



NEWSLETTER NO.6 SPRING TERM – 26 FEB 2021

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MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS LOVE, LEARN, GROW, WORSHIP



RECEPTION	Jonah	LEARN: For making such a creative fossil out of Duplo
	Florence	LEARN: For an amazing paper mâché model of a dinosaur egg
	Penelope	LEARN: For her wonderful writing and drawing on how she would reach the moon
YEAR 1	Barney	LOVE: For being very moved by the Water Aid appeal and deciding to do a sponsored cycling trip
	Tabitha	LEARN & LOVE: For an excellent Maths investigation and always smiling
	Charlie	LEARN: For a very high standard of work (excellent work) in all subjects!
YEAR 2	Harriet	LEARN: For her very clever riddle writing and beautiful artwork
	Felicity	LOVE & LEARN: For exemplary behaviour in all Zoom lessons, great participation and fabulous work!
YEAR 3	Coco	LEARN: For her beautiful Artwork
	Eddie	GROW: For his perseverance and hard work
YEAR 4	Harry	LEARN: For listening and participating so well in our lessons this week
	Louis	GROW: For working really hard on his art task this week
YEAR 5	Baxter	LEARN & GROW: For always completing his Maths work carefully, trying his very best and contributing fully to Zoom sessions
	Anabel	LEARN & GROW: For consistently producing work of an excellent standard, for being her very best self and contributing positively to Zoom sessions
	Charlie	LEARN: For always working very hard with his home learning, trying his very best and for making such an improvement with his handwriting
YEAR 6	India	LEARN: For always working hard and producing work of a consistently high standard
	Sofia	GROW: For their watercolour flowers in Art this week and for always working hard
	Digby	

PE	Lily (Y5)	For an excellent attempt at getting a full house in PE bingo
	Lettie (Y5)	
	Penelope (R)	For an excellent attempt at trying to get a full house in PE bingo
	Mae (Y3)	For achieving full house in PE bingo
	Harriet (Y2)	For being 'Queen of Skipping'!
MUSIC	Orla (Y3)	For great music making this week
	Lexie (Y2)	
	Harry (Y4)	
	Hector (Y6)	

SPECIAL MENTIONS

Congratulations to Hector who heard this week that he has been awarded an Academic Scholarship to Battle Abbey School!

Barney, Y1, has shown great listening skills, empathy and interest this week. Following our liturgies on the importance of water and the plight of many families in Madagascar and Ethiopia, Barney had an important discussion with his mum. Together they set up a fundraising page as Barney has challenged himself to cycle 6 miles. His sponsorship already exceeds the £100 mark. 'Though he be little, (s)he is fierce'. Well done Barney, you are officially a SH Superstar!

NURSERY PLACES

A reminder to our current parents with younger children; we have limited Nursery Spaces available for April and September. If you are interested please contact admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk to request a registration form.

Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School where learning is fun!

FOUNDATION STAGE

Our new topic in Foundation Stage is Dinosaurs. We have been busy at home and at school learning how dinosaurs are hatched from eggs. After our half term break a mysterious egg and footprints were found in the Reception classroom. The children made predictions of what they thought could be inside the egg and gave suggestions on how to help the egg hatch. We were so excited to find that the egg hatched, revealing a Velociraptor. We have made our own dinosaur eggs and explored what a fossil is. In Nursery, we enjoyed the Dinosaur Dig role play, where we had the opportunity to become palaeontologists. We look forward to learning lots more about dinosaurs in the coming weeks.

