



School Newsletter

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Learning to Love, loving to learn

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loving hopeful
attentive curious
faith-filled wise
generous learned
eloquent prophetic
intentional discerning
compassionate
truthful active

THIS IS
MY PLACE



We will be celebrating a special week in school next week. Inspired by Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week. The theme this year is **'This is My Place'** which is based around belonging and how we can feel a sense of belonging and help others feel like they belong.

Safer Internet Day 2026

Safer Internet Day (SID) 2026 will be on Tuesday 10 February 2026. It is coordinated in the UK by the UK Safer Internet Centre.

Its aim is to inspire a UK-wide conversation around using technology in ways that are:

responsible

respectful

creative

rooted in critical thinking

For this campaign, our focus will be on artificial intelligence (AI), exploring how:

it shapes our online experiences

we can use it safely and responsibly

Instagram—Each class will be 'instagramming' at least once a week about some of the things that they have been doing in class. You can 'follow' the school [Ctkprimaryschool](#)



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British Science Week – 9th–13th March

We're excited to let you know that our school will be taking part in British Science Week from Monday 9th to Friday 13th March. This year's theme is '*Curiosity: What's your question?*', and we'll be encouraging pupils to ask big questions, explore how things work, and think like real scientists.

Throughout the week, children will enjoy hands-on investigations, experiments and discussions designed to spark curiosity and celebrate science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM).

As part of the week, we would love to invite parents, carers or family members who work in a science or STEM-related field to come into school and share their knowledge. This could be through a short talk, a practical activity, or a Q&A session with one or more classes—nothing too daunting, we promise!

If you (or a family member) are available and would like to volunteer, please contact the school office to register your interest. Your support would help make this a truly inspiring week for the children.

We're excited to share that on Friday 13th we'll be holding a special celebration to showcase all the fantastic work the children have been doing. Parents and family members are warmly invited to come along and see what the class has created. We will confirm the exact times soon.

Thank you for your continued support—we're really looking forward to a fantastic week of curiosity and discovery!

The Eisteddfod this year will take place on Monday 2nd March. We are looking forward to seeing the children display their talents as is traditional! Activities will be happening in classes in the run up to St David's Day. However, here are some things to think about at home.

Music Performance

If you would like to perform in the Eisteddfod, we would really like to hear from any children that play an instrument. This could be one that is learnt inside or outside of school. We would suggest that you discuss whether your child feels confident about playing in front of the rest of the school. If you would like to take part, we are having a short audition on Wednesday 25th February - the first week after half term. Please bring all instruments and music to school on this day and those taking part will have a go at playing in front of the Senedd group.

Photography Competition

Children can take photographs that reflect any aspect of living in Wales. The title of this is 'Cynefin'. This is a Welsh word that does not have a direct translation into English but refers to belonging or a familiar place. We ask that pupils share their photos with their class teacher either through Seesaw or Google Classroom. A short description of the photo would be helpful as well. The closing date for this is also Wednesday 25th February.

Craft Competition

The children in the Criw Diwylliant Cymraeg Senedd group have made this poster to explain the half term Craft Competition.

Half Term Craft Competition

We are doing a Welsh dragon craft for Saint David's day. We would like you to take part in this over half term if you want to. You could make it out of Lego for example you don't have to do the whole thing. You could only do the eye of the dragon if you want to.



Note from Mr Wright

This message is from the Criw Diwylliant Cymraeg who chose the theme for this competition. It is optional, but if you take part, you can win points for your house at the Eisteddfod. You can create this in any way you choose but we request that the finished model or picture be able to fit on a piece of A4 paper so that it is easier to display. Please bring your completed work to school ready for judging on the first Wednesday after half term - 25th February. Pob lwc!



Phrase of the fortnight



Ble est ti?

Es i i **Rhossili.**

Es i i'r **neuadd.**

You can change the red word for a different place. **Neuadd** means the hall.

This means: Where did you go?
The answer means: I went to...

Next Week

Sunday - Children's Liturgy CTK Church 9:30am , St Pauls 9am

Monday—Netball after school club 3:30– 4:15pm

Tuesday— Football Tournament. Pbuzz Concert All Nations Y3

Wednesday—Walking Bus. Netball Tournament

Thursday—Walking Bus

Friday—Football after school club 3:30-4:15pm

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The find out more information and to book an experience please visit- <https://wwme.org.uk>

[Home - World Wide Marriage Encounter England and Wales](#)

Junior Club

Please note there is no Junior Club until Friday 27th February.

