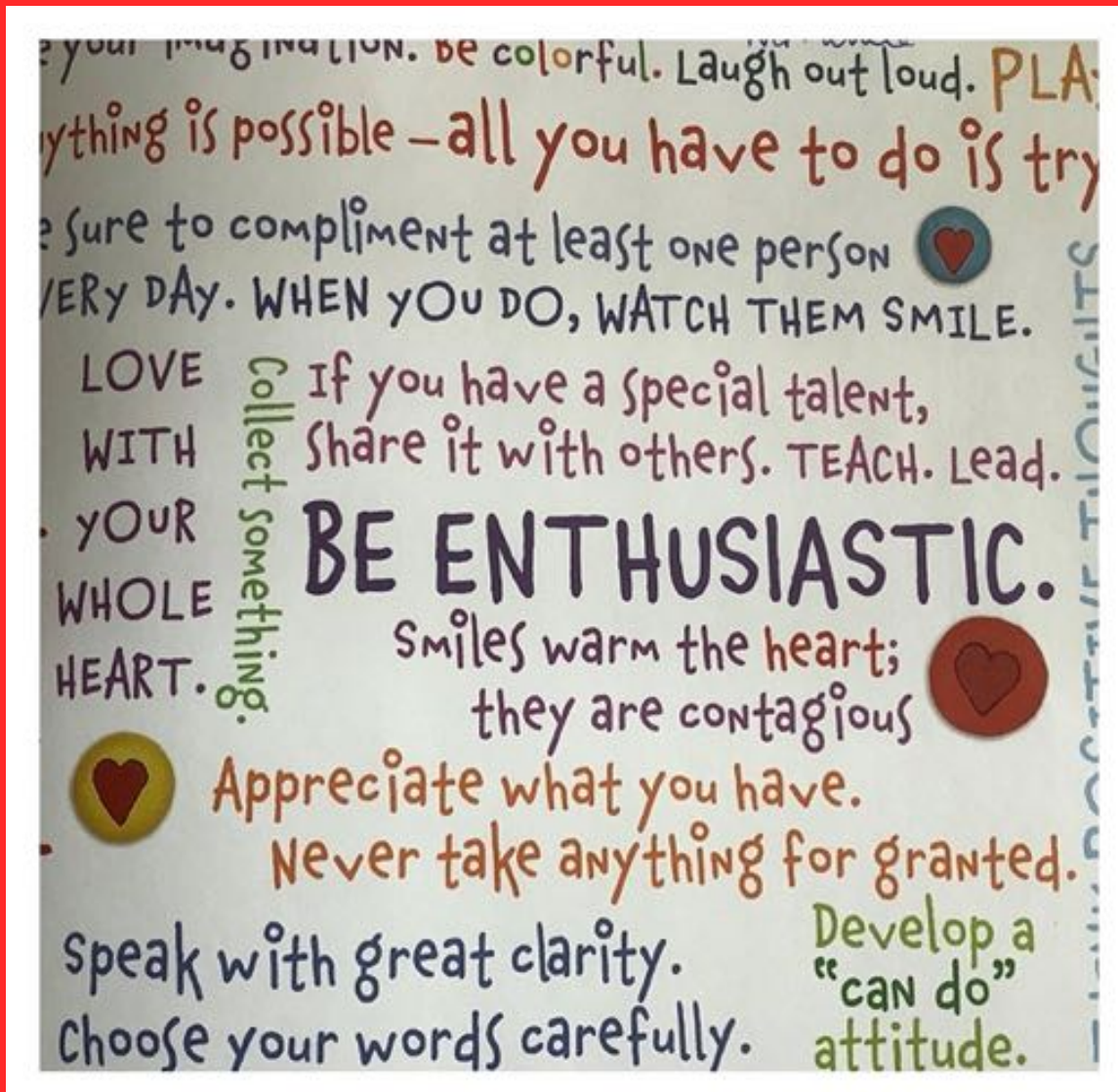


PUPIL POST

June 28th 2020



*"In Christ **we**, though many, form **one body**, and each member belongs to all the others"*
St Paul. Romans 12:5

We welcomed everyone, in BUBBLES and at home, to the wonderful shared assembly to celebrate two great Saints
- Peter and Paul.