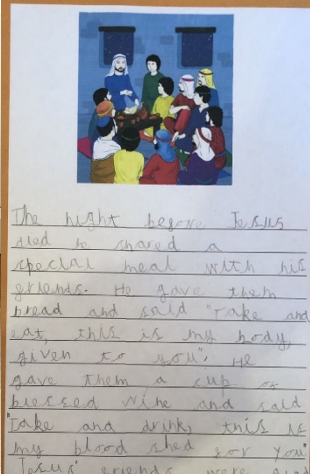
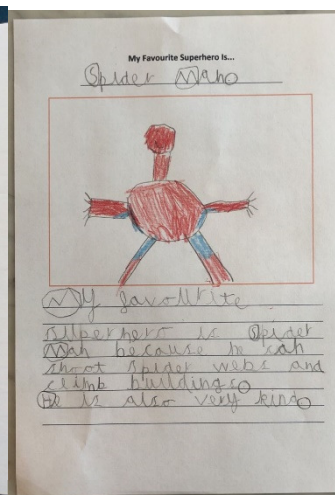
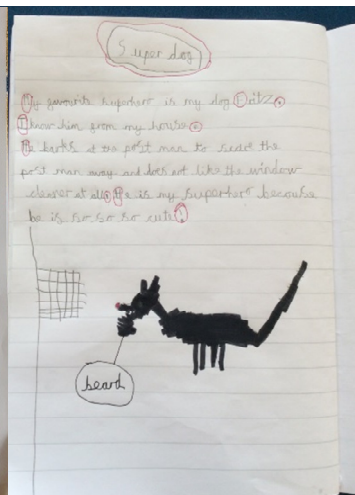
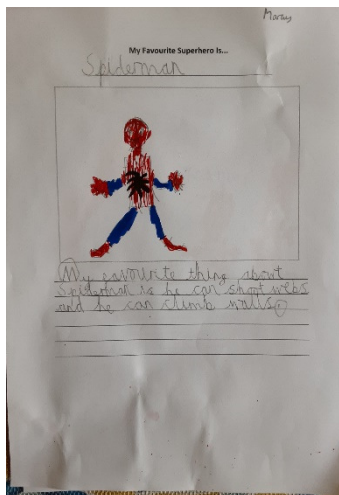


YEAR 1

In Year One we have all come back after half-term with renewed energy and have worked very hard. Mammals were the focus of our Science lesson and we now know, among lots of other things, that there are land and sea mammals and what the difference is between fissipeds and pinnipeds. We put out our rain gauges made during half term and some of us were 'lucky' to have at least a small amount of precipitation to record!



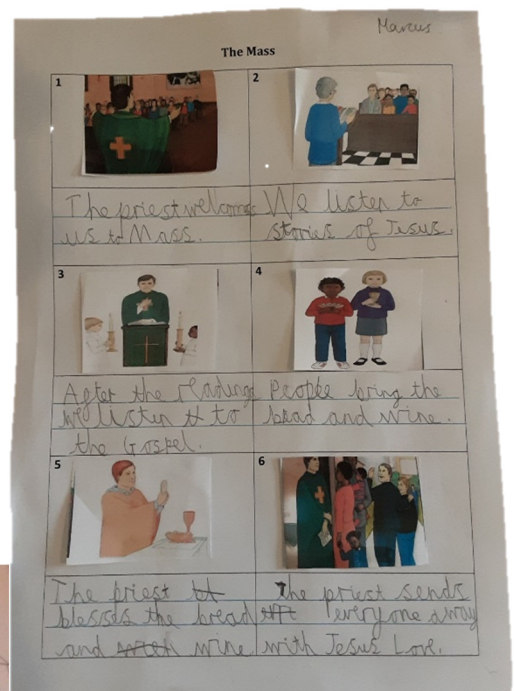
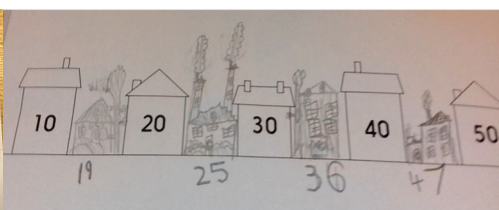
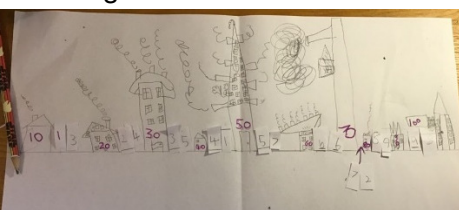
In English we read and wrote about our favourite Superheroes and realised there are all sorts of them all around us!



