



## YEAR 2

**ENGLISH** - We have enjoyed writing alliterative number poems up to number 10. We have talked about nouns, adjectives, verbs and adverbs.

**MATHS** - We used different operations to make number sentences that made 10.

E.g.  $9 + 1 = 10$

$19 - 9 = 10$

$2 \times 5 = 10$

$20 \div 2 = 10$

Keep practising your 2, 5 and 10 times tables at home.

**COME AND SEE** - We have been thinking about the different parts of the Mass. We gather, we listen, we give thanks, we go out.



## YEAR 1

Thank you to all those parents who have already started working on their child's **targets** (inside the front cover of their reading diary). Your support is greatly appreciated!

In keeping with our anniversary celebrations, we have enjoyed using the number 10 as a theme in English and Maths this week.

**ENGLISH** - The children were poets and wrote their own version of '10 things found in a wizard's pocket' by Ian McMillan. They watched some magic tricks and then wrote a poem to describe '10 things found in a magician's pocket'.

**MATHS** - Year 1 have been using rulers to find things that are exactly 10cm long. They have also been using their knowledge of number bonds to 10 to solve missing number problems.

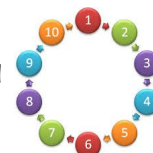
E.g.  $4 + \underline{\quad} = 10$

**SCIENCE** - We have started our new topic on Plants. Each class has created an experiment to explore what a bean needs to grow into a healthy plant. Perhaps you could plant some flowers/cress/vegetables at home. It would be lovely if they could bring in photos of them to share with the class as they grow.



## FOUNDATION STAGE

We have been celebrating our 10 year anniversary this week and having lots of fun exploring the number 10. We have written a poem about 10 superheroes, completed challenges about the number 10 and found 10 objects around our class. Have a look in the wow book to see your child's work.



**Next week we will be making pancakes on Tuesday.** We will be having sugar, syrup or lemon and sugar on them. Please let the school office know if you do not wish your child to taste a pancake.

We are still collecting egg boxes (size 6 eggs please) and we would also like to collect toilet roll tubes please.

### PA News - Christmas Fundraising

A huge thank you for supporting our Christmas Fundraising activities, we raised a fantastic £5, 699.95.

| St Helen's Infant & Junior School Christmas Activities 2018 - Total Profit |                   |
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| Hamper Raffle  | £ 678.52          |
| Christmas Card Fundraiser  | £ 1,572.93        |
| Children's Shopping Event  | £ 1,247.70        |
| Grown Up's Festive Pop Up Shop   | £ 344.38          |
| Fun Day  | £ 1,177.90        |
| <b>Total Christmas Activities Profit</b>                                   | <b>£ 5,021.43</b> |
| Barclays Matched Funding (Kamila Malecka - Gabriel class 7)                | £ 678.52          |
| <b>Total Christmas Activities Profit</b>                                   | <b>£ 5,699.95</b> |

### Dates for the dairy

- Quiz Night – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March – Cathedral Hall
  - Summer Fayre Inflatable Day – Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Junior School
- More information and details on how you can buy tickets for the events will be available shortly.



**KARATE STARS**  
Grace Miller - Class 8

### MULTI SKILLS STARS

Luca Tredgett  
Class 8



### GYMNASTICS STARS

Ronnie Rowlett - Class 9



### TAG RUGBY

Aimee Kerrins - Class 8  
Mary Jones - Class 9



### **BOOK LOOK - NEXT THURSDAY 7th MARCH 3.20pm to 3.30pm**

- If you would like to reserve your space, please contact the school office by lunchtime next Wednesday 6th March to sign up for the Book Look session. Thank you

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2019

|        |       |                   |                                     |           |                           |
|--------|-------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| 6 Mar  | Wed   | 2.55p.m           | Class 8 Assembly                    | Class 8   | Parents/Carers of Class 8 |
| 7 Mar  | Thurs | All Day           | World Book Day                      | All Years | Children only             |
| 7 Mar  | Thurs | 3.20pm – 3.30pm   | Book Look                           | All Years | All Years                 |
| 12 Mar | Tues  | 9.00am – 11.30am  | Class 4 – Walk to Brentwood Library | Class 4   | Parents/Carers of Class 4 |
| 13 Mar | Wed   | 2.55p.m           | Class 3 Assembly                    | Class 3   | Parents/Carers of Class 3 |
| 14 Mar | Thurs | 9.00am – 11.30am  | Class 5 – Walk to Brentwood Library | Class 5   | Parents/Carers of Class 5 |
| 15 Mar | Fri   | During School Day | School Photographer                 | All Years | ALL YEARS                 |
| 19 Mar | Tues  | 9.00am – 11.30am  | Class 6 – Walk to Brentwood Library | Class 6   | Parents/Carers of Class 6 |