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Compassion

'The Lord is compassionate and merciful, slow to get angry and filled with unfailing love'

Psalm 103:8



Here children in Reception are showing compassion by learning about other faiths. They are making Diwali Diya lamps.



Here children in Reception are showing compassion by recycling milk bottles to make bird feeders.

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These Year 2 children are showing compassion by raising money for the Bible Society.



These children in Year 1 are sharing old and new toys with their parents as part of their topic. They are learning about how things have changed and listening to each other.



The whole school enjoyed a visit from Brian 'Grandad Wheels'. The children listened to his stories. He told them about his accident and answered their questions about what life is like using a wheelchair.

The children decided to raise money for two charities supporting (SIA – spinal injuries association and Back Up – transforming lives after spinal injuries) by taking part in a jumpathon.

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This is an image of the clay decorations made by the Year 2 children. They had a 'dress in blue' day too to raise money for the Jack & Jill School in Choma, Zambia. They raised a brilliant £60!



Phil Kaila came to school to teach children a little bit about African culture. They took part in a drumming and dancing workshop. This encouraged them to show respect and compassion for others and was the beginning of an exciting link with the Jack & Jill School in Choma, Zambia.

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Our children have exemplary behaviour. They work together and support each other. Here Year 2 children are working together to complete a Science investigation and completing some work in PSHRE lessons.



Reception children watched the caterpillars turn into butterflies. They then let them fly away. They showed compassion by taking care of the animals and then took them to a safe place to fly off.

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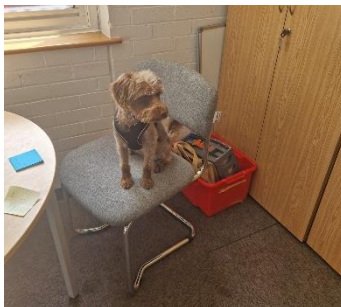
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The reception children learnt all about the creatures that live in their outdoor garden. They took care when observing them and ensured they put them back in their homes. The children then decided they wanted to plant flowers for the creatures so they would have a lovely home. We planted wild flower seeds and sunflowers.



The children had a visit from Dog's Trust where they learned about showing compassion by treating and caring for dogs. We also show compassion by taking care of our school dog Eddie every day.



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In November we all took part in a special day to raise money for Comic Relief and Children in Need. We raised a huge total of £1458.48! During the day, the children all ran for 5 minutes in a sponsored run. It was brilliant to see everyone taking part. We came to school wearing pyjamas, spots and comfy clothes. Earlier in the week we even had a surprise visitor in school – Pudsey Bear! Thank you to all parents and carers for your support with this.



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