

# PUPIL POST



29<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time  
22<sup>nd</sup> October 2023







In History, Year 4 learned about common diseases people were faced with during the Tudor and Victorian times. The children looked at what a Plague doctor used as a remedy and wore not to catch the illness.





Our successful girls football team, before winning the annual autumn tournament. Twelve teams took part. The girls played seven games, without conceding a goal. The final was won on penalties after extra time!

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# Fantastic French accents!

## Les jeux olympiques

September 28<sup>th</sup> 2023

Je sais de l'athlétisme  
Je sais du cyclisme  
Je sais du triathlon  
Elle sait de l'athlétisme  
Elle sait du cyclisme  
Elle sait du triathlon  
Nous faisons de l'escrime  
Nous faisons du plongeon  
Nous faisons de la boxe  
tu sais du tir à l'arc  
tu sais de l'équitation  
tu sais de la natation  
Amazing work and a beautiful  
accent when you spoke  
HW  
Head teachers

Tuesday, 5 October  
2023

## Les épreuves

l'équitation

l'escrime

l'athlétisme





School Parliament  
have nominated  
the first pupil of  
this academic  
year for the  
Common Good  
Ambassador  
Award.





In year 1 we have been exploring numbers to 10 and regrouping using Cuisenaire.







**Getting ready for Our Harvest Festival collection  
at St Vincent de Paul.  
Let's give thanks for all we have!**



The Reception children had great fun exploring the outdoors this week!



Outdoor Adventures







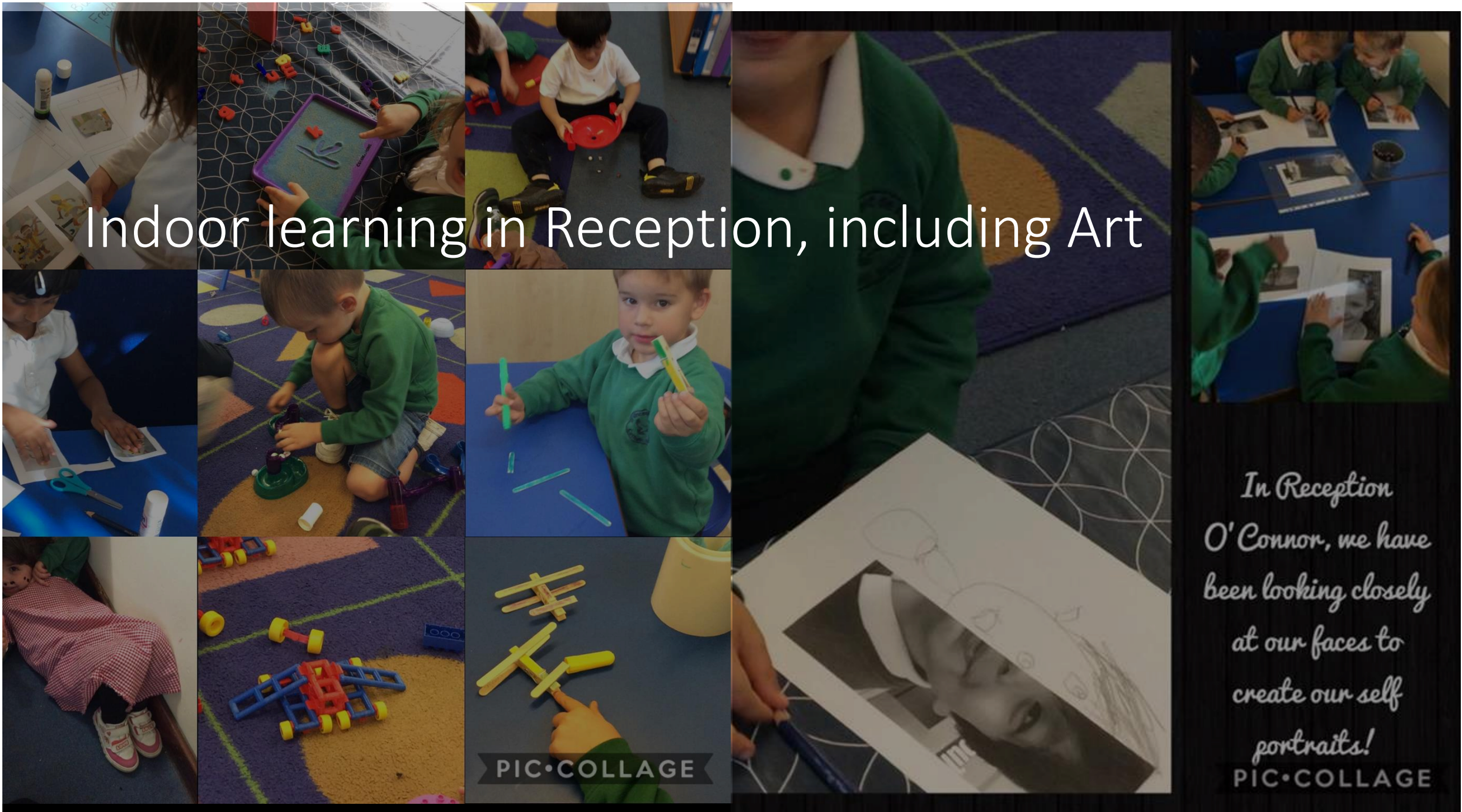
Writing cvc words!



