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Spring 1 Week 3

Our Virtue to live by is ..... Simplicity

Since returning to school after Christmas, many conversations have used the word 'simple.'

The simplicity of many people's celebrations were spoken about positively; of course family were missed and journeys stalled, but there was a sense of relief in the fact that simplicity brought focus.

Simplicity can be so underrated.

(Mark 1:14-20):

The Call of the Disciples

"Follow me and I will make you into fishers of men." And at once they left their nets and followed him.

How to Become An Expert in Your Child's Online World in 6 weeks. Please follow the link: https://nspcc.o2.co.uk/

NSPCC Website 'Share Aware' provides straight forward, no-nonsense advice that will untangle the web, and show parents how they can be just as great a parent online as offline. It includes a guide to social networking sites, a parents' guide and tips about how to talk to your child about staying safe online.

Tackling CSE is a priority for West Yorkshire Police and it is the responsibility of everyone to help spot the signs and say something.
For more information, visit www.southyorkshire.police.uk/uk/spotthesigns

St Joseph's supports and advocates 'Operation Encompass' Operation Encompass is a unique Police and Education early intervention safeguarding partnership which supports children and young people exposed to domestic abuse. Operation Encompass is the reporting to schools before the start of the next school day, when a child or young person has been involved or exposed to a domestic abuse incident the previous evening. It enables children to arrive at school and have their needs met, by trained Child Protection staff, who have been informed of the child's 'experience.' National Domestic Violence 24hr free-phone hotline:
0808 2000 247

Remote Learning

Creative Day

In light of the fact that our children are spending more time at their screens **Thursday 27th January** is going to be a creative, off time table day to support pupils well being. Work will still be available on google classrooms as well as activities.

Top tips for remote learning:

Please remember your child does not require a printer in order to be able to complete and submit home learning work. Use the screen like a text book.

To submit completed work on google classroom: click on the 'hand in' button.

If your child finds a task difficult or you are unsure of something related to remote learning please contact the class teacher on google classrooms or Class Dojo in order for them to support.

We are really keen to seek our parents and carers views on remote learning, particularly in light of this being the third lockdown. Thank you to the 70 parents who completed the survey.

Yes / No — We can access remote learning on Google classrooms

The class teacher communicates with us if needed.

We can access the live registration / teaching sessions.

He is enjoying his work in school and when he is working remotely. Thank you to Mr Sandbach and Mrs Brosko for all their hard work and support.

The work and feedback from Mrs Everett is wonderful. The dissecting egg experiment was much needed.

I appreciate all the hard work St Joseph's and Miss Smith have gone into given the circumstances.

I think both Mrs Riley and Mrs Radwell have been great during this period and have provided support and guidance to both the children and to the parents.

Number of Children not accessing Google Classrooms everyday this week.

Lower Foundation— Almost all Nursery children in school

Upper Foundation— 3 children

Year 1— 5 children

Year 2— 5 children

Year 3— 3 children

Year 4— 2 children

Year 5— 1 children

Year 6— 2 children

Whole School—21

Please ensure your child is fully clothed during the live sessions due to safeguarding.

Important Information

Parents and pupils must not record live sessions or share any other live sessions or pre recorded sessions on any social media platforms. If this takes place it will be taken very seriously.

NOTICEBOARD

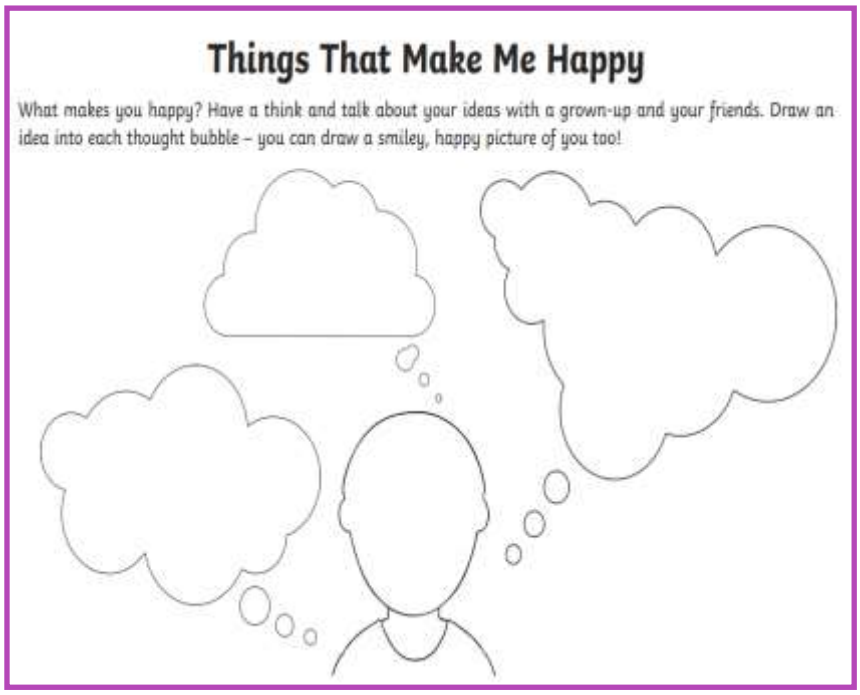
Free School Meals:

If you are entitled to free school meals and your child is not attending school we will begin to issue supermarket vouchers next week. You will receive these via email at an amount of £15 per week. We will be in touch to ensure you have received your vouchers.

