

# Acorn News...

Friday 26th November 2021



Any issues, concerns or things we need to know about, please speak to the Acorn team before or after school or email: [acorn@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk](mailto:acorn@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk)

## Dates for your diary.....

- Thursday 9th December—Trip to Post-box
- Tuesday 14th December—Nativity Performance, 10am
- Wednesday 15th December—Nativity Performance, 10am
- Thursday 16th December—Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch
- Friday 17th December—End of Term 2

## Home Learning

We have been looking at the sounds s a t p and thinking of words that start with these sounds. What can your child find around that start with these sounds? You could post a picture of Tapestry of the things they have found!

In Acorn class this week, we have recapped the sounds s a t p. We have been looking for things that start with these sounds, played some listening games and had a go at reading some words with these sounds in.

In Maths, we have been looking at basic addition using the sentences '1 and another 1 makes 2' and '1 and another 1 and another 1 makes 3'. We have also learnt the shapes, circle and triangle, we have talked about how many sides and how many corners they have and whether their sides are straight or curved.

In RE, we looked at baby pictures of ourselves and the adults in the class, it was really fun trying to guess who was who! We then looked at some pictures of Jesus as an adult and a baby to show that babies turn into children then adults.

In PE, we had the big climbing apparatus out. We had to use our upper body strength to pull ourselves up and ensure we were looking at where we were putting our feet. We also had the addition of a slide this week!

We were very lucky to have a drama workshop from 'Perform'. We met an alien and went to different planets in a space rocket. We learnt the names of some of the planets and different actions to help us remember them.

Well done to our star of the week, Spencer, for his brilliant creativity during his own learning time.

## Remember....

- PE days are Wednesday and Fridays—please ensure ear-rings are removed and long hair is tied back.
- Reading books are changed on a Tuesday and Friday—if your child has read at least twice.
- Library day is every Thursday—your child is able to change their book if they have returned the previous one.

## Post Box Trip

We will be walking to the Five Ways post box to post our letters to Santa on Thursday 9th December. We will need 4 parents helpers to enable this to happen, we will aim to leave school by 9am and be back to school by 10am (times approx.). If you are able to help please let us know. There are also some instructions above on what you need to provide for your child for this trip.

## Reading Books

Please ensure your child's reading book is in school EVERYDAY. We aim to hear all children read at least once a week and this is very difficult if books are not in school.