



FRIDAY ROUND UP



17th October 2025



MESSAGE FROM MR FARRELL

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an amazing Harvest church service we had on Tuesday! The church was absolutely full – it was wonderful to see so many parents and carers joining us and helping to bring our community together.

The children presented their work beautifully and sang with such joy – we're so proud of their singing, poetry, art and presentations.

A huge thank you to everyone who donated food items. Your generosity is greatly appreciated – all of the donations have now been delivered to the local food bank, where they'll make a real difference to families in need.

Best Wishes
Mr Farrell

Donate your ink cartridges - Help St Anne's and the planet. We are asking all families to donate used ink cartridges, the recycling box can be found in the school office.



Breakfast Club

As of Monday 3rd November Breakfast Club will be moving rooms.

From after half term Breakfast Club will be held in the room next to Reception Class, drop offs will now be at that door as the room has its own door and doorbell.

CLASSROOM NEWS

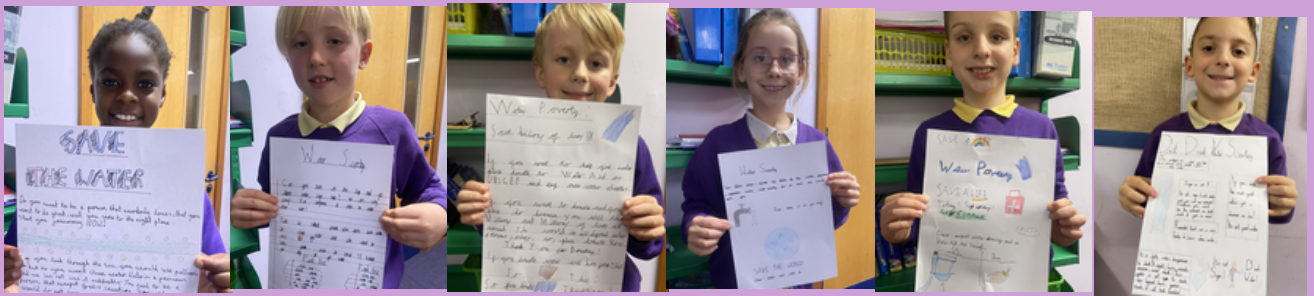
CLASS 3

Year 3 enjoyed a fantastic RE Enrichment Day on Monday, exploring The History of Harvest. They learned how harvest has changed through time; from grinding seeds like Stone Age farmers and baking their own flatbread, to discussing modern-day foodbanks and creating a beautiful mural of things they are thankful for. It was a wonderful day filled with learning, creativity, and reflection on helping others.



CLASS 4

Can you turn on the tap to get clean, safe drinking water? We are very lucky. Not everyone in the world can do this. During Enrichment Day, Class 4 learned about global water poverty – the lack of access to safe, affordable, and readily available water for a healthy life, affecting millions of people worldwide.



CLASS 5

Year 5 focused on the theme of 'Share food; share love' during Harvest Enrichment Day. They reflected on the fact that there is enough food in the world to go round and how we can help those in food poverty and enjoyed art and craft activities related to the story of the Feeding of the Five Thousand.



CLASS 6

Year 6 have been working on Conflict Resolution in their PSHE lessons. This week the class really enjoyed using drama to show what they have learnt - there were some great (and very realistic) performances!



SEND Hints and Tips by Miss Tavender

Dysregulation is like a traffic jam in the brain - nothing, not even reason or rewards, can get through until the roads are cleared.



@The_Therapist_Parent

SEND is everyone's business

Calling all Forest School fans!

Did you know every Wednesday at OSC is a full Forest School session?!

Activities vary weekly but can include fires and marshmallows, rope ladders, sawing, wildlife identifying, rope bridges, hand drilling, rope swings, bug hunting, whittling, den building, Nordic braiding, tree maintenance, resource foraging, games, knot tying, nature crafts and so much more!



Booking can be done via Arbor and can be a single or multiple sessions. We recommend repeated sessions for the most beneficial experience.

No two sessions are ever the same!



PTA News

Thank you to everyone who donated cakes for yesterday's Cake Sale. We raised a total of £150, which is fantastic news! The money will go towards funding essential items and resources for the school.

Thank you also to those who took part in the Do Some Art competition. The closing date is today, and the winners will be announced very soon.



Last week you will remember we let you know Year 2 wrote persuasive letters to David Attenborough asking for his help to save

Paddington's family in Darkest Peru, this week they have a reply from Mr David Attenborough, how exciting!!

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15.10.25

Dear Mrs Robinson

I have just received a number of letters from some of your pupils.

As you may imagine, I receive quite a lot of such letters. Sometimes they are sent separately. Others come in bundles, each of which contains a couple of dozen letters, sometimes more. Most of these letters ask questions. Unsurprisingly, the questions are nearly always much the same, but even so replying to each letter individually would take so much time that were I to do so, I would not be able to continue making programmes.

May I therefore ask you to thank your pupils on my behalf and say that although I am not able to write to them all individually I am nonetheless delighted to know that they find my programmes so interesting.

Best wishes

David Attenborough

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday 22nd - Friday 24th Oct - Y6 Residential

Thursday 23rd Oct - Class 5 Assembly - 2.50pm

Friday 24th Oct - Class R Vision Screening

Friday 24th Oct - Class R Grandparents Afternoon Tea 2pm - 3.15pm - NEW TIME

Friday 24th Oct - Class 2 Art Display in Classroom - 3.10pm

Monday 27th - Friday 31st Oct - HALF TERM

Tuesday 4th Nov - Parent Consultations 4.30pm - 7.30pm

Thursday 6th Nov - Parent Consultations 3.30pm - 6pm

Monday 10th Nov - Odd Socks Day

Tuesday 11th Nov - Y5 Racing to School Trip