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Sunday Gospel

In this Sunday's Gospel, we are reminded that what we do is far more important than what we say we will do when Jesus shares a parable about two sons whose words do not reflect their actions. The father in the parable represents God and the sons represent the way that we can respond to Him. Both sons changed their minds about what they said they will do-but only one for the better. Each new day is an opportunity for us to change and God is always there to welcome a change of heart. No matter how many times we need to start again-God will be there for us.

Which of the two did the will of his father?

Matthew 21:31

"To live is to change, and to perfect is to have changed often."

St John Henry Newman



The Parable of the Father and His Two Sons in the Vineyard,
Engraving by Georg Pencz (ca. 1500–1550)

3D at Tatton Park

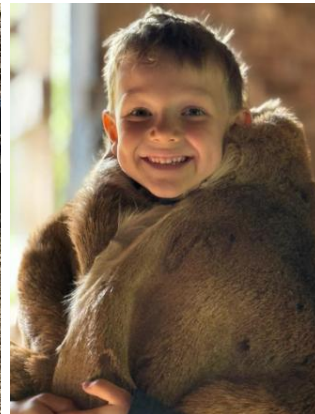
What a fabulous day Year 3 had at Tatton Park this week on their Stone Age Discovery day. They learnt how to make fire using flint, investigated natural resources used for hunting and cutting, created shelters for themselves and farmed the land to provide themselves with food.





3C at Tatton Park

Year 3 got transported back to the stone age this week and are now fully equipped to survive! The children learnt how to be hunter gatherers, create shelter and make fire using flint!



Reading in Year 4

Year 4 shared their Roald Dahl inspired List Poems with Year 1 and 2 children on Thursday morning. The Children from 4D and 4H had a captive audience as they read some revolting ingredients that they might mix into their own Marvellous Medicine.



Reading in Year 5

In Class 5K, library time is a chance for pupils to read their own books for pleasure, find a new book and to share their books quietly with Mrs Kendry or a friend. What amazing readers they are!



Career Talks in Year 6

Thank you so much to one of our brilliant Year 6 parents who came in this week to talk to both classes about his experience of being a chef. Year 6 were so engaged as they listened to what the job entails, the health and safety aspects, and the changing menus linked to seasonality.



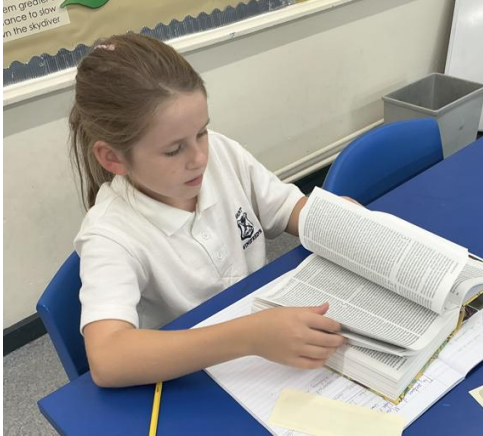
Art in Year 3

This week in Art for their Stone age cave art topic, pupils have been using different tools and materials to create line and tone. They used natural materials to create line and tone like people in the stone age would!



Religion in Year 5

Class 5M this week have been learning about Moses and the covenant between God and the Israelites. This week we started to use our beautiful new Bibles to read from the book of Exodus.



PE in Year 4

Year 4 have been learning how to dribble and pass in basketball. On Thursday they played some 2 v 2 games in the diamond and some of the dribbling at speed was great.



Football in Year 5

Class 5K loved their football lesson with Stockport County. We learnt about dribbling and controlling the ball and played small matches. A fun (slightly rainy!) afternoon!



Secondary School Open Evenings

Bramhall High School	24th September 5-7.30pm
Cheadle Hulme High School	22nd October 6-8.30pm
Harrytown School	1st October 4.00-6.30pm
Hazel Grove High School	22nd October 5.00-8.00pm
Laurus Cheadle Hulme School	21st October 5.00-7.00pm
Priestnall High School	22nd October 5-7.30pm
Reddish Vale High School	15th October 4-7pm
Stockport Academy	7th October 4.30-7pm
Stockport School	8th October 5-8pm
St Anne's Voluntary Academy	8th October 5-8pm
The Kingsway School	1st October 5-7.30pm
Werneth School	24th September 4.30-7.30pm

Holiday Club Details

SC 1ST

Tameside HAF
Holiday, Activities & Food

OCTOBER HOLIDAY CAMP

ST WINIFRED'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, SK4 3JH

MONDAY 19TH - FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER

FOOTBALL, MULTI-SPORTS, DANCE & CRAFTS

HAF FUNDED PLACES AVAILABLE

EARLY BIRD DISCONT: NAR421

FULL DETAILS BELOW! @SPORTFIRSTCOACHING

Upcoming dates

*Saturday 26th September - Cross Country - Years 3 to 6, information sent direct from School Spider

*Monday 28th September - Coffee morning for parents/carers of pupils with SEND

*Friday 2nd October -CAFOD Harvest Family Fast Day (donations of tins)

-Pray for Pets Celebration- Honouring the Feast Day of St Francis of Assisi (9:15am-9:45am EYFS and Key Stage One and 2:30pm-3pm for Key Stage Two)

*Sunday 4th October - F&F Sunday Family Bingo at the Kavanagh Centre

Pupil Attendance

Please see below the figures for pupil attendance for last week. Our school target is 97% pupil attendance. Please remember that school begins at 8:40am, with the gates being open from 8:40am-8:50am. Below are the attendance figures for each class for last week:

Student Group	:	Present R/C
		Marks (%)
1/2MY		97.31%
RG		96.43%
1M		94.81%
2MS		92.22%
3C		99.55%
3D		93.91%
4D		93.81%
4H		95.77%
5K		99.26%
5M		95.71%
6L		98.67%
6P		96.33%

We warmly welcome parents to approach us with any questions about school life. Please note that your first point of contact is always your class teacher.

In addition, Mrs Bird (Deputy Head Teacher), Mrs Gibb (Early Years), Mr Hanvey (Lower Key Stage Two), Mrs Kendry (Upper Key Stage Two) and I are always available to work in to support your child's learning and wellbeing.

We value open communication and welcome all to work together for the benefit of all our pupils.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs A Duffy
Headteacher