



St Eugene de Mazenod Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 10th November 2023

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Go shine in the world and live as Jesus lived!

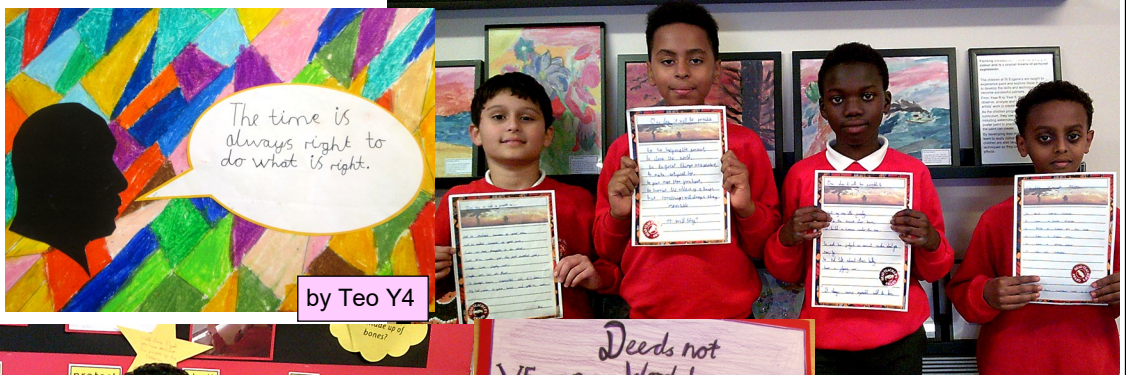


Dear Parents and Carers,
Last week we learnt about equality and fairness. We debated issues surrounding Racial and Gender Equality, Social Justice and **British Values**. The children were encouraged to talk about these issues and about inspirational people who; 'live, love and learn through Jesus', including Rosa Parks, Malala Yousafzai, Martin Luther King, Mother Teresa and Nelson Mandela. Please ask your child what they learnt about equality and to tell you about someone who inspired them and which pieces of work they are most proud of. We know that St Eugene's children will grow up into adults who make a positive difference in the world!

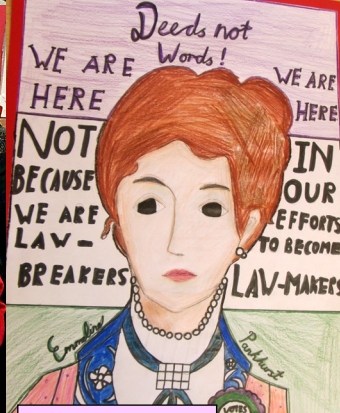
With best wishes,
Mrs Smith (Head of School) and Ms Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Equality Studies...

The children showed the values of **excellence**, **determination** and **respect**. They took part in discussions and debates; they wrote biographies, poems, speeches and made beautiful art pieces.



by Teo Y4



by Anastasia Y5



Rosa Parks by Grizela Y2

We were inspired by Martin Luther King's "I have a dream..." speech. We worked on our art and then chose a quote from him that we felt had the most meaning for us.



I have received and read the St. Eugene's Catholic Primary School newsletter of 10.11.23

Name of child _____ Class _____
please return this slip to school office and your child might win a prize:)

Important dates for your diary...



There is a tour for prospective parents on Friday mornings this term from 9.10am to 10.00am led by Mrs Smith. Do phone the office if you would like to book a place.

Friday 24th November Non Uniform Day

Monday 27th November Autumn Term Music Concert 2.15pm (NB change of day)

Thursday 7th December 10am Nativity performance for YR and Y1 parents, 2pm Nativity performance for Y2 parents

Tuesday 12th December Y5 & Y6 Christmas party

Wednesday 13th December Y3 & Y4 Christmas party

Thursday 14th December YR, Y1 & Y2 Christmas party

Friday 15th December 2pm Carol Service in church

Applying for Reception class September 2024



If you would like to apply for a child to be admitted to St Eugene's in September 2024, or know a friend who is interested, do ask them to call the office and book onto a school tour, which run on Friday mornings 9.10—10am. The deadline for applications is 15th January 2024. Please call or pop into the office if you would like some help with this.

Harvest Donations...

It was lovely to see so many of you in our assembly today.

Thank-you very much for your harvest donations for Father Terry's foodbank. More than 100 people use the foodbank every week and every item is gratefully received.

We are thankful for the food that we eat and the bounty of God.



Work of the week...

Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office). Do come and take a look.

Marvin (Year 6) has been working very hard in mathematics this week. He has produced very high quality work, where he showed his skills in converting between improper fractions and mixed numbers. Marvin has used his knowledge to solve lots of problems in different contexts.

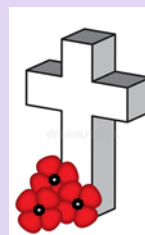


Well done Marvin, super maths !



Our prayer...

Thank-you if you bought a poppy of remembrance this week. We remembered those who have died with a minute of prayer at 11am today.



They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old. Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.

From:
"For the Fallen"
by Laurence Binyon



Good attendance is very important for your child's attainment and progress.

Each week the class with the very best attendance are celebrated in our assembly. This week our attendance champions were Year 4 class with 99%.

Well done Year 4!

Person of the Week!

Well done to these children for showing how we live our school values!



Reception: Duarte
Year 1: Aila
Year 2: Dylan
Year 3: Christopher
Year 4: Kian
Year 5: Arlo
Year 6: Desire