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Dear Parent/Guardian

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National Day of Reflection - On Tuesday, we joined in with the National Day of Reflection to mark the anniversary of the first national lockdown with a minute's silence. We hope that you managed to join the doorstep vigil of light on Tuesday evening.

The children were encouraged to turn to God, in prayer, and to think about those who have died due to Covid, those who have suffered in any other way, due to Covid, how grateful we are for the self-sacrifice of others during this time and how we hope for a brighter future. The children, as always, were most reverent and prayerful.

Lenten Appeals

Our totals continue to rise!

Friday Non-Uniform Days - **£483** at present.

Next week:

Year 3 - Picnic Party for Homely Homeless charity and

Year 1 - Pyjama Day for Heartlands Hospital Neo-Natal Unit

Please note Thursday 1st April will be Non-Uniform for our charities: £1 per family

Holy Week

On Sunday, Catholics will celebrate the events of Palm Sunday, which the children have been learning about.

This is then followed by the events of Holy Week and the celebration of the resurrection on Easter Sunday.

On **Thursday 1st April 2021**, we will be holding our annual Lenten reflection, readings and prayers, to tell the story of the journey of Jesus to his crucifixion and then resurrection. A superb way to end the term.

Values and Virtues

We are continuing to be **Attentive and Discerning**.

Congratulations to the Y2 children and Billie-Louise (3C) who are the winners of the certificates this week.

Behaviour Awards

Blue Badges: Kaci-Rai, Summer, Ariah, Poppie, Inaya, Iga

Pink Badges: Rabia, Irtiza, Hannah, Troy, Sarim, Jehovani, Ryan

Purple Badges: Louie, Catalin

Red Badges: Samara, Gracie, Ava, Mateusz





STAR AWARDS AND MERIT CERTIFICATES THIS WEEK

Nursery	Yusuf
Reception CT	Wisdom
Reception SS	Alfie-James
Year 1M	Sarim
Year 1GP	David
Year 2B	George
Year 2G	Logan
Year 3C	Ismah
Year 3M	Jaiden, Antonia
Year 4B	Riley, Olivia
Year 4P	Honour
Year 5B	Caitlyn
Year 5M	Hollie
Year 6G	Sahar
Year 6TW	Ailijah
Sports Award	Mason (2B)
Music Award	Antwaine, Grant (6G), Mohammed (1M)
Wise Owl Award	Laraib (5B)

Well done everyone!

Clarks Shoes

Clarks Shoes at Birmingham New Street have a new scheme for when they reopen in April 2021. Book a 15-minute measure and fit appointment at a time that suits you. This helps to keep the store safe. To book your in-store fitting appointment please visit www.clarks.co.uk or telephone 0121 643 0640. You can also take along your child's most recent pair of Clarks shoes and they will check if they are still a good fit.

Easter Activity Bags and Easter Trail & Event at The Hub

On **Friday 2nd April - 1 - 3 pm** - grab an activity bag full of activities to do over the Easter weekend including colouring, worksheets, crafts and more at The Hub, 146 Bromford Drive, B36 8TY.

Also, there will be an Easter Trail and Event on **Tuesday 6th April 1-3 pm**-come and meet the Easter bunny and enjoy the Easter trail around the community with prizes.

Please be mindful of Covid Restrictions and keep 2 metres distance and wash hands. Thank you.





On **Wednesday 21st April**, children are invited to bring in a home-made Easter decoration to display in their classroom. This only needs to be small and, as we are unable, this year, to hold an Easter bonnet/whacky hat parade, due to social distancing guidelines, this will mark this important celebration of the Church year.

Here's a few ideas...



Easter Holidays

School closes for the Easter holidays on Thursday 1st April at 3.15 pm or 3.30 pm (whichever time your child's Year Group usually finishes). School will reopen for all children on Monday 19th April, 2021.

Prayers

Please pray for Mrs Lyon and her family, as they grieve the death of her baby niece.

Have a good weekend and stay safe.

Yours sincerely,

R Baker and staff

