

# ST. Ed's Weekly



St Edward's  
Catholic  
Primary  
School

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Well done to all the children selected for a Governor's Award this term by their class teachers. Nasha from Year 5 was chosen for consistently demonstrating outstanding qualities in both his learning and attitude. He shows excellent effort and determination, always tries his best, and demonstrates resilience when faced with challenges. Nasha is a respectful, kind, and responsible member of the school community who takes pride in his work and sets a positive example for others.



Thank you to our Mission Team for organising the Stations of the Cross walk. The classes greatly enjoyed learning about the 14 Stations of the Cross around our school grounds, reflecting on Our Lord's Passion and taking time to pray at each station.

Through this special time of prayer during Lent, we were able to think about Jesus as He walked to Calvary and remember how much He loves us. Lent is a time when we try to pray more, be kind, and prepare our hearts for Easter. It helped us understand more about His sacrifice and God's great love for everyone. It was a lovely opportunity to stop, think, and grow closer to Jesus as part of our Catholic faith.



All the children had a wonderful time during their Premier Enrich Day. In the gymnastics session on Thursday, they worked on their movement skills, listened carefully to instructions, and demonstrated great teamwork and perseverance. We look forward to the next one!



### Spring Homework

Well done to all the children for their excellent homework creations. It was wonderful to see them, and thank you to all the families who attended after school on Friday to view them.





# YOU ARE AMAZING!



Well done Maia  
in Year 4 for  
achieving your  
basketball  
medal.



Tess in Year 1 was busy  
helping her local area by

Amaaleya in Year 3 was  
awarded with a  
certificate and medal for  
winning 1<sup>st</sup> place in the  
club championships in  
Gymnastics!



Thank you for sharing all  
your achievements in  
gymnastics with us Maisie!

# LOOK what we're LEARNING!

EYFS have been highly engaged in their R.E. learning. They have listened attentively and respectfully to the Stations of the Cross, developing their understanding of the journey Jesus took during Lent. The children placed stones around the outdoor cross to keep it secure, while the indoor cross represents the desert where Jesus spent 40 days.



Year One earned their treat today!  
They filled their jars with stars by  
showing positive learning behaviours  
this term. Keep it up Year 1! Mrs  
Wright is very proud.



# Year 2



For part of our experience day in English, we made a fact file on Malala Yousafzai. We discussed influential role models that we are familiar with and spoke about what we can do to live our lives more like Malala.



Year 3 absolutely loved the extra Pe session this week, provided by Premier Education. The focus was Gymnastics and all the children were thoroughly engaged in the various activities. They worked on their balance, control, jumps and shapes, while all the time supporting and encouraging one another.

# Year 4

The Year 4 children had a wonderful time painting colourful stones for Wicksteed Park, each one carefully designed to add a splash of creativity to the gardens. On Thursday afternoon, we walked over to the park to try out their exciting Easter Egg Code trail, and the children were thrilled to spot their own artwork arranged beautifully around a charming bunny-shaped flower bed. Seeing their stones proudly on display made the visit even more special, and their smiles showed just how proud they were of their contribution to the park's spring celebrations.



# Year 5

## The Listeners

by Elizabeth Zacharias

Sparks of Lightning glashes in front of Josh,  
Ice goes down my veins,

Suddenly he Saw a house rushing in,  
Terrified the house looked more Spooky than  
he thought,

Fiercely he took a Step in,

Not ONE person was there,

There he Saw Ariana the unusual Bat,

Then Josh and Ariana became Best of friends,

Slowly they drifted apart and Ariana went  
back to her own world.

This week, the children explored poetry by drawing inspiration from our term book, choosing either a key theme or a memorable moment to write about. They produced some wonderfully creative and thoughtful responses, showing great imagination and a growing confidence in expressing their ideas through verse.

# YEAR 6



This term we have been looking at where we get our Energy from and the different types. We have talked about the different renewable energy types and why these are important to our future. This week, we used Google maps to draw a map of the school grounds and tried to decide where we would put solar panels if we had the chance. We did a walk of the school grounds to decide where would be an ideal place, making sure they would get maximum sunlight, be in a safe place and not obstruct any views.



- YEAR 1: Eva
- YEAR 2: Chidera
- YEAR 3: Tate
- YEAR 4: Gaba
- YEAR 5: Starla
- YEAR 6: Luca

Well done Year 4 for winning the Spring Maths competition!

## ENGLISH

EYFS: Aarfa

YEAR 1: Tess

YEAR 2: Chidera

YEAR 3: Teegan

YEAR 4: Alessandro

YEAR 5: Sarah K

YEAR 6: Rosanna



## Celebration Assembly

## CURRICULUM

EYFS: Nate

YEAR 1: Thea

YEAR 2: Steve

YEAR 3: Shivanya

YEAR 4: Eliana

YEAR 5: Mila C

## MATHS

EYFS: Conor

YEAR 1: Maisie

YEAR 2: Oliver H

YEAR 3: Karela

YEAR 4: Mollie

YEAR 5: Idris

YEAR 6: Iona

*For living out the "Be-Attitudes": Kind, polite, honest, helpful, patient, a friend and being the best they can be.*

EYFS: Lylah & Zemirah

YEAR 1: Emily

YEAR 2: Janhvi

YEAR 3: Stabile

YEAR 4: Nell

YEAR 5: Patrick

YEAR 6: Luca



Dear God,

Thank You for the gift of Easter and for the hope and joy it brings. We remember Jesus' love for us and the sacrifice He made, and we celebrate His resurrection and new life. Bless all our families, keep us safe, and help us to show kindness, love, and forgiveness to others each day. May this Easter fill our hearts with peace and happiness.

Amen.



Palm Sunday is a special day in Christianity that remembers when Jesus entered the city of Jerusalem. People were very happy to see him, so they waved palm branches and put them on the ground to welcome him, like a king. They shouted words of praise such as "Hosanna!" This day is important because it begins Holy Week, the days leading up to Easter, when Christians remember Jesus' last days, his death, and his resurrection.



**We would like to wish all our families a safe and happy Easter.**

**We look forward to welcoming everyone back in the Summer term for more exciting learning, new experiences, and plenty of fun!**