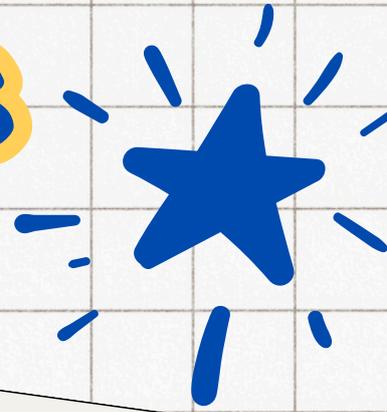




Holy Trinity
CE Primary School

School News

MARCH EDITION



Attendance Matters

Assessment Week begins next week. Please ensure your child is in school every day and arrives on time. Being present makes a big difference to their confidence and progress.



Message from the Headteacher

As we move through this special season of Lent and Ramadan, our school community is taking time to reflect. This term we are focusing on simple acts of kindness. Small gestures such as a helping hand, a warm smile or a thoughtful word can make a big difference and strengthen the caring ethos of our school.

We are also supporting Bury Hospice as our chosen charity, whose work provides comfort and care to many families. At the same time, we keep in our thoughts those around the world experiencing war and conflict.

A Prayer for Peace
May peace fill our hearts,
may kindness guide our words,
and may understanding light our way.
Help us to care for one another
and bring hope wherever we go.
Amen.

Thank you for your continued support in helping our school remain a place of kindness and unity.

Mrs A Knott

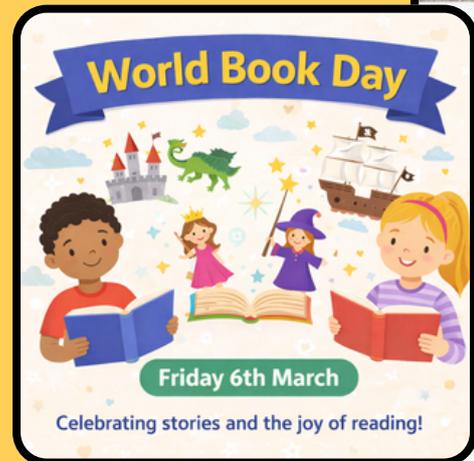
Secondary School Places

Secondary school places have now been offered to Year 6 families. Parents and carers will need to contact their child's allocated high school directly to accept the place. If you have any questions, please speak to the school office.

World Book Day

On Friday 6th March we will be celebrating World Book Day across school. Throughout the day, children will be exploring traditional stories in different ways. They will be innovating familiar tales, becoming storytellers and authors as they create their own versions of well known stories.

The aim of the day is to encourage creativity, imagination and a love of reading. It will be a lovely opportunity for children to share stories together and celebrate the joy that books can bring.



Year 6 Transition Event

Parents and carers of Year 6 children may wish to attend the Year 6–7 Transition Event taking place on Wednesday 11th March at Bury Town Hall (Elizabethan Suite), from 3:00pm to 6:00pm.

The event will bring together a range of secondary schools, giving families the opportunity to meet staff and ask questions before children start in September. Other services will also be available on the day, including transport, uniform providers, school meals and admissions support.

Dates for the diary

- ✓ Friday 13th March- non uniform- £1 for Bury Hospice
- ✓ Friday 20th March- Teacher Training Day (School Closed)
- ✓ Monday 23rd March- Eid Party
- ✓ Thursday 26th March- Parents Evening
- ✓ Wednesday 1st April- Y1 & Y2 Bunny Hop
- ✓ Thursday 2nd April- Non Uniform



Handball Tournament

Our team recently took part in a handball tournament, competing in eight matches against two other schools. The pupils played brilliantly throughout the competition and we are very proud to share that they finished in 1st place. The team were extremely excited to take home the trophy after such a fantastic performance.

"I learnt about a different pillar of Islam- Shahadah which is the declaration of faith"

"One thing I learnt was about The Night of Power in Ramadan"

Ramadan Experience

Some of our children recently visited St Thomas' Primary School to take part in a special Ramadan Day. The visit gave them the opportunity to learn more about Ramadan and how it is celebrated. The children asked thoughtful questions and enjoyed learning about the traditions and importance of this special time.



"I learnt about Laylatul Qadr which is at the end of Ramadan and the holiest night in Islam"

"I learnt in one of the five pillars of Islam that Muslims have to give 2.5% of their wealth to charity"

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

YEAR 5



Parent reading session:

Year 5 loved our parental reading session in February. We got the chance to read a fairy tale altogether and then worked with parents/carers to complete craft, writing and reading activities about the story! A great time was had by all and we cannot wait for our next session!

Rivers - Geography.

Year 5 have spent the half term learning all about rivers. We started by recapping the water cycle and understanding the different stages before moving into the formation of rivers and very technical vocabulary. Why not challenge your child to see if they can remember the definitions of: meander, confluence and source?

HOME LEARNING

Please continue to enjoy reading with your child each evening and remember to sign their yellow reading record book. Ask them questions as you read together to build their understanding and spark great conversations!

Year 5 children need to complete their homework and bring it in every Thursday.