

# Weekly Newsletter - 21/6/24

*Our children of St. Thomas of Canterbury are responsible.*

Dear Parents,

It is lovely to see the sun shining this week. During the warmer days please ensure your child has applied sunscreen before school and that they bring a hat. We have a school cap which can be purchased from Uniformwise. Your child should have a named water bottle with them each day. Please ensure all items of uniform are named, especially jumpers, cardigan and PE jackets. If your child has misplaced any items you are always welcome to search through the lost property box outside the front office.

Thank you to 1V for their Celebration of the Word on being sorry and to 4F for reminding us of God's World and His People.

Cultural Diversity Day is fast approaching, please offer your help!

Best wishes,  
Mrs Poulteney

Cultural Diversity Day - 11th July 2024

**Parents and Carers** - We are excited to announce that we will be having a celebration of culture at St Thomas's at the end of the Summer Term. We will be having various workshops and activities throughout the day. Please let us know if you are able and willing to help/volunteer with the following (or any other talents you have): cultural dancing, cultural music, reading stories in a different language, artwork etc.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Activity/ Talent: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Child's class: \_\_\_\_\_

*We learn, achieve and love following Jesus.*



## The Selfish Giant

On Monday, the Children had the opportunity to participate in a musical production of 'The Selfish Giant' from the Image Musical Theatre company.

Throughout the performance, the children and adults were reminded of the value of generosity.

Thank you to all parents who have made a contribution towards the cost of this experience.



## Enterprise Day

On **Wednesday 26th June**, Year 6 will be holding their annual Enterprise Day. The Year 6s have been very busy planning a variety of fun events for all year groups to take part in: glitter tattoos, fair games, arts and crafts, lucky dip, guess the teacher and so much more. *Please send your child with some money (coins), on this day* so that they can take part. If there are any activities you would not like your child to be involved in, please liaise with their class teacher. Thank you for your support!



## Important Dates

26.6.24	Enterprise Day
27.6.24	Reception trip to Marsh Farm
2.7.24	Yr 4 Ancient Egyptian Workshop
8.7.24	Yr 1 trip to Sea Life Centre
10.7.24 10am	Yr 6 Leavers Mass at the Church
11.7.24	Cultural Diversity Day
16.7.24 5pm	Yr 6 Leavers Celebration
19.6.24	End of Term <b>1:30pm finish</b>

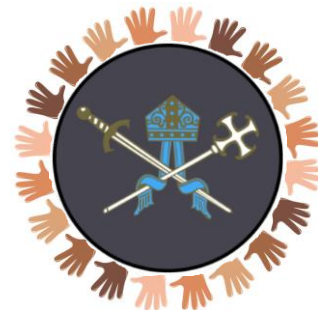
Today was World Music Day and we celebrated as a whole school by gathering together to sing 'Lean on Me'. The children sang and performed beautifully.

Listen [here](#)



# Cultural Diversity Day

Thursday 11th July



To celebrate our cultural diversity we have planned a full day of celebrations. Parents we warmly invite you to join us after school for a craft workshop and a live performance from a mariachi band. We are also looking forward to...

*Wearing traditional dress*

*Learning greetings in other languages*

*Hearing and singing music and songs from other countries*

*Listening to traditional stories from around the world*

*Creating artwork to represent other cultures and countries*

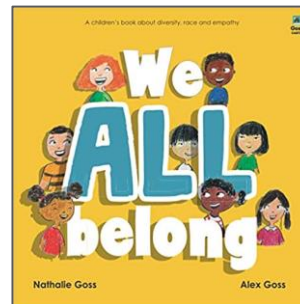


*Exploring customs and cultures*

*Learning traditional dances*

*Locating where countries are on a map*

*Tasting foods from other cultures*



God had a plan to make you unique.



Not one of us is out of place.  
We all belong to the human race.