Family Mass

The 9.30am Mass at Christ the King on Sunday 15th February will be a family Mass. If any young person would like to take part please contact Marie Tel: 07753439567, email: llanishen@cardiffmenevia.org

We came together this morning to celebrate the Welsh we are using throughout the school. Well done to our 'Siaradwr yr wythnos' who were chosen by their peers for their use of the Welsh language this week!



Catholic Life of the School

Year 5 have been exploring the Transfiguration of Jesus through art and ICT. After carefully drawing the scene, they used digital tools to edit and enhance their work to further the illustrate this mystery of faith. [#ctkcar-diffRE](#) [#REDBranch3](#) [#ExpressiveArts](#) [#DCF](#)



Celebrating Good Work

Nursery

A day of movement and fun for nursery today! Our morning began with an obstacle course in the hall - we jumped, hopped, climbed and balanced. Whilst in the afternoon we took the bikes onto the playground as we glided in and out of the cones. Da iawn pawb!



Reception

This week, the children in Reception class have been exploring different shapes. We have made brilliant shape pictures, completed puzzles and built some brilliant creations using magnetic tiles and blocks



Year 1

Maths fun in year 1. #ctkcardiffy1 have been ordering and comparing numbers to 20. We have used the $<$ $>$ signs and made sure we wrote the numbers carefully, starting in the right place. #Mathematics #games #more #less #bigger #smaller



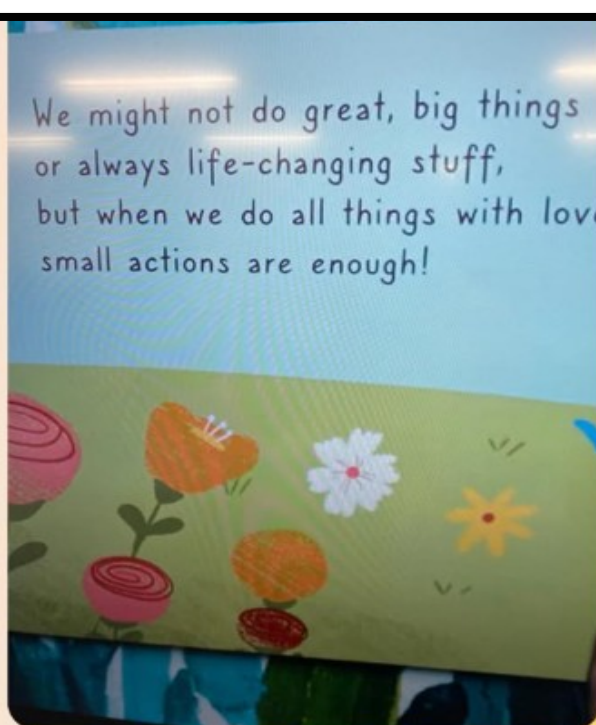
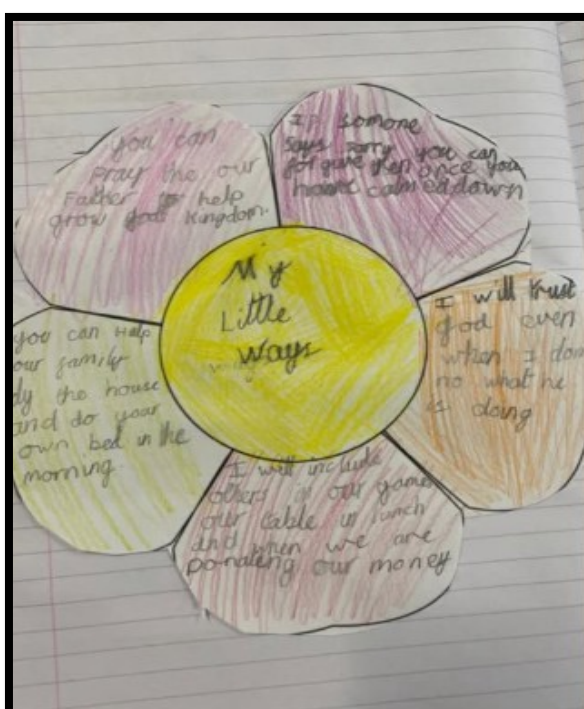
Year 2

[#ctkprmc Cardiffyr2](#) have enjoyed exploring the Holy Trinity through different media today. We used pastels, water colour painting and clay to create representations of the Holy Trinity. We explored artists work from around the world and then created our own.



