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GOLDEN BOOK AWARDS

Year 6 - Nicole
Taylur

ASK ME WHAT I DID POSTCARDS

Nursery - Lo
Reception - Briony
Year 1 - Ishak
Year 2 - Coco
Year 3 - Neriah
Year 4 - Marius
Year 5 - Hayden
Year 6 - Henry

CHRISTIAN VALUE— FORGIVENESS

Then Peter came to him and asked, "Lord, how often should I forgive someone who sins against me? Seven times?" "No, not seven times," Jesus replied, "but seventy times seven!"
Matthew 18:21-22



Well done to everyone who took part in Big Garden Birdwatch last week!

At school, Nursery, Reception, Year 1&2 and Year 5 were

spotting the birds around school grounds on Friday. Between all of us we saw, house sparrows, wood pigeons, some crows, a robin and one dunnock. As a fox was also sighted nearby, many birds flew away.

Thank you for sending in results from your homes too. Odessa (Y2) spotted a magpie, two wood pigeons and a red robin. Coco (Y2) counted sightings of nine chaffinches, four house sparrows, six woodpigeons, a seagull and a robin.

All results have been sent in to RSPB.



Why birds are so important?

Birds are a critical part of our ecological system. **We need the birds** to eat insects, move seeds and pollen around, transfer nutrients from sea to land and to clean up.



Here are some fun bird facts:

- **Birds** have feathers, wings, lay eggs and are warm blooded.
- There are around 10000 different species of **birds** worldwide.
- The Ostrich is the largest **bird** in the world.
- Scientists believe that **birds** evolved from theropod dinosaurs.
- **Birds** have hollow bones which help them fly

British Values

1st – 7th February 2021

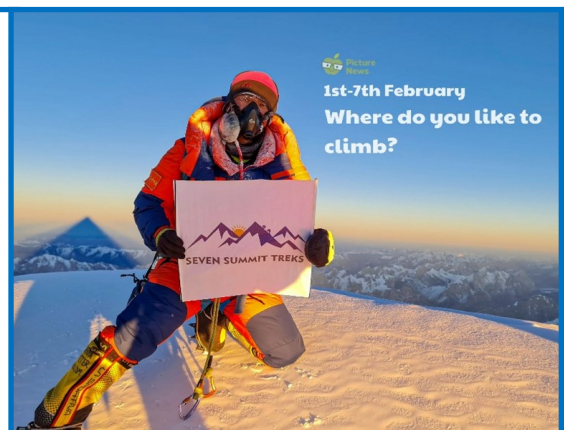
Individual Liberty

The group of 10 people who reached the top of the K2 mountain chose to take on that big challenge and achieved their goal. If we want to take on a challenge, we can choose to do so and we can all choose the challenge that is right for us.



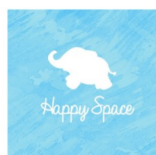
UN Rights of a Child

Children can face many mountains, e.g. feeling different because of their language, religion, whether they are a boy or girl, rich or poor. No child should be treated unfairly for any reason.



1st-7th February
Where do you like to climb?

We hope you have had a happy Mental Health Week and that children at home and school have enjoyed the various activities. You may enjoy this free resource from a mental health wellbeing charity for families.



<https://nowandbeyond.org.uk/happy-space>

Happy Space is a mental wellbeing charity that provides students with a wellbeing toolkit in order to help protect the minds of a future generation.

Now and Beyond are thrilled to have collaborated with Happy Space to bring every child between the ages of 7-12 across the UK, a **free** downloadable wellbeing guidebook filled with tips, tools and activities to support children's mental health. There are so many fun videos and links that students can keep themselves busy with during lockdown. There's even a dedicated section for parents on how they can look after themselves during these unsettling times.

Inclusion News

Afternoon Tea with the Inclusion Team

We would like to host an afternoon tea for parents on the **26th February at 2pm**. This will be an opportunity for parents of children with additional needs to catch up with each other and develop support networks. We will also have opportunity to discuss strategies to support mental health for children and in particular a new program that we will be introducing across the school called the Zones of Regulation. Please keep the date and time free.



In the meantime if you would like to talk **individually** with Kerri, our family support worker, or myself, Mrs Wharton for a support chat then please ring the school office and arrange an appointment.



COMMUNITY NEWS

The public library service can support families learning from home in multiple ways.

Our [Select and Collect](#) service is available to borrow physical books and we also have a wide range of [eBooks and eAudiobooks](#) available to download. You do not need to be a library member, but you can [join the library](#) quickly and easily online. We have a wide selection of video events for children on our [Barnet Libraries for Children YouTube playlist](#). These range from Rhyme and Story sessions to crafts and coding activities using Micro:bits. Last week we launched our [Lego Club](#) to challenge children to participate in construction activities and to celebrate their ideas and creativity online.

This week we are delighted to announce a new **Writing Competition for children and teenagers in association with Michael Rosen, linked to his book 'The Missing'**. 'The Missing' is the true story of Michael's search for his relatives who 'went missing' during the Second World War. The story he uncovered was one of terrible persecution. The book is a powerful tool for talking to children & teenagers about the Holocaust.

Children need to write a story about a family relative or ancestor that they have discovered. To find out about a relative, children can use family history website [Ancestry](#) free with their library card or talk to their family to uncover stories from the past. All stories must be 500 words or less.

The competition is open to 5 to 16 year olds.

[Competition Details](#)