For our RE topic, Meals, we named and sequenced the different parts of the Mass and retold or acted out the story of the Last Supper.

Finally, in our Maths investigation we used our knowledge of place value to

give new neighbours house numbers that lie between multiples of ten, following some strict rules!



YEAR 2

We have been having great fun solving and writing riddles in Year 2 this week!

I sometimes look angry and
when I'm angry, I cry.
I can move slowly or fast and
sometimes I vanish!
I can change shape and I'm
normally white.
I float in the sky like fluffy
popcorn!
What am I?
Harriet

I am useful and powerful.
I am flexible but also strong.
I protect you
I may be sticky.
Use me every day!
I can be colourful but I am
usually white.
What am I?
Felicity

I glitter in the sunlight
You can eat some things
from inside me.
Don't fall in me because I
am dangerous!
Beavers build dams on me.
I can cool you down if you
are hot.
How blue I am!
What am I?
Harry

We have also learnt how to draw and paint dragons in anticipation for a topic we will be looking at relating to lots of different dragon stories when we all return to school...



In RE, we have been learning about the parts of the Mass and in particular the Holy, Holy, Holy prayer. We then chose to dance, paint and write a hymn to show our thanks and praise to God in response to the line, "Heaven and Earth are full of Your glory"

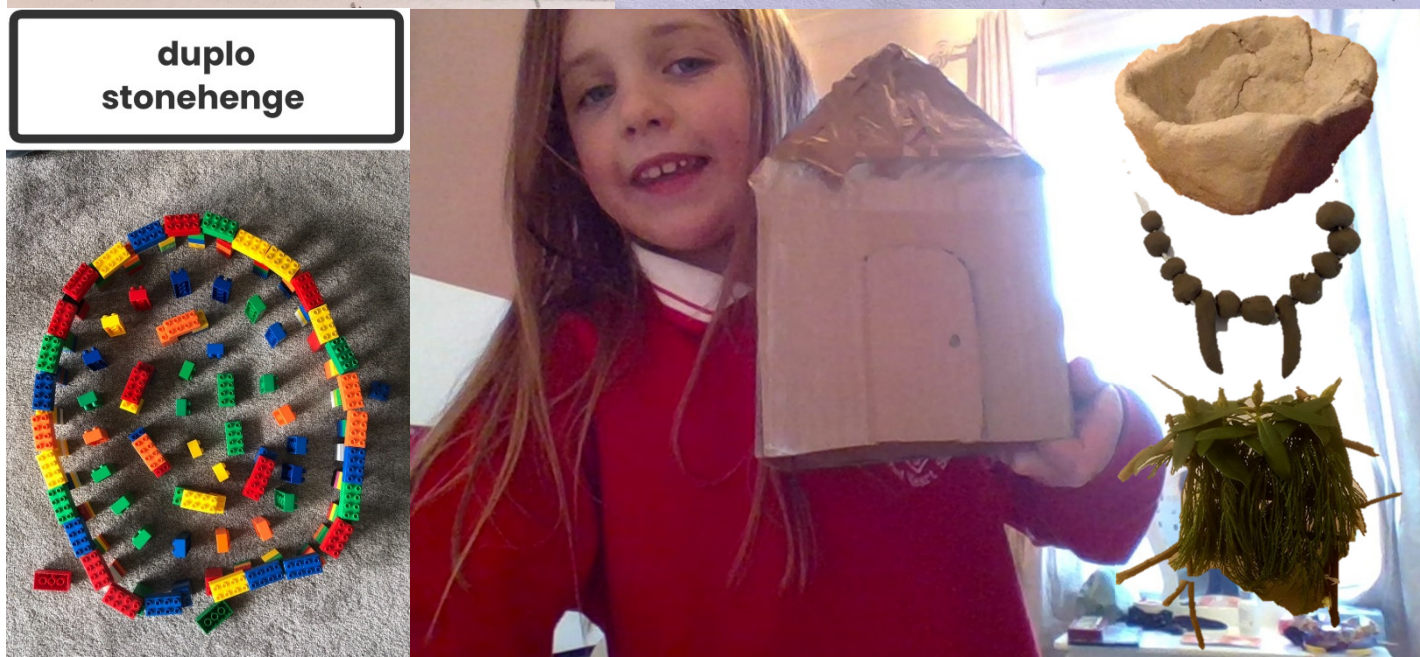


YEAR 3