Year 3

Year 3 have been learning about St Thérèse of Lisieux and how she helped build the Kingdom of God in her own little ways. We identified how she lived out different Catholic Social Teaching principles and created our own flowers with little ways we can help build God's Kingdom! [#ctkcardiffRE](#) [#REDBranch3](#) [#CST](#) [#FaithIntoAction](#)

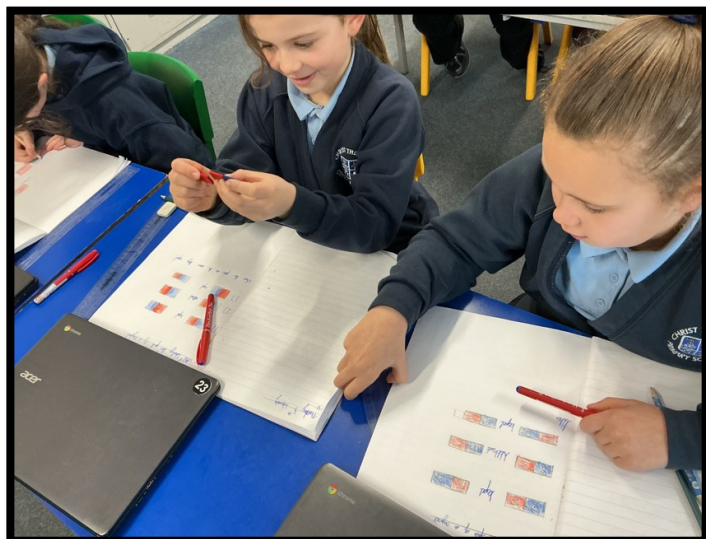
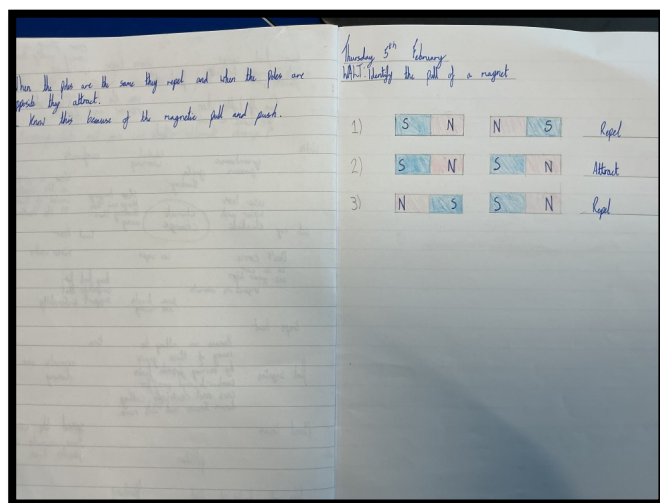
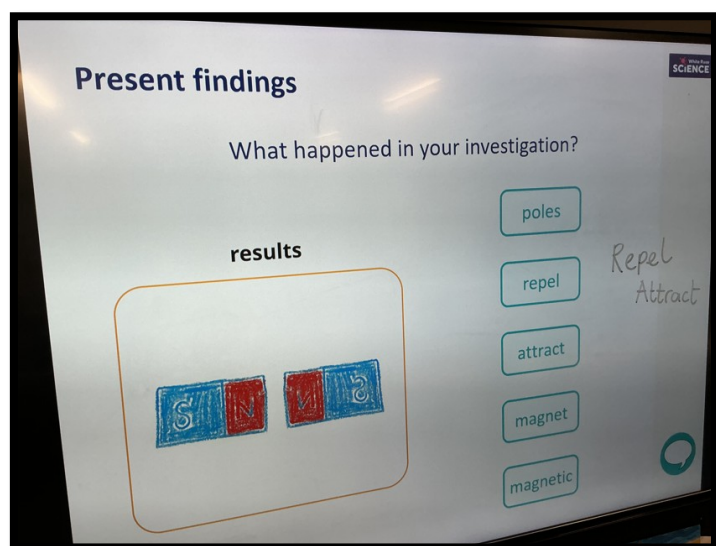


Catholic Social Teaching Principle	St Thérèse of Lisieux's Actions
Human Dignity	She chose to be kind to the sisters who were lonely or difficult and gave love to those in need.
Solidarity	She saw everyone as part of God's family and prayed for people all over the world, even people she didn't know.
Common Good	She treated every person with kindness and respect, showing them they were loved by God.
Preferential Option for the Poor	She loved nature and thanked God for flowers, sunshine and all creation.
Stewardship	She helped with little chores in the convent to make it a happy and peaceful place for everyone.



Year 4

We have continued finding out about forces this week. We learnt about the different magnetic poles and how they attract and repel each other.



Year 5

Year 5 have been exploring negative numbers through real-life contexts. They identified how negative numbers are represented on a number line and made connections to temperature, sea levels and floors in a building. We identified if a temperature was warmer or colder and identified positive and negative numbers. [#Mathematics](#)



Year 6

Year 6 have done a brilliant job writing their science fiction story this week and creating artwork and blurbs to make their own book. Da iawn!

