



NEWSLETTER

BURSCOUGH BRIDGE METHODIST PRIMARY SCHOOL



GAINING NEW KNOWLEDGE

This week in **Class 1** we have been exploring insects as part of Insect Week, they also took part in a fun minibeast quiz.

We also took part in a hand hygiene session, learning when and how to wash our hands properly. We discovered that germs are too small to see, but with Glitter Bug gel and UV lights, we saw just how well (or not!) we were washing our hands!



GAINING NEW KNOWLEDGE

Class 2 have been researching the life of Mother Teresa. We learned about her incredible impact on the world through her selfless service and kindness. We discussed how her legacy continues to inspire others today.

Class 3 took part in an exciting interactive writing session via Zoom with First News and Pobble 365. The children produced some brilliant creative writing based on the themes of a magical island and a message in a bottle.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY EVERYDAY MATTERS

This Weeks Attendance

This weeks whole school attendance is 94.4%

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance	95%	80%	91.3%	100%	100%	92.5%	91.1%
Lates	2	0	5	3	0	6	2

CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE

Today, Riley, Mila and Lucy had the privilege of attending the very first Children's Christian Conference at Trinity St Michael's C of E Methodist School.

The theme of the day, Kind Hearts, Brave Voices, Big Change, focused on empowering children to move beyond traditional fundraising ideas and towards more thoughtful and courageous advocacy.

The day aimed to equip them with the inspiration and practical tools to make a lasting impact both within their schools and in their local communities.

We hope to build on their ideas next academic year.

CHRISTIAN VALUE

This half term our Christian Value is **Hope**

have hope; I will praise You
more and more."

— PSALM 71:14

Collective Worship

This week in worship, we were joined by Rev. Tindsley, who led us in thinking about preparing for change. We reflected on the story of Jesus being baptised by John the Baptist, a moment that marked the beginning of something new and significant in Jesus' life. Rev. Tindsley encouraged us to consider how we prepare for changes in our own lives, whether big or small.



CHRISTIAN VALUE, FOOTBALL AND STAR AWARDS



GAINING READING SUPER POWERS

This week, Years 3 and 4 are thoroughly enjoying their class novel, *Charlotte's Web*. Charlotte has just left her final message in the web but we don't yet know why it's her last yet but we do know she's busy working on something very special, we're eager to find out what it is?

E-Safety Point of the Week

YouTube Kids offers more age-appropriate content and better parental controls. It's a safer way for younger children to watch videos without the risks found on regular YouTube.

HEADTEACHER MESSAGE

We would like to make parents aware that a planning application has been submitted for development on the church site directly in front of our school.

This proposed development may have an impact on our local environment, including potential changes to traffic flow, parking availability, site access and the overall safety and visibility around the school. We feel it is important that our school community is informed and has the opportunity to respond.

If you have any concerns or comments about how this may affect the school or the surrounding area, we encourage you to view the application www.westlancs.gov.uk/planning and submit your feedback.

The deadline for submitting comments is 17th July 2025 and the planning application reference is 2025/0548/FUL.

Your views could make a difference and we thank you for taking the time to support our school and community.

MESSAGES FROM THE OFFICE

Raffle tickets are now available to purchase from the School Office with cash or online via School Money. Tickets will be issued daily as payments are received.

Tickets cost £1 and you can purchase multiple tickets by simply amending the payment amount within School Money.

We've got some fabulous prizes up for grabs, so don't miss out! The draw will take place during our Strawberry Tea Party on Friday 11th July. We hope to see you there!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 2nd July – School Disco

Thursday 3rd July – Burscough Priory Transition Day

Friday 4th July – Burscough Priory Transition Day

Wednesday 9th July – Final Little Learners session

Friday 11th July – Strawberry Tea Party
2pm – 4.30pm

Friday 11th July – Reports Out

Our School Values

Love **Respect** *Hope* Forgiveness Perseverance