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The annual 'Inspire Your Heart With Art Day' on 31<sup>st</sup> January was celebrated in school this week with every child from Pre-school to Year 6 producing art on a postcard to display together in the hall.



Each class was given a different theme.

Preschool - shapes

Reception - faces

Year 1 - flowers

Year 2 - buildings

Year 3 - trees

Year 4 - butterflies

Year 5 - food

Year 6 - birds

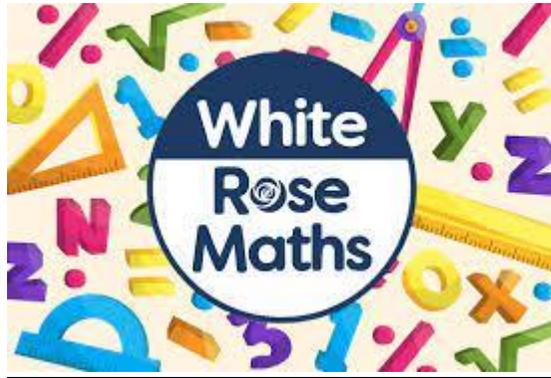
I'm sure you'll agree that they produced wonderful work.



Beech - Trees

### **Our Vision**

**Together we inspire one another to live life to all its fullness, rooted and built up in Christ, so that every member of our school community can learn, develop and flourish, to live in the world as the unique individuals God created us to be.**



### White Rose Maths

All our classes, from Reception to Year 6, use the White Rose Maths scheme in school. Please find a link to the home learning section of the White Rose Maths website, which includes a wealth of useful materials to support with home learning. There are short videos for each individual small step / lesson we are learning about in school, information about where your child is up to and how you can help. There's even a new parental home learning newsletter you can sign up to.

<https://whiteroseeducation.com/parent-pupil-resources/maths/home-learning?year=year-3-new&term=spring>

Once you have clicked on the link you can change the screen to your child's year group. I hope you find it of use,  
Mrs Howlett.

### Sports Update

We are delighted that our Year 3 and 4 children qualified for the Indoor Sportshall Athletics finals. They had a fantastic result, coming 7th out of 29 other schools. Excellent work!

The competition is broken down into a series of activities based on different track and field events.

The event takes place on Friday 9th February at Clayton Green Sports Centre. Good luck to our team!

We have accrued quite a number of trophies, cups and medals for our sporting successes and other achievements recently. If anyone hears of a very reasonable priced display cabinet, or if a local business would like to sponsor the purchase of one, please get in touch.



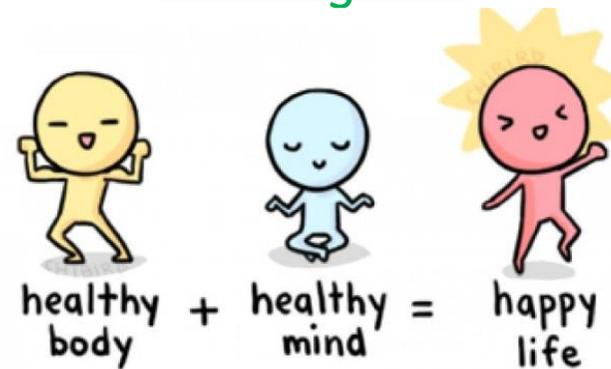
### Attendance

**For this week:**

Overall attendance = 94.49% and  
30 late marks

Dates For Your Diary	
<b>February</b>	
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Mental Health Week in school – this will be marked throughout February in Thursday Worship times. 
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 Debt Awareness Session
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	School closes for half-term break
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup>	School Re-opens
<b>March</b>	
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Non-uniform day for Easter Eggs
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Egg Bingo
<b>May</b>	
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Tempest photos – class groups – revised date.
<b>June</b>	
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	History of our school week – celebrating 140 years!
<b>July</b>	
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Fayre

## Healthy Me!



Worship team led us on Wednesday focusing on Truthfulness. We watched the story of 'The Fiery Furnace' and how three men stayed true to their belief in one God. We also thought more about how to make wise choices to look after minds. This week we especially thought about how we need to do the 'THINK' test before we speak.

Before you speak:

**THINK**

**T** = Is it True?

**H** = Is it Helpful?

**I** = Is it Inspiring?

**N** = Is it Necessary?

**K** = Is it Kind?