



Westcott Weekly



Friday 9th February 2024

Happy Half Term!



Our School Value focus is: **LOVE**



Children's Mental Health Week

We have marked Children's Mental Health Week with this year's theme 'My Voice Matters'. We learned about the achievements of Greta Thunberg, who, despite being a child, made her voice heard by the most powerful people in the world when she began campaigning on environmental issues.

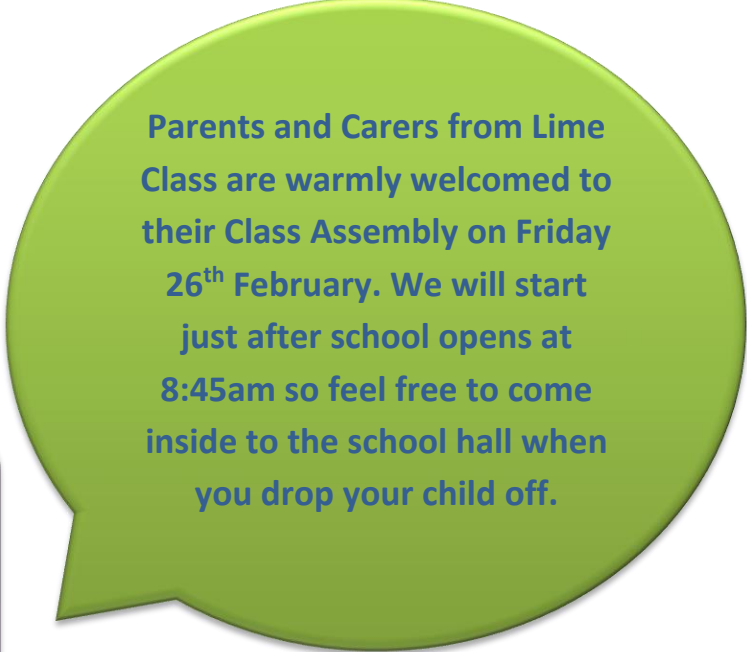
"We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials...they help us develop endurance. And endurance develops character, and character develops hope." Romans 5 vs3-4



E-Safety

In line with our E-Safety Policy and for safeguarding reasons, children should not wear smart watches in school. This includes any watch or device that can access the internet or send and receive messages.

Thank you for your support.



Parents and Carers from Lime Class are warmly welcomed to their Class Assembly on Friday 26th February. We will start just after school opens at 8:45am so feel free to come inside to the school hall when you drop your child off.

PRAYER SQUARE

This is your garden, Creator God,
a thing of beauty beyond understanding,
a poem that is being written
not in words but in colours,
wind's whisper, soaring bird,
snowdrop's petal, gentle rain,
sunlight's warmth,
This is your garden, Creator God,
A thing of beauty beyond our
understanding.

AMEN

Thank you to those members of the school community who attended the Public Consultation Meetings this week.



OAK

Year 6 Oak children have been using their understanding of ratio to solve problems involving scaling, proportion and recipes while Year 5 Oak pupils have been learning how to do long multiplication. Won't you try some with them?

		2	5	3	4	
×			2	3		
		7	5	9	2	
		5	0	6	8	
		1	2	6	6	0
			1	1		

What are the mistakes in this calculation?
Work out the correct answer.

A car travelling at a constant speed travels 24 km in 12 minutes.
How far will the car travel in 1 hour?
How long will it take the car to travel 84 km?
How did you work it out?

LIME

Lime have had a brilliant week, working hard on their maths and 'Jim and the Beanstalk' English work. They have enjoyed making terrariums and discovering minibeasts whilst preparing the vegetables patches for planting.

Nursery have also been using materials to create an imaginary car, driving it to the beach!



BIRCH

In PSHE, we have been focusing on local communities and the buildings we have within our local community. We discussed the importance of certain buildings and their purpose.

Don't forget Pancake Day!

We had a great collective worship session in the church with Rev Caroline Wainman on Thursday. We learned about the meaning of Shrove Tuesday and the traditions of Ash Wednesday and Lent. We hope you all enjoy your pancakes next Tuesday!