Thank you to everyone who read...and Tatenda for his amazing cello performance, plucking and bowing, and, above all, for his great advice: ***keep practising, never give up...and try to have fun! Saints Peter and Paul would certainly have agreed and are examples to us all .***

A weekly gift to you and your family from your Catholic School

THE WORD

SHARING SUNDAY'S GOSPEL WITH PARENTS & FAMILIES

Wednesday 20th June 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of our great apostles who share Jesus's mission through the world. St Peter and St Paul.

St Peter's message: Peter proclaims the faith in Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the living God, who died along with the important task of leading the Church, a way which is now understanding Pope Francis.

Jesus said: "Who do you say I am?" Simon Peter spoke up and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Jesus replied, "Simon, you are a happy man! Because this was made known to you by my Father in heaven. So from now on you will be called Peter, which means 'rock', and on this rock I will build my Church. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven."

What was Simon Peter's reply to Jesus? Which word or words stood out for you in this Gospel, and why? See the picture opposite. What does it make you think about?

Don't forget to pray!

THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH

Sunday 23rd June 2024



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Remember to pray for the feast of St Peter and St Paul.

For more reading, look at the Gospel in the Bible.

"The family is the primary cell of society. It is the first school of faith and the first place where we learn to love."

Good News for Families

Having faith is to believe and trust in God's love for us. Faith is one of life's greatest blessings – it is a gift to be shared. The Church exists to help people to grow in their faith and there's no better time than now to explore and refresh your faith. Find out more at: cbnews.org.uk

1 Our Special Time Together

Enjoy reading the Gospel overleaf (or below for younger children)

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2 Wednesday's Word is ...

FAITH



3 Loving God & Each Other

"Faith and love are everything, and nothing is more precious than these."

St Ignatius of Antioch

Faith is a gift from God that greatly enriches our lives. A family full of faith is a family full of joy. Ask your child what the word 'faith' means to them. Who do they know who has great faith in God? Who helps them to grow in faith and learn more about God? You may want to tell your child about someone in the family, at school or in the parish who helped you to grow in faith when you were young.

Putting our faith in Jesus helps us to know God as our loving Father and helps happiness and love to grow in our families.

As a family, talk about the faith you have in God. What can we do, in these coming weeks, to help our family's faith to grow? Perhaps we can: regularly read and talk about God together and with others; read the gospels; say morning or bedtime prayers together; ask God to help us grow in faith; follow Jesus by loving others; visit cbnews.org.uk; visit our local parish church website for more ideas.



Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for the gift of faith. Please increase the faith of our family so that we can know you more closely. Amen.

WEDNESDAY WORDSEARCH

SMARTSEARCHES FIND THESE EIGHT WORDS EITHER ACROSS OR DOWN

S	O	B	L	N	F	L	I	E	R	O	S
T	S	E	E	V	A	G	H	P	S	J	E
E	O	L	F	L	E	A	T	H	E	R	J
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O	A	E	P	P	E	T	E	R	G	R	H
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S	E	L	J	S	U	S	E	J	S	N	S

SUPERSEARCHES FIND THE WORDS BACKWARDS OR DIAGONALLY

FATHER
HEAVEN
GAVE
PETER
FAITH
BELIEF
JESUS
SON

Circle out the letters **u b w** in the jumbled words below to find 6 real words.

libvvuwg Churbwist supowkeb swalibdu

Simon Peter _____ up and _____. "You are the _____, the Son of the _____ God."



Search for at least three differences between this picture and the colour one. Then draw them in before colouring.



This Sunday, we celebrate the feast of St Peter and St Paul. Each year, His Holiness, one of the Pope's official cardinals, helps us to celebrate this special feast day through their 'Day of Many Colours'. More at: missiontogether.org.uk/day-of-many-colours

