

Kindness Grows

Week beginning 13th March 2023

This week in phonics...

We will be learning to read and write words containing digraphs and trigraphs.

We are learning to read 'called' and 'looked', as well as learning how to spell 'into', 'his' and 'put'.

This week in maths...

We will be exploring number bonds to 10.

Why this 'theme'?

We have chosen this theme to help support the children in developing their friendship skills. This links really well with our School Value of 'Compassion'.

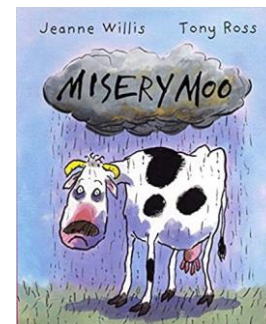
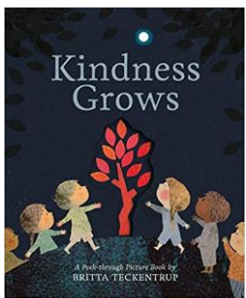
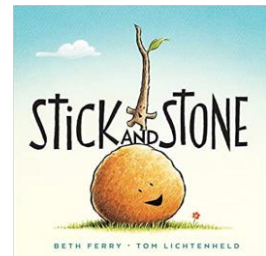
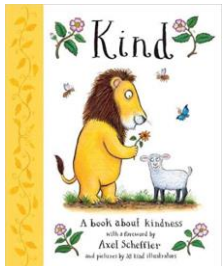
Skills Focus

Self-Regulation: Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly.

Vocabulary
Comfortable
Uncomfortable
Feelings

friendship skills
gentle
playing together
friends
compassion
smile
considerate
disagree
angry
caring
share
happy
care
work together
sad
teamwork makes the dream work
thinking of others
take turns
heart

Kindness



Did you know...

Studies show being kind makes you more energetic and is good for your health.

cross
agree
lonely
love

I wonder...

Would you rather you were always kind to other people or other people were always kind to you?

Things your child can do at home: Make your own friendship chains by writing your friends' names on strips of paper and connecting together, talk about feelings together, share books around kindness (watch the videos of the school staff reading kindness books) and talk together about these, draw a picture for a friend.

Homework: Draw a picture of someone who is special to you and write a sentence about why they are important.

We are a Church of England School...

We say a prayer before lunch each day.

In our daily collective worship, we will be exploring this half-term's theme of 'Responsibility'

This week's song: *Love is something if you give it away.*

School Values:

Compassion • Courage • Responsibility



Visit from Glynis and her two lambs...

We are really excited to let 'ewe' know that from Monday 20th-Friday 24th March we will be welcoming Glynis the ewe, and her two lambs, to stay with us at our Holt Road site ALL WEEK! This will be a 'baa-rilliant' 'opport-ewe-nity' to get up-close and personal with some really docile and friendly animals - all with adult supervision. **Please ensure your child has wellie boots in school to be worn when entering the pen (with an adult).** Please see ParentApp for more information.