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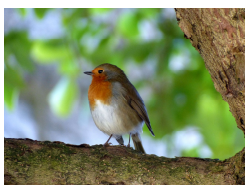
At Cheadle Catholic Infant School we **love** and **respect** each other.
We **love** to learn and let our inner light **shine** brightly in all that we do.

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This week in our Monday Assembly we launched the 'Year of the Pilgrimage.'

Over the year we will be virtually exploring pilgrimage sites and Saints stories from across the world.

We will be joining other Catholic schools across the Diocese in this exciting journey.



RSPB Bird Watch

As one of our 'Eco School' initiatives, we would like to invite you and your child/ children to take part in the RSPB 'Big Garden Birdwatch'. To take part you need to count the birds for one hour in your garden, local park or from your balcony between 28th and 30th January 2022 and record your results.

We have attached the results sheet to this email.



It would be great if you could inform us if you were able to take part, let us know your findings and share any photographs you may have taken by emailing us. We can then collate all the information from participants and share it with everyone.

Good luck and we look forward to hearing from you if you are able to take part!

Mrs. B. Burke and The Eco Warriors

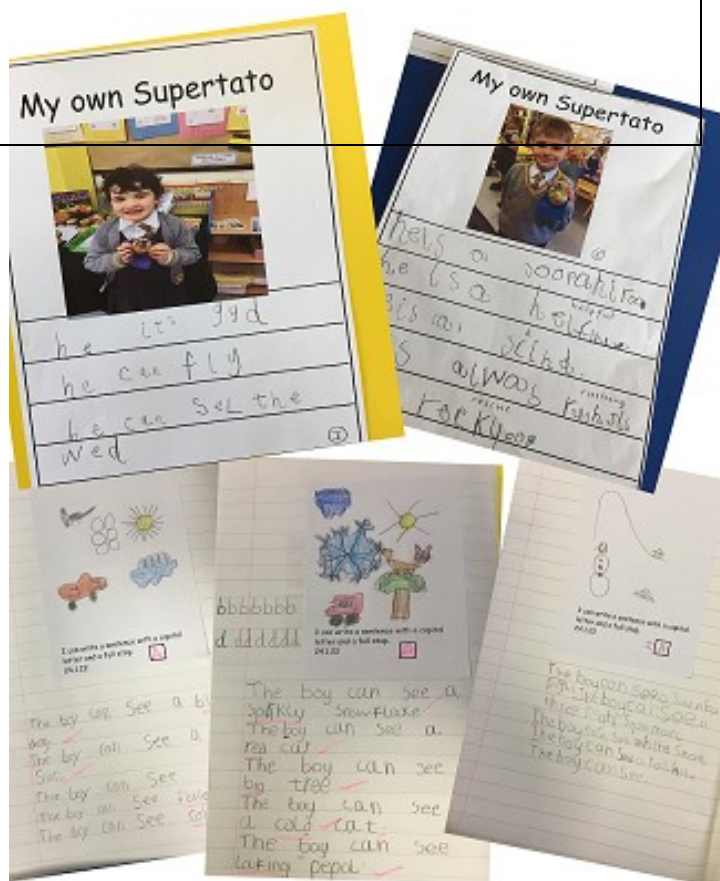
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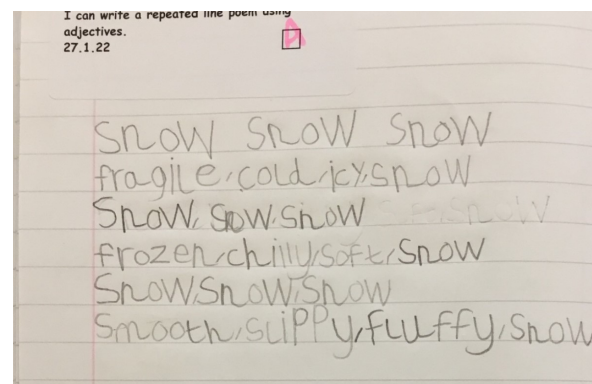
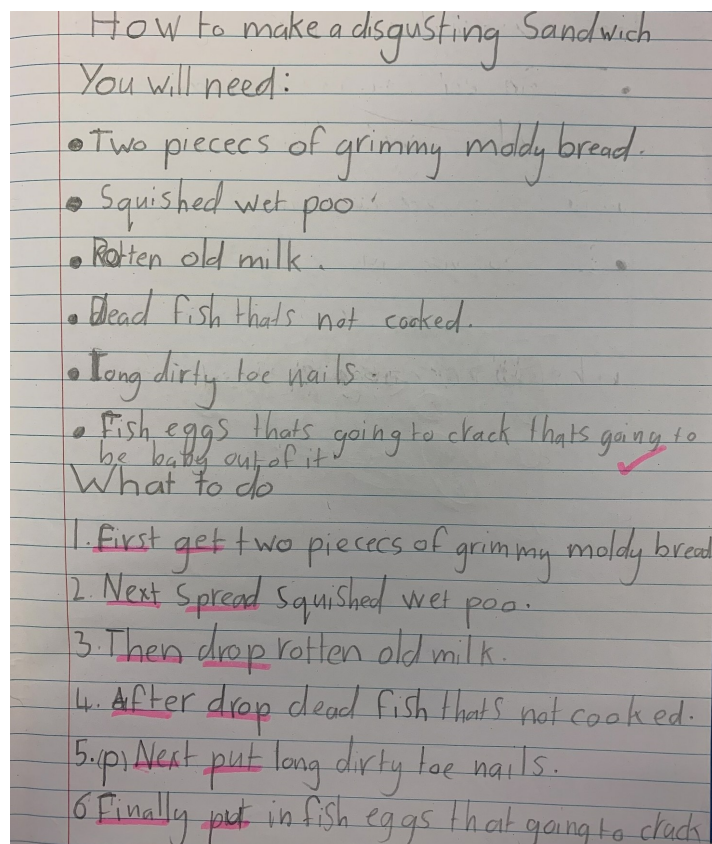
Curriculum News:

