

Academy Newsletter

Friday 26th January 2024
Spring Term
Issue: 4



Well, what a week we have had at the academy.

Thank you for all your understanding and support during the disruption on Thursday and Friday. We will be returning to normal on Monday. We all thought that remote learning was a thing of the past, and are grateful for those of you who were able to complete some or all of this work with your children.

On Monday, Year 4 made their visit to Sidcup library. They enjoyed carrying out a sorting activity and selecting some books for reading for pleasure. Please take a look at our pictures below.

On Monday, some of our choir will be performing at the O2 arena for the Young Voices concert. The children have been learning lots of songs (some of which are very tricky) in preparation for the event. Thank you to Mrs. Fox for preparing the children, I am sure they will have a great time.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.





Chelsea – Year 2
 Archie – Year 2
 Kyle – Year 4
 Alfie – Year 6
 Lars – Year 3

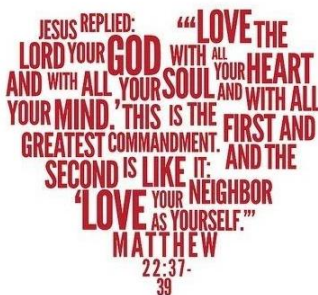


VIRTUES TO LIVE BY

Next week we will be looking at a new virtue which will be our focus until the end of the half term.

Our new virtue is **'Love of Neighbour'**

The children will be focusing on knowing that loving their neighbor means loving EVERYONE. They will also learn to show compassion when they are patient, understanding and loving to their neighbour. We would normally introduce this in our virtues assembly on a Thursday afternoon, so please talk to your children about how they can show this.



You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is: You shall love your neighbour as yourself." Matthew 22:37-39

Attendance

Due to the circumstances this week we will not be recording this week's attendance.



VIRTUES AWARD – VIRTUES TO LIVE BY



"Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labour. If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up."

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

EYFS	Sophia T
Year 1	Marko
Year 2	Adrian
Year 3	Makari
Year 4	Poppy G
Year 5	Thanos
Year 6	Violet

These children will be recognised in next week's virtues assembly.

Nursery Star of the Week



Immanuel



Henri Matisse

JANUARY'S INSPIRED BY ART CHALLENGE



Henri Matisse was a French artist known for his use of colour and shape. When he was young, he did lots of paintings but as he grew older he began to make striking collages, which are pictures made by using cut out bits of paper.

Henri Matisse's early paintings were very exciting and were full of lots of different colours. This style was very different to the work of most artists at the time. He enjoyed painting portraits and still life. Matisse likes to use simple shapes in his work and arrange them in playful and fun ways. He also likes to repeat similar shapes and fill the page with these shapes.

Your challenge is to create a piece of artwork that is inspired by Henri Matisse, you can use cut out coloured paper, paint or draw.



When recreating your own work inspired by Henri Matisse, think about these prompt words.

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| • Decorative | • Composition | • Expressive | • Simple |
| • Pattern | • Silhouette | • Abstract | • Bright colours |
| • Balance | • Fluidity | • Repetition | • Shape |

Below are the common colours that Henri Matisse uses in his artwork. Why not think about using these in your own artwork?



Hand in your creation to **Mrs Lee** by **Monday 29th January** for a chance to win an amazing arts and crafts prize!

Look out for the new monthly art competition in the newsletter at the beginning of every month.



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- Happy Parent 🥰



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Uniform on Club Days

If your child is attending an after school sports club, please remember to send them into school in their full PE kit for the day. We do not have the staff to change the children at the end of the day and by allowing children to come to school in their PE kit, this will ensure that that they get the maximum amount of time at the club.




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Term Dates
Academic Year 2024-2025



Autumn Term 2024	
Tuesday 27 th August	INSET (non-pupil day)
Wednesday 28 th August	INSET (non-pupil day)
Thursday 29 th August	First day of term (pupils return)
Friday 18 th October	Last day of half term
Monday 21 st - Friday 1 st November	Half Term Break
Monday 4 th November	First day of half term (pupils return)
Friday 20 th December	Last day of term (school closes at 2pm)*
Spring Term 2025	
Monday 6 th January	First day of term (pupils return)
Friday 14 th February	Last day of half term
Monday 17 th - Friday 21 st February	Half Term Break
Monday 24 th February	First day of half term (pupils return)
Friday 4 th April	Last day of term (school closes at 2pm)*
Summer Term 2025	
Tuesday 22 nd April	First day of term (pupils return)
Monday 5 th May	Bank Holiday – School Closed
Friday 23 rd May	Last day of half term
Monday 26 th - Friday 30 th May	Half Term Break
Monday 2 nd June	First day of half term (pupils return)
Friday 18 th July	Last day of term (school closes at 2pm)*
Monday 21 st July	INSET (non-pupil day)
Tuesday 22 nd July	INSET (non-pupil day)
Wednesday 23 rd July	INSET (non-pupil day)

INSET 1 – 27th August 2024

INSET 2 – 28th August 2024

INSET 3 – 21st July 2025

INSET 4 – 22nd July 2025

INSET 5 – 23rd July 2025

*No twilight/evening stars

Spring Term

Amendments are highlighted and Cancellations are in red.

Please note the lists of dates below are subject to change and we encourage you to look each week for any changes.

Monday 29 th January 2024	Year 3 Library Trip
Monday 29 th January 2024	Young Voices
Thursday 1 st February	Year 5 Visit to Tate Modern
Monday 5 th February 2024	Year 2 Library Trip
Monday 5 th February 2024	Parent Consultation (more information to follow)
Tuesday 6 th February 2024	Parent Consultation (more information to follow)
Thursday 8 th February 2024	Year 3 Church Visit
Thursday 8 th February 2024	Year 1 Visit to The London Eye
Friday 9 th February 2024	Half Term break begins – Stars 4:30pm finish
Monday 19 th February 2024	Back to School
Monday 19 th February 2024	Year 1 Library Visit (more information to follow)
Thursday 22 nd February 2024	Year 2 Bright Sparks Concert (more information to follow)
Monday 26 th February 2024	Year 1 Library Visit (more information to follow)
Thursday 29 th February 2024	Year 3 Visit to The British Museum
Wednesday 6 th March 2024	Catholic Children's Society Lent Appeal Assembly
Thursday 7 th March 2024	World Book Day – dress as a book character
Saturday 9 th March 2024	Year 3 and 4 Cross Country – Crystal Palace
Tuesday 12 th March 2024	Year 5 and 6 Girls Football Match Biggin Hill Primary
Wednesday 13 th March 2024	Holi Assembly - Nabhi
Friday 22 nd March 2024	Easter Mass – led by Year 3
Monday 25 th March 2024	Eggsibition entries in (more information to follow)
Wednesday 27 th March 2024	Easter Passion – Year 4 (more information to follow)
Thursday 28 th March 2024	School Closes at 2pm – No Twilight or Evening Stars

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March

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April

18th || 23rd



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