Autumn Term Part 2: 2023

Assembly Themes this Term:

Humility and Patience

This term we will be focusing in school on the key themes PATIENCE and HUMILITY. We hope that your family will find these ideas helpful as you explore the themes and have fun together.

Quote for Discussion

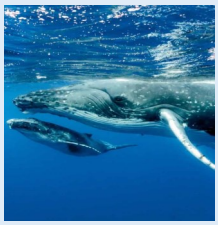
"To lose patience is to lose the battle.' Mahatma Gandhi

Family Focus

To show humility you need to be able to be more humble. You may be great at many things, but there is always someone more knowledgeable. Identify something that each person wants to improve over the next few weeks and set goals.

Fascinating Facts

Humpback Whales show amazing humility. When humpback whales hear or see other animals or humans in distress, they will rescue them. Recently, a humpback whale rescued a human from a tiger shark attack. You can watch the video of the whale saving Nan Hauser. They regularly save dolphins from distress. Find out more amazing facts about the humpback whale and see the video here: https://a-z-animals.com/blog/watch-humpback-whale-saves-diver-from-massive-tiger-shark/



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Home School Challenge

Humpback whales are amazing animals that help animals that are in distress. Your challenge is to create a lovely factsheet about the humpback whale or dolphin. All of the fact files that have been given in to your teachers will then be displayed in our School Challenge Gallery on our school website.



Hall of Fame

Dalton Ghetti



Dalton Ghetti is a Brazilian artist who demonstrates a huge amount of patience. He started handling tools when he was just 6 years old and he would use a pocket knife to sharpen his pencil at school. When he was 9, his parents gave him a set of tools which he used to make his own boxes, toys and go-karts. He began sculpting with knives and chisels and is now a carpenter. His hobby is sculpting the ends of pencils. It is a recycling process as he finds most of the pencils on the streets. He turns rubbish into art—and he will not sell them. He created a teardrop picture to represent everyone who died in the September 11th attacks. It took over ten years to create the piece of art.



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TALK TOGETHER about Patience and Humility

Having humility requires us to be humble and not think that we are any better than anyone else. Being patient is being able to accept delay or problems without becoming annoyed or anxious. Having more patience can calm your mind and make you feel more connected to things that are important.

- Can you think of a time when you have shown humility?
- Can you think of a time when you have shown patience?