

Dear Parents and Carers,

A trip to France – a first for our School and the Trust! Our Year 5 pupils at Tilstock had a wonderful trip to France with Mrs Griffiths last week. They boarded the ferry, travelled across the channel to drive to a beautiful French Chateaux. They went to the beach, visited a caramel factory, shopped in a hypermarket and tasted some local cuisine – including snails and mussels! There was enjoyment at the disco night and a fantastic crepe tasting evening. What an experience! They stepped out of their comfort zone, built resilience, and worked collaboratively with children from our Trust primary schools, building new friendships and learning new things. Our children have gone above and beyond our expectations and we could not be prouder of all that they have achieved. A big thankyou to Mrs Griffiths for supporting our children. Take a look at the photos below!

Our wonderful worship leaders led worship this week. They shared the story 'Noah's Ark' with the whole school and focused on how Noah showed hope in troubling times. Each week the leaders set a brilliant example to the whole school. We are all very proud of how clearly and confidently they spoke.

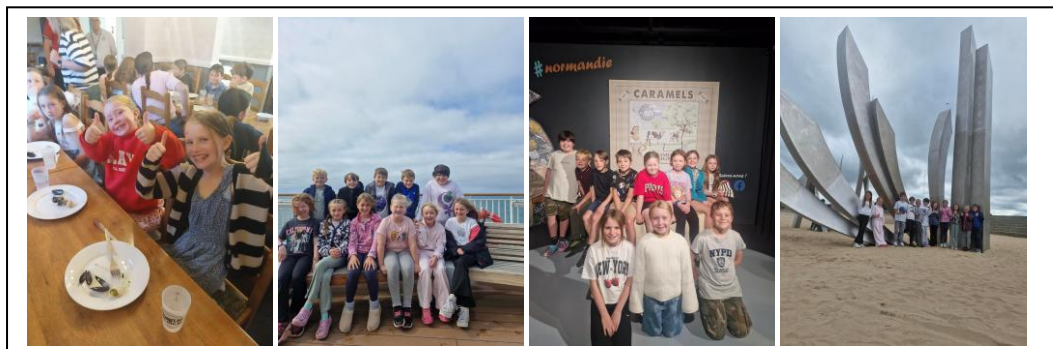
A reminder that Friday 26th September is Trust Collaboration Day, so no children in school.

Mrs Rowena Kaminski
Headteacher

Take care,



REMINDERS & NOTICES



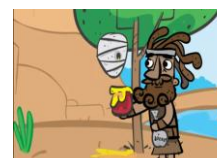
WORSHIP



This term, in worship, we are focusing on the Christian value of **Hope.**

What this means to us:-

- High expectations in everything we do
- Having resilience
- Having positive attitudes
- Working together to achieve our goals
- Understanding each child's hopes and dreams for the future.
- Believing that the world can be better and being prepared to do something – courageous advocacy



This week in worship we learnt about [John the Baptist](#). We also sang the songs [Lord of all hopefulness](#), [Colours of the day](#) and [Give me oil in my lamp](#).

To watch the story and sing along with this term's hymns, click the blue links above.



UPCOMING EVENTS

[Click here](#) to view our upcoming events.

Events at a glance:

Friday 26th September:- Trust Collaboration Day (no children in school)
Wednesday 8th October:- Harvest Festival in Church 9:00am (parents welcome)
Monday 20th October- Monday 3rd November:- Half term holidays
Monday 3rd November:- PD day:- (no children in school).
Tuesday 18th November:- Parents Evening
Monday 22nd Dec- Friday 2nd January – Christmas holidays

**Happy Birthday to Rory,
Abel and Samuel**

**who celebrate their
birthdays this week. We
hope you have a lovely
time celebrating!**



NEWS



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