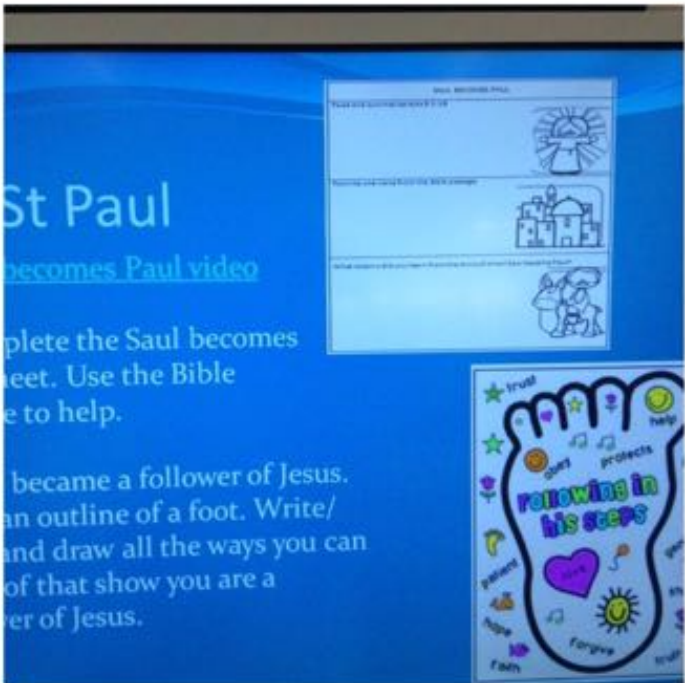
Write a promise and then draw a big smile on Sunday

This week I will try my best to...



For more, visit: wednesdayword.org.uk or cbnews.org.uk

BUBBLE 11 SHOWING THEY ARE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS USING ST. PAUL'S ADVICE





Great perseverance
and resilience
demonstrated by
these young builders

Paul Klee



Bubble 7 has been looking at the artist Paul Klee's work called 'Castle in the Sun'. The children used pastels to draw their interpretation of his work.

They also looked at work by Wassily Kandinsky and had a great time colour mixing!

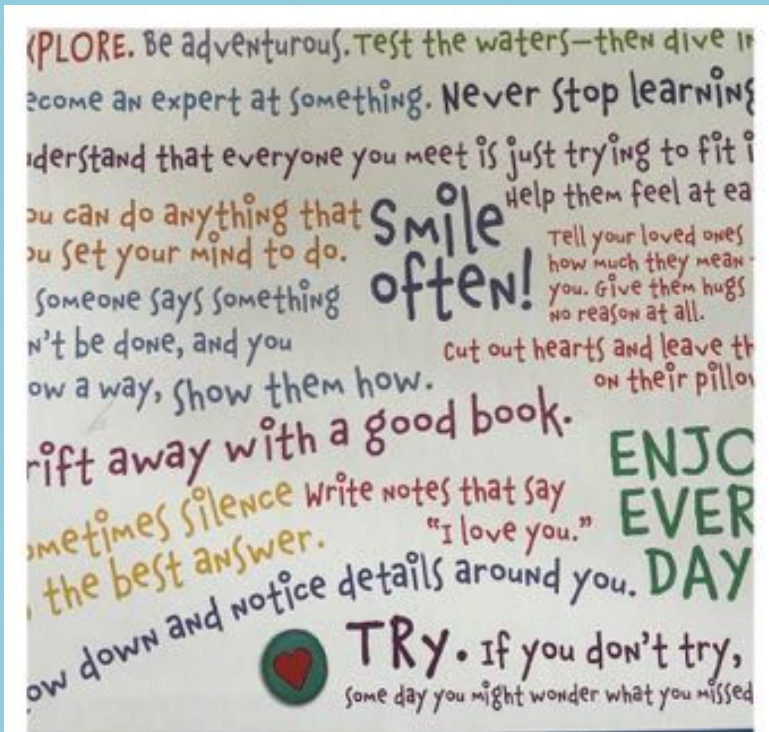
Wassily Kandinsky



Only One You by Linda Kranz - what wonderful tasks you sent to us this week Y5! <http://m.youtube.com/watch?v=vu9cap>



PIC-COLLAGE



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Always be on the lookout new opportunities.

Look for kindness wherever you are and show kindness to the people you meet.

Ask for help when you need to. Help others when you have the chance.

Do what you want to do, you don't have to imitate others.

Know when to stop; know when to continue.

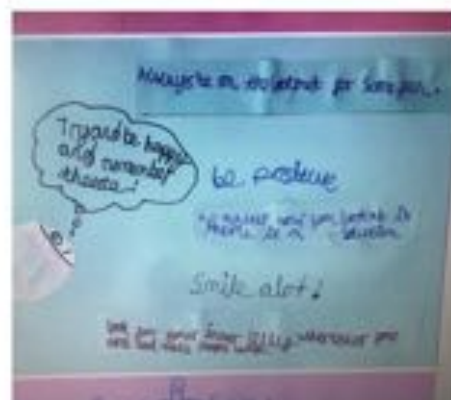
No matter how you look at it, there is so much to discover.

