

NEWSLETTER

A message from this week's Editor: Mr Thomas

This week, Anti Bullying Week, our theme for this week has been 'The Power of Good'.

The children have been learning about the ways that all of us can deliver this and the effect that our good actions has on others. It begins with feeling positive about ourselves. Helping others to feel the same way requires a conscious effort from each of us that can be delivered daily. It's a team effort! and our reward for doing so, is seeing the impact of our actions upon others.

Most importantly, we have learnt that being good to ourselves and others takes place not just in school, but at home and in the wider community.



SEBMAT
Slough and East Berkshire
C of E Multi Academy Trust

Collective Worship

On Tuesday, our school community gathered for a heartfelt Remembrance Service to honour those who served in the First and Second World War and sacrificed for our freedom. Together, we paused to remember and express our gratitude, ensuring their legacy lives on in our hearts and actions.



Star of the week

Nursery - Frederick
Reception - Selena
Year 1 - Emma
Year 2 - Mayida
Year 3 - Maryam
Year 4 - Faith
Year 5 - Zubayr
Year 6 - Amy

Top Attendance this week

1st - Nursery AM - 100%
2nd - Year 6 - 99.68%
3rd - Year 5 - 98.39%

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO THIS WEEK?



This week Discovery class were looking at our feelings as part of the anti bullying week activities. We explored what feelings looked like by using our faces to show an emotion, and used different resources to represent these emotions.



Early Years have been working together this week focusing on kind words and teamwork skills. We included everyone in our learning and worked on inviting our peers to join in our games.



Year 1 were working together as a team to help each other with learning directions in Geography. They used their maps, compasses and directional language. They were encouraging each other and showing patience.



This week in Year 2, for Anti Bullying week we looked at the Good inside ourselves and our partners.



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In Year 3, we created posters on the theme of 'Power for Good' to remind everyone to be kind and not to bully other children.



This week we have considered what bullying is and the best way to deal with it if we experience it or if we see it happening to someone else. We read about and discussed different scenarios. We considered when we should try and deal with a situation ourselves and when we should get help.



Year 5 have been discussing accepting different cultures and the topic of racism in PSHE this week. This then led into a wider discussion about bullying and how to be empowered to make the right decision, even when this is difficult to do. Year 5 explained that doing the right thing isn't always easy, but we should be brave and stand up for what is right, especially when it may be a friend that is being mean to others.



Year 6 participated in Anti-Bullying Week 2025 and discussed the true definition of the word. The children are able to accurately define behaviours and discuss how to deal with issues that arise. We have also spoken about how to be a good friend in the event of poor behaviour from others, with a view to making people feel wanted, needed and happy again.



PUPIL VOICE

"We are kind to our friends."

Sanica - Reception

"If you think you see someone being bullied you should stand up to them, if you feel brave enough. If not, you should tell an adult who can help!"

Daniel- Year 4

"Being a bystander is just as bad as bullying, because you are seeing something wrong and not reporting it to an adult."

Muna - Year 5

"Being a bully is bad!"

Tamara- Year 2



IMPORTANT DATES

Week 3

17th November - Class Photo day

21st November - 9-9:30am - Year 5 Class Assembly

Week 4

24th November - 2:30-3pm - New Nursery Parent meeting with Miss Cleaves and Ms Broderick - Resource Base

26th November - Aesop Theatre Company in school performance of 'The Gingerbread Man' for Early Years and KS1

26th November - Windsor Pantomime trip for KS2 - all children must bring nut free packed lunch

28th November - 1-3:30pm - PINS2 Cycle 1 Parent & Carer Event - more details on next page

Week 5

1st December - Parent Workshop on Phonics with Ms Broderick - 2:30-3pm in person or 3:30-4pm via Zoom

1st December - PTA Santa Grotto - Early Years, Year 1 & Year 2 - 2:30-3:15pm - more details over page

2nd December - 2:30-3:15pm - PTA Santa Grotto - Year 3 & Year 4 - more details over page

Week 5 continued

3rd December - 9-9:30am - Show 1 - Reception & Year 1 Nativity

3rd December - 2:30-3pm - PTA Biscuit Decorating for Year 5 & Year 6 - more details over page

4th December - 9-9:30am - Show 2 - YR/Y1 Reception & Year 1 Nativity

4th December - 2:30-3pm - Year 2 Express Event - Hall

Following on from PINS questionnaire which was sent to staff and parents for their input we are delighted to announce a participation session. This will be held at school on Friday 28th November - 2:15-3:30pm. To secure your space please book via link below:

[Colnbrook C of E Primary School - Parent Carer Participation Session Tickets, Fri, Nov 28, 2025 at 2:15 PM | Eventbrite](#)

IN OTHER NEWS



On Sunday 9th November, our Mini Police accompanied by are Community Police Officers, Mrs Bharj & Mrs Smith, joined the Remembrance parade in Colnbrook. Our children then joined the service at St Thomas Church and Lilly Carter laid a wreath on behalf of our school. The children honoured 2 minutes silence during Tuesday's assembly lead by Mr Brunson



On Monday during assembly, Mrs Bharj announced the book competition winners. Well done to all of those to entered and to our all winners who received a book voucher for the book fair:
Year 2 - Francesca, Year 3 - Hazel, Year 4 - Daleyza, Year 5 - Nawfal, Year 6 - Isla.



Reminder to all parents the final day to purchase books is Monday after school until 4pm. Orders that have been reserved must be purchased by Monday.



Children in Need 2025

Today, the children took part in a range of Children in Need challenges. From running races and basketball shoot-outs to exciting jumping competitions, every class got involved under this year's theme, Challenge 25.



All participants received certificates presented by members of the School Council, recognising their enthusiasm and effort. Pupils also wore bright or spotty clothing in exchange for a £1 donation, helping to raise money for this important cause.



IF YOU HAVE ANY
DONATIONS
please speak with Mrs Kaur





Santa's **GROTTO**

**1ST DECEMBER - EARLY YEARS, YEAR 1 & YEAR 2
FROM 2-3:15PM**

**2ND DECEMBER - YEAR 3 & YEAR 4
FROM 2:30-3:15PM**

**TICKETS £2.50 PER CHILD READY TO
PURCHASE VIA SHOP ON APP**

**INCLUDED IN TICKET PRICE: MEET
SANTA, HAVE THEIR PHOTO TAKEN AND
RECEIVE A GIFT**



YEAR 5 & YEAR 6

CHRISTMAS

**Get to
decorate
festive bakes**

on 3rd December 2025
from 2:30-3:15pm

£1 per child - tickets
available to purchase in
[Shop now](#)