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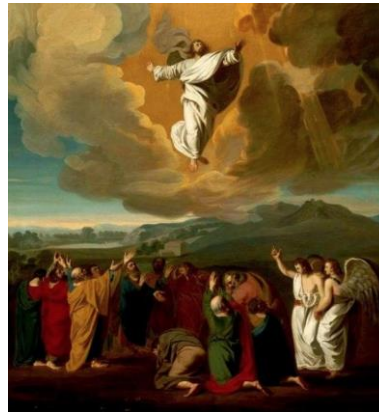
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Collective Worship Theme of the Week: Ascension

He did not leave us forever
 He will return...just in time



Prayer of the week

Dear God, please help me to live, today and every day, in a way that models positive virtues, that values others, that brings hope. Amen

Our 'Big Question' of the Week

What significance does Ascension Day have for you?

Well Being: Tips

Get more sleep. Try making some small adjustments to routines, duvet weight, windows open or closed, caffeine and screen free time before bed... whatever will work for you.

ELSA Support

Getting into Nature

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Quality counts. Connecting with nature is critical. Spending time in nature is good for us for lots of reasons. "Fresh air and exercise" has long been recommended as a way for many to feel better, physically and mentally.

Now evidence shows us that the quality of our relationship with nature is part of the reason for its positive impact on our wellbeing. Researchers use the term "connectedness" to describe the ideal relationship.

Connectedness refers to the way we relate to nature and experience nature. A strong connection with nature means feeling a close relationship or an emotional attachment to our natural surroundings.

There are ways that we can develop our connectedness with nature. Activities that involve the senses can help to develop our connection with the natural world, as can activities where we feel emotions such as compassion, perceive beauty or find meaning in nature.

Follow the link for more information on how to connect to nature for your mental health.

<https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/campaigns/mental-health-awareness-week>

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This Fortnight's Learning

	English	Maths	Topic	Other
Little Herons Pre-school	Continuous Provision - Coloured playdough and mats (for following instructions) Jungle letters for writing	Continuous Provision Capacity with snakes in different containers Five Little Monkeys	Jungle Doctor – making sick rainforest animals better (adult led Ipad)	Rainforest topic books
Minnow Class	Story writing Adjectives	Adding and Taking Away	Rainforest books	Babies (from interest)
Seahorse Class	Setting descriptions (adjectives and expanded noun phrases). Planning and Writing our own Amazon versions of Mr Gumpy's Outing Possessive apostrophes. Words ending in 'il' and words where 's' makes a 'zh' sound	Year 2: Addition and Subtraction Year 1: Addition and Subtraction. Place value to 100 Measuring to nearest cm and m. NSPCC number day activities Times Tables	The Amazon Rainforest – comparing with North Curry (Geographical Vocabulary focus). Henri Rousseau – Jungle Pictures	Science- Measuring and comparing plants. Designing a bug hotel. Food chains. R.E. Agape – Christian Love The Story of Zaccheus The story of how Jesus chose his disciples
Starfish Class	Story writing - linked to an environmental theme	Multiplication and Division	Eco-Warriors - Water and air pollution	Science: Light PSHE: Friendships
Dolphin Class	The Boy Who Biked the World – instruction and explanation texts	Fractions Unit/non-unit, tenths, equivalent fractions	Name and locate continents and oceans. Physical and human features of Europe	Science – conductors/insulators RE – agape PSHE – relationships French - colours

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Octopus Class	English – Poetry Information texts about habitats	Maths - Fractions	Science – Habitats Geography - Rivers	R.E - Islam Prayer - 'Salat'. Sacred Texts – The Qur'an French - Animals
Shark Class	Recounts and Poetry writing linked to WW2	Fractions	The Blitz and Evacuation in WW2	Bikeability RE - Agape – The Beattitudes

Little Herons Pre-school

This week the children have enjoyed making flags to celebrate Somerset Day alongside their Rainforest themed continuous provision activities. Well done everyone!



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NSPCC Number Day/Speak Out Stay Safe – Go Green for Buddy Non uniform day

A big thank you for your support with our Number Day and Speak Out Stay Safe campaign. We managed to raise £169.22. Well done everyone!

School Lunch Order Reminder

For w/c 17th May orders must be placed by midnight today Wednesday 12th May. Unfortunately, orders placed after this date/time will not be able to be processed and you will need to provide your child with a packed lunch for that week. If your child has any special dietary requirements you must email the school office before the order cut off. If you are unable to order lunches via ParentMail, please email the school office asap. Otherwise please ensure you provide a packed lunch for your child.

Kind regards,

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Helen Morley.

Key Dates: Summer Term 2021

Date	Event
May 10 th – 14 th	Year 6 Bikeability
May 14 th	1.20: Starfish Show and Share Assembly via Zoom
May 21 st	1.20: Seahorse Show and Share Assembly via Zoom 2.00: May Parents' Forum
May 28 th	Non Uniform Day – Uphill Trust 1.20: Minnow and Little Herons Show and Share Assembly via Zoom
Half Term Holiday	
June 7 th – 11 th	Sport/Keeping Active Enrichment Week
June 10 th	1.20: Octopus Show and Share Assembly

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June 11 th	Sports' Day
June 18 th	Tempest Class Photos 1.20: Dolphin Show and Share Assembly
June 22 nd	5.00: Full LGB meeting
June 25 th	1.20: Starfish Show and Share Assembly 2.00: June Parents' Forum Non Uniform Day to support Sam Stroud's fundraising to help the underprivileged children in Nakuru. https://www.somersetscouts.org.uk/adventure/project-kenya
June 28 th – July 2 nd	'Ditch the Dirt' Science Enrichment week
July 2 nd	1.20: Seahorse Show and Share Assembly
July 7 th – 9 th	Year 6 Residential to Mill-on-the-Brue
July 9 th	1.20: Minnow and Little Herons Show and Share Assembly Reports to Parents/Carers
July 12 th	School PPMs/SEN Surgeries
July 13 th	Nursery/Pre-school PPMs
July 15 th	Year 6 Leavers' Play
July 16 th	1.20: Shark Residential Show and Share Assembly 2.00: July Parents' Forum
July 19 th	Year 6 Leavers' Trip
July 21 st	Leavers Service
July 22 nd	Leavers Assembly/Celebration

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