Attendance: If your child is unable to attend school or Google Classrooms because of illness you must telephone the school office following the usual school attendance procedures to make us aware your child is not attending.

Key Workers: We will continue to send the survey out on a weekly basis to all parents. Before requesting a place for your child you must send in evidence of you being a key worker e.g I.D badge. **If you have received a message to confirm your child has a place or you have spoken to the school office then we can confirm your child will have a place when needed.**

We must remind you that the purpose of the national lockdown is to reduce movement and footfall to an absolute minimum and wherever possible people must remain at home. If there is a parent at home or someone in your bubble that can care for the child then they should do so where possible.



Amusez-vous dans la neige, tout le
Bon weekend!
Mme K

Winter - L'hiver

Arctic hare
un lièvre arctique

cold
froid

penguin
un pingouin

gloves
des gants

icicle
un stalactite

igloo
un iglou

Inuit
un inuit

Christmas
Noël

snowball
une boule de neige

scarf
une écharpe

seal
un phoque

snowman
un bonhomme de neige

snowy owl
un harfang des neiges

jumper
un pull-over

woolly hat
un bonnet en laine

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Sports D'Hiver

R	T	Q	I	D	T	Z	R	E	D	Q	T	G	J	S	E
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Word Bank

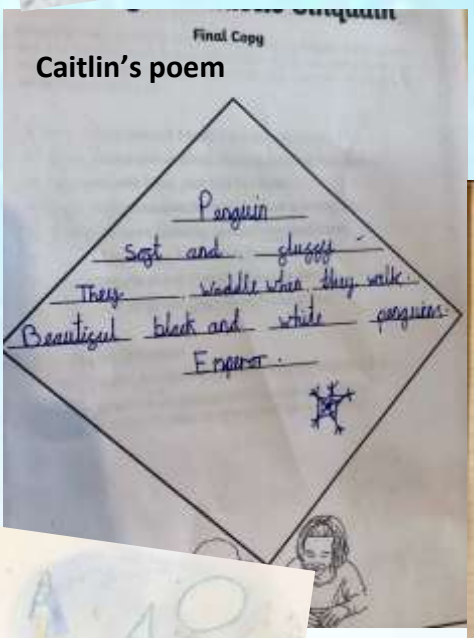
ALPIN	ARTISTIQUE	BOBSLEIGH	CURLING
FOND	HIVER	HOCKEY	LUGE
NEIGE	PATINAGE	PLANCHE	RAQUETTE
RINGUETTE		SPORT	VITESSE

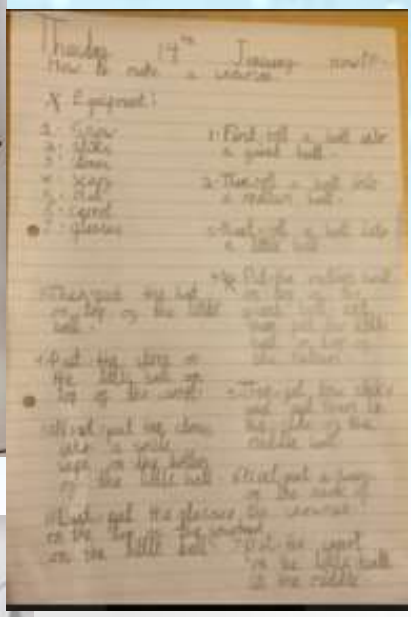
Draw a line from each picture to the matching word in French. Name _____

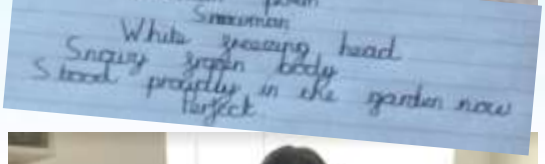
la neige
le ski
le glaçon
le flocon de neige
le patin à glace
l'arbre à feuilles persistantes
le bonhomme de neige
l'écharpe
la luge
le gant

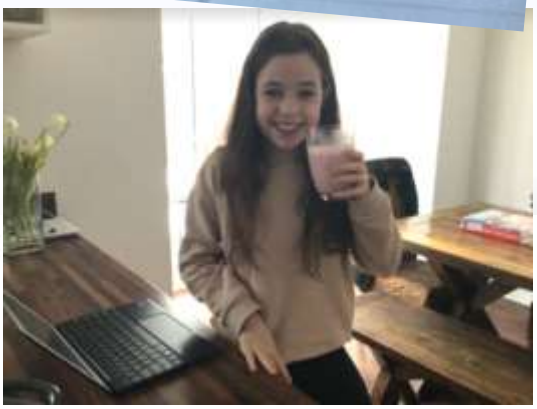
Sebastian helped elderly neighbours in the snow. He cleared an entire street. He cleared snow for almost two hours. We are very proud of you. And the neighbours were very grateful.

Caitlin's poem









Annie's healthy Arctic Milkshake

Ingredients
Strawberries
Bananas
Milk
Lots of ice!

Method
Put the strawberries in and then peel and chop the banana and put that in. Add some ice from the freezer top up with a dash of milk. Blend the mixture until smooth. Pour into a cup and add the silver snowballs (sprinkles) .

Enjoy!

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