If there isn't going according to plan, don't give up.

If something is wrong, don't blame yourself.

Set aside some problems and relax.

Appreciate the world. It's beautiful.





MORE
FANTASTIC
FISH





Playing a
game
together
taking
turns to
sound
out and
blend
words -
or are
they
words?

Bubble 11 pupils
have been in
lockdown too long
as they had some
crazy hairstyles
today!

Thanks for the idea
[@famtriedtested](https://www.instagram.com/famtriedtested)



On a piece of cardstock draw and cut out a face with eyes but no hair. Now take it outside and go on a hairstyle hunt. See how many funny hairstyles you can give it.





BUBBLE ONE


**EXPLORING A
PROGRAMMABLE
VEHICLE,
USING
DIRECTIONAL
LANGUAGE.**

*“Look!
It’s going forward
and doing a
wheelie!”*



We explored
a variety of
tools to apply
paint and
make
different
marks





THANK YOU Bubble 12

**They spend Thursday
mornings developing
our wildlife learning
areas.**

**Look what they have
found as they worked!**





Why has the fly died? PIC•COLLAGE

In response to an
observation and a
question:

Why has the fly died?
The children used their
senses to observe and look
closely at the details.

*"The magnifier makes it
look bigger!"*

EYFS playing skittles

We started with 10.

How many have we knocked over?

How many are left standing?

"Good fun" said Jack and Henry.






It was lovely to see this young man back in school this week- how you have grown! Great skills have been developed at home; mum loves the help with the Sunday roast!

PLAYING JENGA WITH A GERMAN COUSIN ONLINE





**Did you know
there was a
giant sequoia
tree in Hampson
Park? It is huge.
Thank you for
sharing Gabriel.**

Diary of a Wimpy
Kid books all
read 

Now for David
Walliams books!!
Check out my
Dreamcatcher!





More pupils have been adding to the Grace Way Covid Cobra

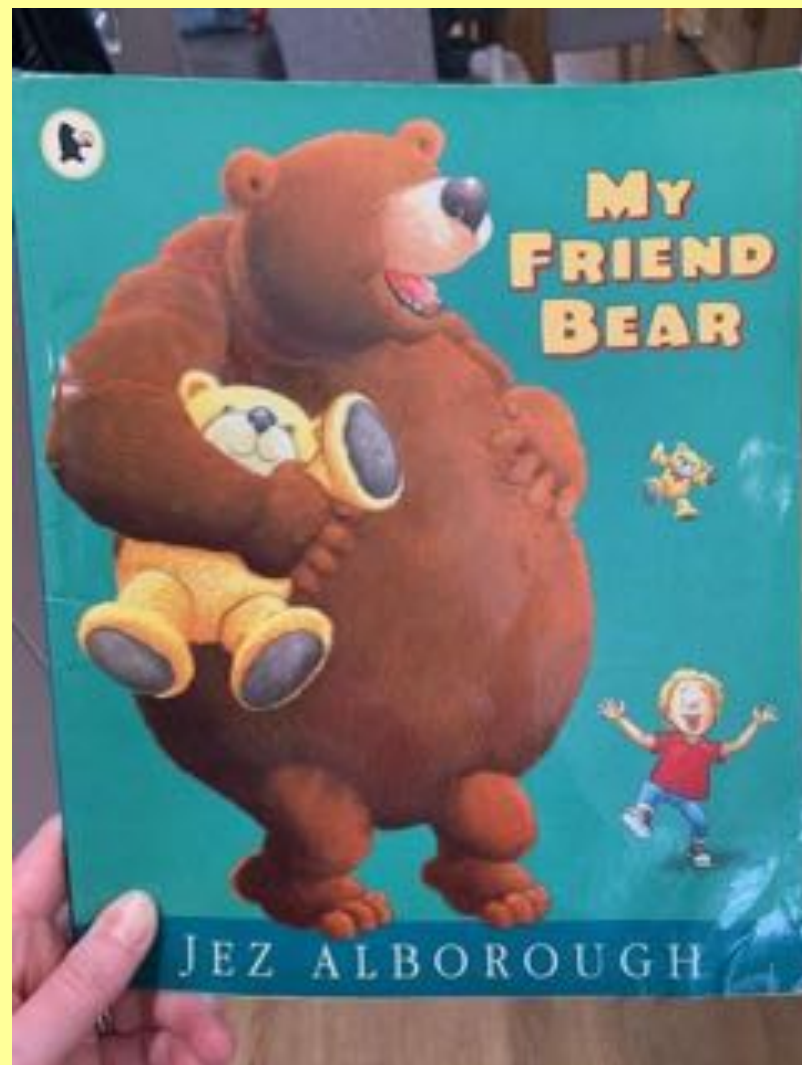
It is lovely to see these two happy brothers out and about, being creative in their learning.