It has been a busy week back after the half-term for Year 3. We picked up where we left off with our English and have continued looking at diaries and recounts, writing recounts from the point of view of killer cats and lively dogs! In Science, we have begun our new topic of Forces & Magnets, looking forward to when we can be back in school experimenting with various types of magnets and investigating forces! In Art, we learnt about Georges Seurat and Pointillism and tried painting our own pictures in this style. Our History topic has been the Stone Age and just before the half term the children were able to choose something craft based related to this topic. They made some fantastic jewellery, models and items which can be seen here.



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stonehenge**



YEAR 4

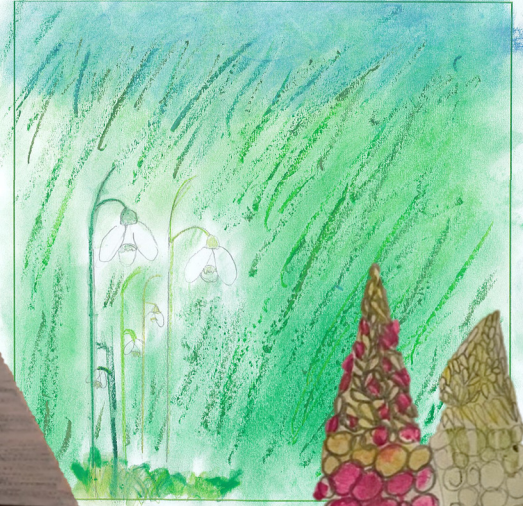
The learning in Year 4 this week has once again covered a wide variety of topics. In Science, the children have been learning about the processes of evaporation, condensation and precipitation in the water cycle. They not only produced some excellent posters to display this knowledge but also created some different water cycle models at home. Using everyday items such as a bowl, mug, clingfilm and water, the children were able to create their own mini water cycle! Our art this week was inspired by the artist Georgia O'Keeffe and her large, bold paintings of flowers. The children photographed spring flowers they had seen on their walks or in their gardens and then sketched and painted this flower. Year 4 have also been busy making their saving boxes for WaterAid and CAFOD and I know some children have already started their collections. During our liturgies this week, we have definitely been reflecting on just how fortunate we all are to have such easy access to water.

