

1ST DECEMBER 2023

TRINITY NEWS



MRS MANNING'S MESSAGE

Dear parents and carers,

Happy 1st of December, I am sure your houses were busy with the excited opening of advent calendars this morning.

Christmas Fayre

Thank you for all of the chocolate donations for the chocolate tombola stall at the Christmas Fayre on Friday 8th December. Plans are progressing quickly and children are busy creating gifts for you to purchase. It's not too late to volunteer, as such events can only be put on with a balance of staff and parent/carer volunteers. We are only asking for 30 mins to be put on a rota to enable all of our volunteers the time to enjoy walking around the fayre too. Either let your class teacher know or email: pta@trinity.hereford.sch.uk

Easy Fundraising:

Please don't forget to use Easy Fundraising every time you shop on-line, especially during this festive period! Over 7,000 brands will donate to our school fund at no extra cost to you: www.easyfundraising.org.uk



ATTENDANCE

EYFS	96%
Year 1	95%
Year 2	95%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	97%
Year 5	96%
Year 6	96%
Whole school	95%



HOUSE POINTS

Raglan 337

Ludlow 309

Chepstow 324

Goodrich 302

NEWS AND UPDATES:

In RHSE this week, Reception learned that homes are important. They talked about ways their homes are the same, but they also recognised that in some ways our homes are all different. The children then worked in groups to make homes out of a variety of resources. They put our HEART value 'Team Trinity' in to action when they were building their homes.

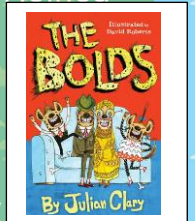
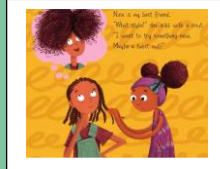
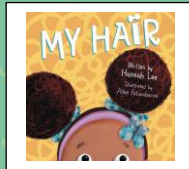


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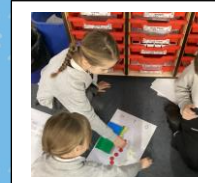
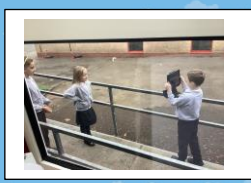
Reading assemblies This week in Key Stage 1, we shared the story "My Hair" written by Hannah Lee. This is a story about a young girl who can't decide how to have her hair for her birthday. She sees people with short hair, cornrows and even a mowhawk! In the end, she decides on a big afro which makes her feel confident and free! I chose this book because I love how it celebrates how we are all different. It is important children are reading books about people from a range of cultures. The children listened to beautifully and even joined in with some of the rhymes!



In our KS2 reading assembly, we read the first chapter of 'The Bolds' by Julian Clary together. The story shares the daring adventures of a family hyenas pretending to live their life as humans. It is a funny story with something to laugh about on every page and both the children and the adults found themselves giggling along! I chose this book because I love a book that cheers me up on a cold winter's night and if you are looking for a feel good, funny story then this is the series for you!

NEWS AND UPDATES:

Year 3 have fully embraced No Pen Day this week. In Maths, they completed a round robin of activities including iPad quizzes, solving questions using the concrete objects and playing some maths themed games. Many children were heard saying "Best Maths lesson ever!". In English the children took on the roles of a news reporting team, they worked in groups to create and record a news report about a star that had crash landed onto the school playground. The children took on roles of reporters, cameramen, witnesses and interviewers. In the afternoon, Year 3 used QR codes and shared documents on the iPads to record their findings and observations about different soil samples. Plenty of discussion and learning took place and not a pen in sight!



Yesterday, Mrs Lemar and Mrs Taylor took a group of Santa's helpers to choose the school Christmas tree. First, they walked through the trees, looking to spot the perfect one, next they visited the Wellington Garden Centre for a well-deserved hot chocolate and picked out a new decoration for the tree. Mr T is picking up today so I can't wait to see it decorated.

