

Year 3 Newsletter

Week beginning: Monday 26th February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,



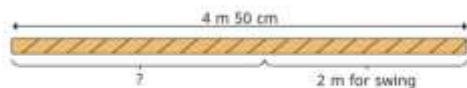
On Monday, we had an enjoyable assembly on building resilience and on the importance of good mental health. We learnt that using less technology, eating healthy balanced food, doing physical exercises, getting a good night's sleep, and talking about our feelings are five ways of improving our mental health along with our physical health.



Maths

We have continued our learning about length, this week in maths. The children converted the metric units of measurements of length, compared, added and subtracted lengths.

- 2 A piece of rope is 4 m 50 cm long.
2 m of the rope is used to make a swing.
How much of the rope is left?



m and cm

- 3 Tommy, Rosie and Annie each measure their height.



- a) What is the difference in height between Tommy and Rosie?

- 3 Brett is 115 cm tall.

His brother is 20 cm taller.

How tall is Brett's brother?

Write your answer in metres and centimetres.

- 3 Write the lengths in order from shortest to longest.

160 cm 950 mm 1 m 50 mm 200 cm 1 m 25 cm

shortest

longest

English

We focused on improving our grammar knowledge this week in English. The children learnt that compound sentences have two main clauses connected by a coordinating conjunction (for example, *but, or, and, so, etc.*) and complex sentences have a main clause and a subordinating clause connected by subordinating conjunction (for example, *when, since, because, while, however, etc.*).

	present	past
singular	I am you are she/he/it is	I was you were she was
plural	we are you are they are	we were you were they were

We also learnt different forms of 'being' verbs – singular/ plural verbs, as well as verbs in the present and past tense.

RE

In RE this week, we studied the events of the Holy Week. We discussed what the texts tell us about Jesus' entry into Jerusalem. We also suggested the meaning of texts about Jesus' death and resurrection.

History

Here are some fantastic pieces of history homework handed in this week! 😊





Words with suffix *-ation*

Spellings

Here are the spellings for the next week.

I can see how complicated these spellings are.

If your child is really struggling with them, then please get them to focus on 5 spellings first. The easiest ones are *informa**tion***, *adora**tion***, *sen**sation***, *educa**tion*** and *taxa**tion***.

Then, over the week, if they can manage more, then that's brilliant!

information	adoration	sensation
preparation	admiration	exaggeration
propagation	imaginationtion	concentration
education	differentiation	taxation
litigation	damnation	isolation
floatation	hibernation	moderation

Have an enjoyable weekend!

Mrs Pattanshetti, Mrs Patterson and Mrs Glennon. 😊