Georgia O'Keeffe

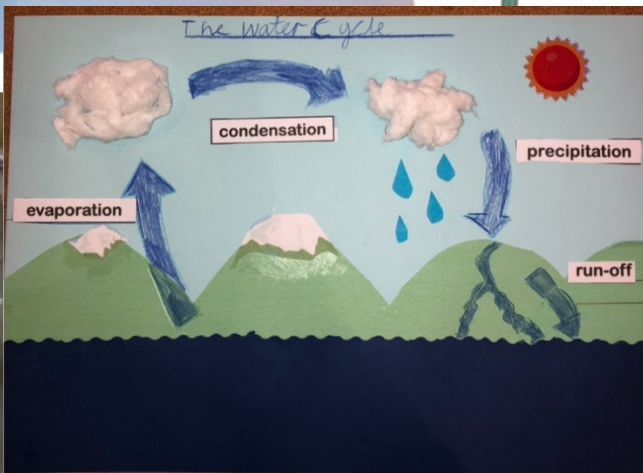
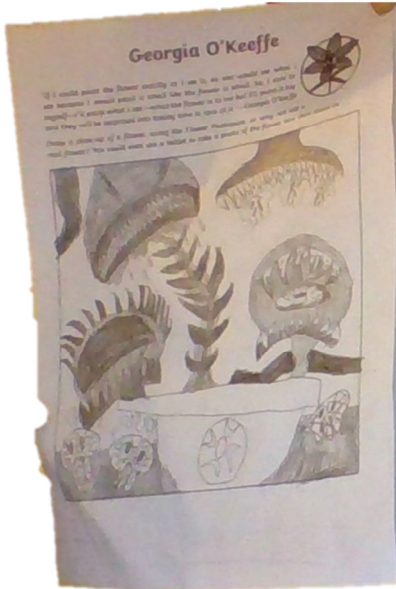
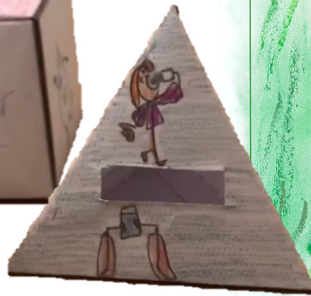
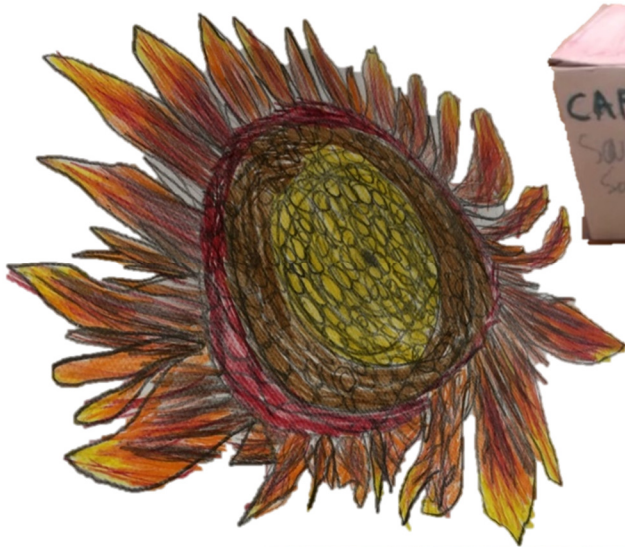
"If I could paint the flower exactly as I see it, no one would see what I see because I would paint it small like the flower is small. So, I said to myself—I'll paint what I see—what the flower is to me but I'll paint it big and they will be surprised into taking time to look at it."—Georgia O'Keeffe



Draw a close-up of a flower, using the Flower Photopack, or why not use a real flower? You could even use a tablet to take a photo of the flower and then zoom in.



Sereni



YEAR 5

This week Y5 have been investigating different information sources on the internet to assess whether the information they provide is reliable. They investigated Facebook, Twitter, Wikipedia and also reference books and websites and checked whether the information was trustworthy and unbiased. This should help them to make good decisions in the future about using the internet effectively. They have also been finding out about William Shakespeare and answering questions on his life. The children then produced their own version of 'Fast Facts' about William Shakespeare that they may find in a reference book. They had to include in these: attention grabbing headlines, graphics and explanatory texts to make their information eye catching and feel reliable to the reader.



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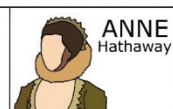
Fast Facts.

HIS THREE KIDS!



Shakespeare had 3 children, one boy and two girls! Unfortunately his son, Hamnet, died at 11 years old. The two girls were named Judith and Susanna! They often have children and Shakespeare ended up with four grandchildren even though he only saw one in his lifetime!

37 PLAYS



ANNE Hathaway

The famous, writer/actor William Shakespeare, wrote a total of 37 plays and dozens of sonnets. Anne Hathaway was William Shakespeare's wife. They married on 28th when William was only 18! Performing the best of his plays in the Globe Theatre, London where you could see a three seat for 1p and an extra 1p for a cushion.



shakespeare

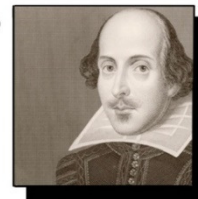
William Shakespeare, born 1564 in Stratford, was seven when he first experienced school. He had to be inside school by 6am in the winter and 7am in the summer! He got barely any holidays and time of school! By the time he was eighteen he moved to live with Anne Hathaway! She got pregnant when he was still only 18 and they got married! They had one child and a year later twins! So by the time he was 21, he was a father of three!