| PUPIL VOICE SNAPSHOTS FROM THIS WEEK | |
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| EYFS: | <i>'I love my music lessons.'</i> Grace <i>'I love counting in maths.'</i> Thea |
| Year 1 | <i>'I love learning.'</i> Annie <i>'We tested gloves to see which were the best waterproof gloves to use in the Arctic.'</i> Orla |
| Year 2 | <i>'Forest School is great!'</i> <i>'I love writing.'</i> Alex |

This week I have been reminding the children how they can 'shine' in their school work. We have spoken about having pride in our work. and always trying our best. I have been delighted and very proud to see lots of excellent writing across school this week.

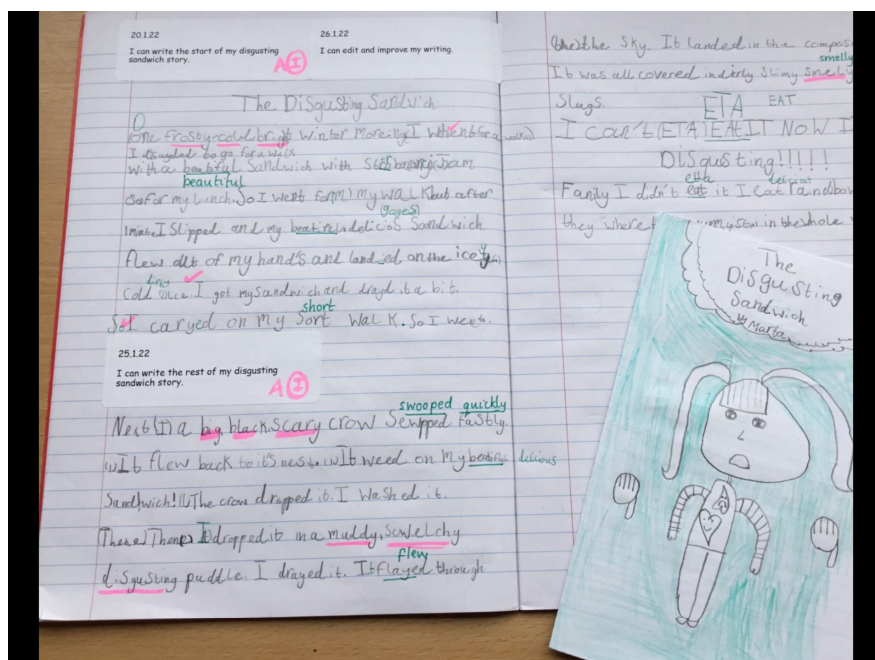
Well done children!





In year 2 we have been writing stories based on the book 'The disgusting sandwich' by Gareth Edwards. We have written a first draft, edited our work and then begun to make a real book as our final version.

Mrs Lees



Spanish Club

We are thinking about setting up a Spanish lunchtime club here at CCIS.

The clubs will be taught by native Spanish speaking teachers from a company called La Academia, who have extensive experience of working with children.

The sessions would be 1 hour long and would cost £6.50 payable in advance by the term.

We would first of all like to see how many parents would be interested in their child attending a Spanish Club.

We are, therefore asking **Year 2** parents initially to state their interest by clicking on the link below. Please could you do this by **Wednesday 2nd February**.

Once we have an idea of numbers we will inform you if we can go ahead and if we can open it up to other year groups.

<https://forms.gle/TaxYUr1nx8CEqBbF8>

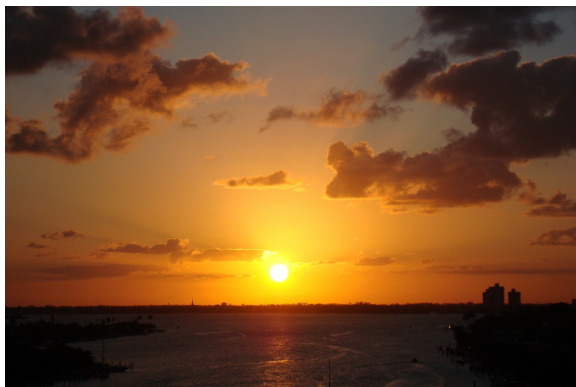
Please continue to keep our Cheadle Catholic family in your prayers,

Mrs Glynn.

