importance of walking, cycling or scooting instead of driving to help us keep fit and also to reduce air pollution.





### Please try to:

-walk, cycle or use a scooter more often instead of driving and plant more plants and trees to help keep our air clean.











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#### Nursery

Our Nursery children love dressing up as pirates and creating treasure maps. The Nursery Team have been consulting with our caretaker, Mr Roberts, about re- using materials and making a pirate ship. If you know of anyone who could possibly help us with this project, please let us know.





# Reception

We have recruited our new Reception Eco Warriors and have had our first meeting looking at the updated Eco Code and thinking about the focus for after the Easter holidays. Thank you children for showing so much enthusiasm!











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# Year One

Our Year 1 children thoroughly enjoyed their topic on Polar Regions. These are some of the facts they remembered:

### **Penguins**

"Penguins live in Antarctica. They waddle and move their shoulders. The females lay eggs and then leaves the eggs with the males as they go off to find food. The males can carry the eggs on their feet. When the female penguins return, they regurgitate food for the new baby penguins that have hatched out of their eggs. "





#### Polar Bears

"Polar bears are dangerous animals and mainly live in the Arctic Circle where it is incredibly cold. Their fur is translucent and they are the largest land carnivores in the world. They are great swimmers and they love to eat seals. They are a threatened species."











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Thank you Year 1 for sharing these interesting facts. We are going to be learning more about 'threatened species' and wear an item of green on 'Endangered Species Day' to raise money for the WWF, an organisation that helps endangered species.

## **Endangered Species Day**



Endangered Species Day 2024: May 17th



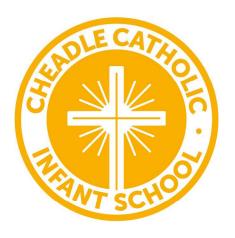












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# Year Two

As part of the 'Great Big School Clean' project, our Year 2 Eco Leaders have been out on a litter pick. They retrieved some litter that had been blown into the bushes. They have also been learning about the importance of recycling in the coloured bins and re- using materials to help reduce landfill.

Thank you Year 2 for reminding us about these really important messages.

Wishing you all a wonderful Easter and thank you for all that you do to help our planet,

Mrs. B. Burke and the Eco Warriors

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