



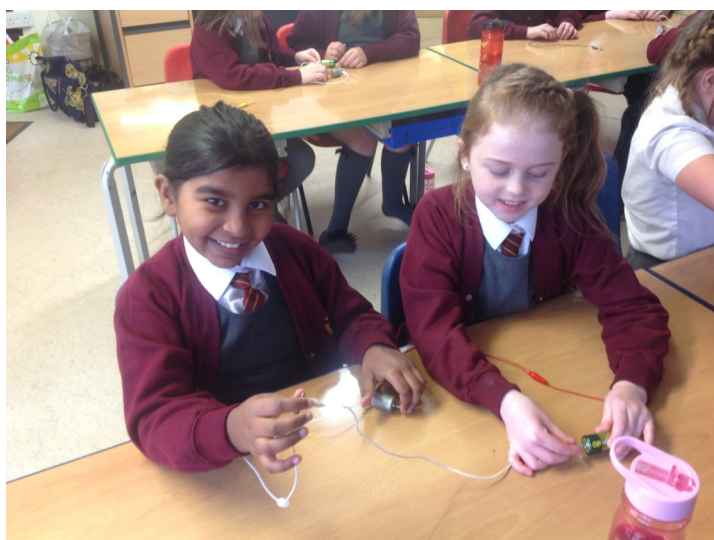
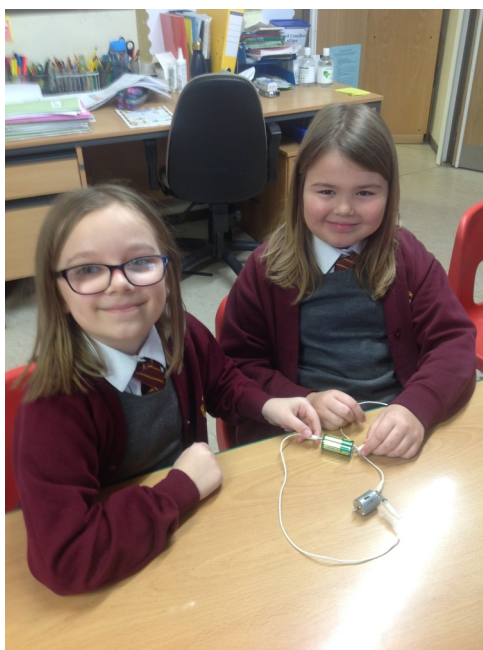
St. Edmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 27th November 2020

This Weeks Spotlight!

Year Three and Four Buzzing with Excitement!

In Year Three and Four, the children have been investigating how to build an electrical circuit using wires, bulbs, batteries and motors. We are now going to use these skills to make a lamp for a room in our house. This week we have enjoyed our lessons on zoom! As part of our English work, we have been creating our own inventions in the style of Wallace and Grommit. In maths we are learning our timetables.



Classroom News!

FSU & Year One

This week we have been practising our phonics in class. We have also been learning about shapes and practising our number formation. We also had a birthday party for one of our friends.

Year Five & Year Six

We have been exploring farming around the world and have begun to discuss the importance of Fair Trade. We have been talking about the equator and the tropics, and have produced art work from around the world.

Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers

Walking around the school this week, I am very grateful for the lovely children which we have. They have come back into school after isolating for nearly two weeks and have got back on with school life. I thank them for that. I really look forward to welcoming our Year One and Two classes back into school and some of our teachers who have been quite ill.

Just a little reminder if anyone is interested in being a school governor please come and see me on Monday. The position involves attending meetings and being part of the decision making concerning the school. It's really important that we have parents on the governing body so they can give us an insight into what you as parents need from our school.

We are beginning to evaluate the services which we provide as a school, therefore I will be sending market research out next week which I would be grateful if you could complete. We are looking to make improvements to our nursery provision in the first instance.

Please remember if you have a child who is starting school next year, you must apply to Lancashire County Council (www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools) by Friday 15th January 2021.

We say a farewell to Mrs Wylie this week and thank her once again for her service and dedication to our school community. We will miss her, but wish her well for her future role.

I hope you have a safe weekend

Take care

Mrs Birmingham

Classroom Rewards

Each week children are encouraged to complete their work to a high standard (St. Edmund's Standard). Children who have tried their best to try and reach this standard will be awarded the 'St. Edmund's Standard Award'. Children are also encouraged to follow the school mission statement and show 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy' towards each other, children who show acts of kindness which follow the mission statement will be awarded the 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award'.

St. Edmund's Standard Award

Lexi Smith

Maya Muzar

Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award

Khaidyn Miller-Keegan

Olivia Lawrenson

Weekly Attendance Award

Research shows that children who attend school every day have improved life chances, therefore it is essential that we encourage our children to attend school everyday.

This weeks Class Attendance Award Winners: Year Five and Six

Whole School Attendance: 76%

Well done children!



Christmas Plans

**Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day—
Thursday 10th December 2020**

Christmas Parties – dates to be confirmed

**Christmas Show—
Video to be released 16th December 2020**