We are making great strides with our writing in Reception.

Well done children!





# Indoor learning in Reception, including Art

*In Reception  
O'Connor, we have  
been looking closely  
at our faces to  
create our self  
portraits!*  
PIC•COLLAGE



We feel enormous gratitude towards the wonderful families that have donated to our Harvest appeal.

Together we are living our mission statement –

*'We are called to be the hands and face of Jesus as we learn, love and grow together.'*







Great to see our  
Year 5 young leaders  
working with Yr1.

Everyone enjoyed it  
... even when rain  
meant that we  
continued inside.

Yr. 5 you showed  
wonderful direction  
and positivity!





# Look AFTER THE

<sup>1</sup> In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup> Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

<sup>3</sup> And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. <sup>4</sup> God saw that the light was good, and he separated the light from the darkness. <sup>5</sup> God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

And God said, "Let there be a vault between the waters to separate water from water." <sup>7</sup> So God made the vault and separated the water under the vault from the water above it. And it was so. <sup>8</sup> God called the vault "sky." And there was evening, and there was morning—the second day.

And God said, "Let the water under the sky be gathered to one place, and let dry ground appear." And it was so. <sup>9</sup> God called the dry ground "land," and the gathered waters he called "seas." And God saw that it was good.

<sup>10</sup> Then God said, "Let the land produce vegetation: seed-bearing plants and trees on the land that bear fruit with seed according to their various kinds." And it was so. <sup>11</sup> The land produced vegetation: plants bearing seed according to their kinds and trees bearing fruit with seed in it according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good. <sup>12</sup> And there was evening, and there was morning—the third day.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the vault of the sky to separate the day from the night, and let them serve as signs to mark sacred times, and days and years," <sup>14</sup> and let them be lights in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth." And it was so. <sup>15</sup> God made two great lights—the greater light to govern the day and the lesser light to govern the night. He also made the stars. <sup>16</sup> God set them in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth, <sup>17</sup> to govern the day and the night, and to separate light from darkness. And God saw that it was good. <sup>18</sup> And there was evening, and there was morning—the fourth day.


And God said, "Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the vault of the sky." <sup>20</sup> So God created the great creatures of the sea and every living thing with which the water teems and that moves about in it, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. <sup>21</sup> God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth." <sup>22</sup> And there was evening, and there was morning—the fifth day.

And God said, "Let the land produce living creatures according to their kinds: the livestock, the creatures that move along the ground, and the wild animals, each according to its kind." And it was so. <sup>24</sup> God made the wild animals according to their kinds, the livestock according to their kinds, and all the creatures that move along the ground according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, "Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals,<sup>[a]</sup> and over all the creatures that move along the ground."