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Pause for Reflection



‘Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin.’

St Teresa of Calcutta

Congratulations to all of our new stars of the week!

Nursery: Ollie & Anthony

R1: Ella & Theo

R2: Marnie & Connor

R3: Daniel B & Reeve
 1O: Sofia S & Harry
 1DW: Frank & Harriet
 1BM: Alice & Lucas
 2L: Leo & Alice
 2W: Tiernan & Evie
 2ON: Eden & Zach

Provisional Diary Dates

Sport's Day dates and class trips have yet to be finalised.

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| Wednesday 2nd February | Stockport family drop in session |
| Tuesday 8th February | Safer Internet Day |
| Friday 4th February | Reception Super Hero Day |
| Wednesday 9th February | PSA Pyjama Day |
| Friday 11th February | School closes for half term |
| Monday 21st February | School re-opens for Spring Term 2 |
| Tuesday 15th March | Parent's Evening 4.30-6.30pm |
| Thursday 17th March | Parent's Evening 4.30-6.30pm |
| Friday 18th March | First Forgiveness: Class 2ON 2pm in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Friday 25th March | First Forgiveness: Class 2L 2pm in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Tuesday 29th March | Class 1O Easter Assembly 9.15am in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Wednesday 30th March | Class 1DW Easter Assembly 9.15am in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Thursday 31st March | Class 1BM Easter Assembly 9.15am in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Friday 1st April | First Forgiveness: Class 2W 2pm in school hall (Parents will be invited) |
| Friday 1st April | School Closes for Easter holidays |
| Tuesday 19th April | School re-opens for Summer Term 1 |
| Friday 27th May | School closes for Whit Holidays |
| Monday 13th June | School re-opens for Summer Term 2 |
| Friday 22nd July | School closes for summer holidays |

REMINDERS:



Reception Super Hero Day!!

On Friday 4th February our Reception children will be celebrating Super Hero Day as part of their topic. Reception children may come to school dressed as their favourite Super Hero for the day.

PSA Fundraiser:

We will soon be holding a Pyjamas/ Onesie day to raise further funds for our outdoor learning projects on Wednesday 9th February.

Here's to a cosy day!

Online Safety- A message from Mrs Kemal (Computing Co-ordinator)

On the Tuesday 8th February we will be celebrating Safer Internet day with the children. This year's theme is 'All fun and games? Exploring respect and relationships online'.

Each year group will be taking part in activities that teach the children how to be kind and respectful when they are online. We will also learn about how we can help keep ourselves safe when using online devices.

Online safety is very important to us here at Cheadle Catholic Infant School and we would like to gain a better understanding of what our pupils are using the internet for at home. This will help us to ensure our online safety curriculum meets the needs of all our children. If you could complete the following online safety survey it would be very much appreciated.

<https://forms.gle/26WacK26q1FXpXvz8>

Please see the E-safety section on our school website for up to date guides and advice on keeping your child safe online.

REMINDER: NURSERY SCHOOL PLACES

Applications for nursery places for September 2022 are also being accepted online. (born between 1.9.18 and 31.8.19)

Closing date is **31st March 2022**

www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions

If you have any queries please email the admissions team at admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk

Stockport Family at Cheadle Catholic Schools

Stockport Family is an integrated service for children, young people and families. Strong relationships and the development of an integrated 'Team Around the School,' are the heart of Stockport Family.

All schools have a named Social Worker, a named Stockport Family Worker and a School Nurse who provide advice, guidance and support to families who need it.

They can offer advice on children's sleep, diet, behaviour as well as advice on claiming benefits, parenting courses and mental health support.

If we have enough interest our team will also offer parent workshops on sleep, diet etc.

The named Social Worker for Cheadle Catholic Schools is Sonia Nunes.

The named Family Worker is Amy Buchan and our School Nurse is Sarah Capel. They are our Cheadle Catholic Stockport Family Support Team.

Our Support Team will be offering regular drop in sessions for parents and carers. During these sessions our Team will be available to talk to any parents/ carers who have any concerns at all about their children or families. The sessions will be very informal and you will not need to make an appointment.

However, if you wish to speak to a member of the Team confidentially please contact me and I will make a separate appointment for you.

Our first drop in session will be on **Wednesday 2nd February 9am-11am**. The session will take place in the Junior School in their Faith Room (one of the mobile classrooms.) If you wish to attend, please report to school reception and we will direct you to the room.

Sonia (Social Worker) will also be available at the beginning of the day before school and will greet parents on the playgrounds with Mrs Fender and myself.