He realised he needed money so moved to London to start writing plays/sonnets to gain money! But other play-writers were jealous so they called him names like an up-start crow!

Unfortunately he died on his birthday in 1616!

facts

- He wrote 37 plays!
- One of his most famous ones is Romeo and Juliet
- He had three children! Hamnet, Susanna and Judith!



William Shakespeare's father John Shakespeare was a glove maker

His mother Mary Arden came from an important family. The forest of Arden is a real place and features in As You Like It.

Shakespeare had twins called Hamnet and Judith

A comedy of Errors and Twelfth Night feature twins

Good friend for Jesus' sake forbear,
Tending the dust enclosed here,
Blessed be the man that spares these stones,
And cursed be he that moves my bones.
Shakespeare died on 23rd April 1616
He is buried in the Holy Trinity Church. This poem is written on his grave but it was recently found that his skull was missing.

Shakespeare wrote 37 plays in his life plus 150 poems. Shakespeare's plays are read, kept, and taught in schools, colleges, and universities. For many, Shakespeare was also an actor. He performed in his own plays and was part of a theatrical company. Shakespeare was a very wealthy man. During his life time Shakespeare became a very wealthy man with a large property portfolio. He was a brilliant business man, forming a joint-stock company with his actors.

SHAKESPEARE PUT A CURSE ON HIS GRAVE

Shakespeare put a curse on his grave. During anyone who moves his body from that final resting place. Though it was customary to dig up the bones from previous graves to make room for the new ones, the remains of Shakespeare's bones are still undisturbed.

SHAKESPEARE WAS VERY WEALTHY

Wake up You Need to Make Money!



Fast Fact:
William Shakespeare left school at age 14, married at 18, had 3 children by the age of 21. He really needs some money to support his growing family.



The Globe theatre where they performed his plays

Fast Fact:
When he moved to London Shakespeare wrote 37 plays and over 150 long and short poems to find his fortune as the most famous playwright of all time

The Golden Streets of London!

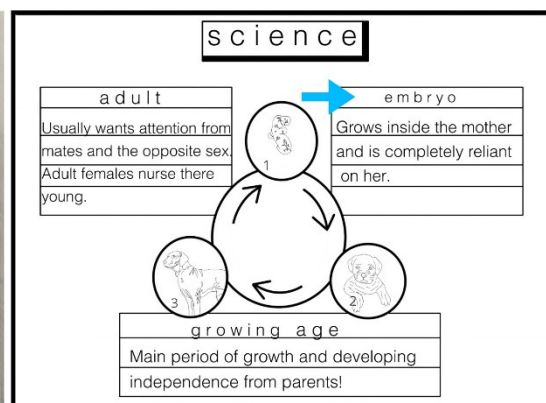
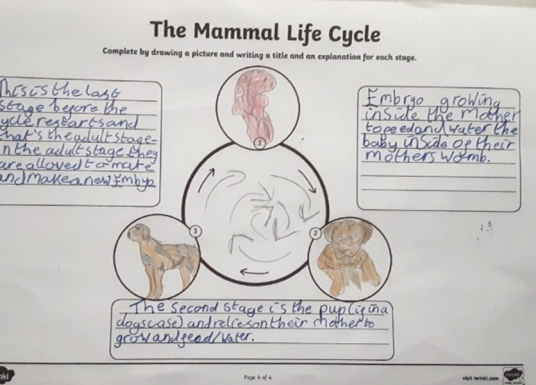
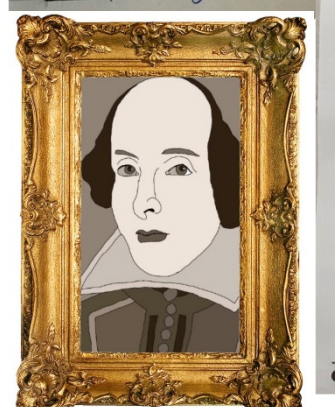
Happy Death Day To you!