So God created mankind in his own image,  
in the image of God he created them;  
male and female he created them.

And God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground."

Worked 

Year 5 have  
enjoyed  
showing  
their faith  
through  
their talents



# The week in Nursery



*Having fun with a dough press*



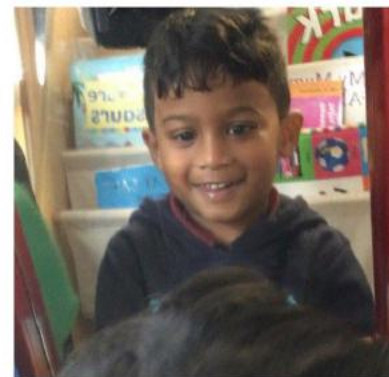
*We have been exploring paint and one-handed tools.*



*Building hand strength*









# Exploring mark making



*Big  
Draw*





*"I was lucky enough  
to be invited to listen  
to the amazing stories  
that were written  
by the children  
in Year 1 Mistral.*

*I was so impressed.  
Well done everyone!*





Arya + Brooke → interesting  
shapes

### Gymnastics

Henry → landed perfectly

Ira → Control

Stanley → good finish

Grace → smooth transition

Jackson → good stretching

In Year 3  
Gymnastics we  
have been using  
the equipment  
and exploring  
different  
gymnastic  
positions. The  
children got the  
chance to review  
some of their  
peers' work.





Great end to our first half term in year 1.

Observational drawings using mixed media, starting with a blind drawing of scissors followed by life drawing.

I only wish I had taken more pictures of the end results, brilliant! Happy half term everyone



The PSA have made the difficult decision to cancel both our wreath making evening and quiz night due to low ticket sales. The decision hasn't been an easy one to make but we were at risk of making a loss on these events due to room hire and deposit costs that are required to be paid upfront and by cancelling now we have given enough notice so that we do not have to pay these costs.

Thank you to those who did book tickets. We will process your refunds asap.

We hope you understand and we look forward to seeing you at our next PSA event

Friday 3rd November - Glow toys sale

Friday 24th November - preloved

Christmas jumper sale

Friday 8th December - Christmas disco

Thank you to everyone who supported our last bags2school collection.  
We've just found out that we raised a huge £260 !

## Friday, 3 November

15:00 PSA Glow Stick Sale

## Tuesday, 7 November

15:30 Parents Consultations

## Wednesday, 8 November

15:30 Parents Consultations

## Friday, 10 November

14:30 Yr 4 Michelangelo Class Assembly

## Friday, 17 November

18:30 ~~PSA Quiz Night~~

## Friday, 24 November

15:00 PSA Preloved Xmas Jumper Sale

## Friday, 1 December

14:30 Yr6 Shakespeare & Tolkien Class As



Thank you  
to everyone who  
donated to the  
non-uniform day  
on Friday.  
We raised a  
fantastic  
**£327.70**  
for FEED UP,  
WARM UP!





Some of the leaders of the people tried to trap Jesus and get him into trouble. So they sent some of their followers who said to him, "Teacher, we know that you are an honest man and teach God's way with honesty. We also know that you are not afraid of anybody: someone's rank means nothing to you. Then they asked him, "Is it right to pay taxes to Caesar, the Emperor?" Knowing what they were up to, Jesus said, "Why are you trying to trap me? Show me the coin you use to pay taxes." They handed him a coin. He said to them, "Whose head is on this coin, and whose name?" "Caesar's," they replied. "So then," he said to them, "give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar - and to God what belongs to God."



Please read and reflect together upon this week's gospel.  
The theme is

**GRATITUDE**

From the Gospel of 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2023 Cf. Matthew 22:15-21 (the 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

**"The heart that knows how to say 'thank you' is a good heart, it is a heart that is content."** *Pope Francis*

**"In all created things recognise the care and wisdom of God, and give him thanks."** *St Teresa of Avila*

Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for blessing us in so many ways. Help us to be always grateful to you and to show our gratitude by loving those around us. Amen.