We would love to see what others have been doing.

Please share your pictures and activities.

**Email
rsherry@stvincent.herts.sch.uk**

How lovely to hear that the whole family enjoys watching Mrs Humphries reading stories and the follow up activities
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hXYTocoKPBU>)



Year 5 have enjoyed watching their vegetables grow. They may not have chillies or tomatoes or beans to pick yet, but hopefully by the summer holidays.





Girlguiding Anglia Midsummer Sleepover Challenge 2020

After a week in school who packed her suitcase and set up her sleeping bag and tent in the garden for a sleepover, helped with a BBQ for Father's Day, made a paper lantern decorated with stickers, watched virtually the sunset in Stonehenge and the CBeebies A Midsummer Night's Dream performance (with Mr. Tumbles playing Nick Bottom!), among many other activities over the weekend?

It sounds like lots of fun!





IT LOOKS LIKE YOU ARE HAVING A
FANTASTIC TIME!
WE WILL BE BACK TOGETHER AS
SOON AS WE CAN

OUT AND ABOUT

**Exploring
the woods
near their
home.**

*Have you found
local beauty spots
and places of
interests right
near your home
since the
lockdown began?*



Take Away Play

Thank you for visiting us today.

This is your take away play box from the Stevenage Borough Council Play Section, these boxes are designed so you do not have to share resources with those outside of your household so there is no need to return any of these items to us.

In your box you will find some basic resources and activities that you can complete at home, we also have a Stevenage Safari sheet which you will be able to find animals around the park you are currently in, keep your eyes peeled to complete the sheet. Whilst you are in the park we have also marked out a fitness trail for you to try.

We hope you enjoy the contents of this box and find the ideas inside useful, we will be visiting the Playcentre at the same time each week to give away a new box with new activities.

Please let the Playworkers know the types of activities you enjoy and they may be included in future boxes.



Stevenage
BOROUGH COUNCIL



**AVAILABLE FROM THE
PLAY CENTRES**

Thank you for sharing



RESILIENCE CALENDAR: JUMP BACK JULY 2020



SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



We can't control what happens to us, but we can choose how we respond

5 Avoid saying "must" or "should" to yourself today

6 Put a problem in perspective and see the bigger picture

7 Shift your mood by doing something you really enjoy

8 Get the basics right: eat well, exercise and go to bed on time

9 Help someone in need and notice how that gives you a boost too

10 Don't be so hard on yourself. It's ok not to be ok

11 Reach out to someone you trust and share your feelings with them

12 When things go wrong, be compassionate to yourself

13 Challenge negative thoughts. Find an alternative interpretation

14 Set yourself an achievable goal and make it happen

15 Go for a walk to clear your head when you feel overwhelmed

16 When things get tough, say to yourself "this too shall pass"

17 Write your worries down and save them for a specific 'worry time'

18 Let go of the small stuff and focus on the things that matter

19 Notice something positive to come out of a difficult situation

20 Ask yourself: What's the best thing that can happen?

21 If you can't change it, change the way you think about it

22 Make a list of 3 things that you can feel hopeful about

23 Remember that all feelings and situations pass in time

24 Choose to see something good about what has gone wrong

25 Notice when you are feeling judgemental and be kind instead

26 Get back in touch with a supportive friend and have a chat

27 Write down 3 things you're grateful for (even if today was hard)

28 Catch yourself over-reacting and take a deep breath

29 Think about what you can learn from a recent challenge

30 Ask for help from a loved one or colleague. Be specific

31 Remember that you are not alone. We all struggle at times



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS



actionforhappiness.org

Daily actions to look after ourselves and each other as we face this global crisis together

Keep Calm · Stay Wise · Be Kind