Fast Fact:
For his time, Shakespeare had a long life and died at age 52. Not many people know that he died on his birthday 23 April. Happy Birthday you have met your doom!

In Maths they have been applying their subtraction skills to answer word problems, deciding the key information they need for each answer, ignoring unnecessary additional details. They have also been working out how to use mental methods for addition and subtraction and how to apply these skills to larger numbers.

In R.E. they have been thinking about memories and how important these are in our lives. In Science they have been continuing their work on Life Cycles and this week they have been concentrating on mammals and drawing their life cycles.



YEAR 6

This week in Year 6 children have been practising the standard written method for long division and learning about tests for divisibility in Maths; they have been writing instructions for Harry Potter in English - including how to fight a troll, how to make objects fly and how to win a wizard duel. In History, they have learnt about Crime and Punishment in the Victorian period.

In Art lessons, the children have been beginning to design greetings cards for a forthcoming special day by painting spring flowers in watercolours. They have made posters in RE to encourage others to live out the words of the scriptures, choosing passages they think are important.



God wants you to follow the light that Jesus made for us to be happy and joyful but to be kind and caring and to not deem ourselves better than to be like the father in the parable of the prodigal son. Some see themselves as better and they will be deemed unworthy on the day of judgement. Do not judge people by their earthly things and their earthly form but by their heart and their heavenly qualities. Be confident like David when he faced Goliath and know that your God is with you. Go out and spread the word of the Lord for somebody with a good heart who does not use it is no better than somebody without one.



Follow the words of god

Be like Jesus and help people who need help show love and kindness through God's word and in the end join him in eternal life.

How to be an excellent quidditch player

In this unofficial Hogwarts instructions book you will learn how to play quidditch - maybe even make it into the England team. At Hogwarts this is the main sport so it is best that you should learn it. Some people have become famous from this sport! This will tell you everything you need to know about quidditch.

1. Firstly, to be able to play you will need:
 - A magical broomstick;
 - A pitch or at least a long flat field;
 - All the quidditch balls (that will be listed below);
 - Two teams with all seven players each;
 - Two hoops;
 - A referee;
 - A small club.
2. Next, you need to know all of the players. If you are the three chasers, zoom around the pitch on your broomstick around trying to get the quaffle (a bright red ball around the size of a football) into a hoop. You will give your team 10 points.
3. If you are the keeper, quickly, fly around the pitch trying to stop the opposing chasers from scoring.
4. Now you need to know about the beaters (there are two on each team). You will need to hold a small club to stop the bludgers (two jet black balls) from hitting their team off their brooms.
5. Finally, there is a seeker (normally the smallest and fastest member of a team). You will need to fly around the pitch speedily, trying to catch the golden snitch, which is a small golden ball, if you or the opposing team do then the game is over. The seeker that caught the snitch will win their team 100 points (they normally win).

You are now probably a master at quidditch knowledge. If you don't already know how to fly, which is the next step, read the next chapter on how to fly on a magic broomstick. The first time you try to play quidditch you may forget the rules but if you try and try you will definitely understand it.

God is like a light that will always shine even when the darkness comes. He will be there when you need him the most, and he won't leave. Go towards the light and shine out the darkness. Shine like God and help others see this light.

God's love is there for everyone even the really bad ones. He will tell you what is right and what is wrong. He will lead you to the right path without you should deny the wrong. To show God you have chosen this path help others by loving and caring for them. If you see someone who needs help, help them.

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Love is kind. Make every effort to live in peace with everyone and to be holy, without hatred anyone will see the Lord. Hebrews 12:14



Love is not envious. And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them. Luke 6:31



Love is Patient. Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. 1 Peter 4:8

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Listen to different Scriptures, read others how you would like to be treated. Above everything love is an attitude and can be found in anyone. You have to try to live your life to the full and live in peace with the people surrounding you.

