

Year 4's

Journey of Faith



Prayer and Liturgy

This half term, Year 4 had the opportunity to deliver an assembly to the whole school! Our assembly looked at advent, teaching the school about the meaning of advent and the origins of some of the traditions we still have today. We used our lessons about advent to help us deliver our assembly.

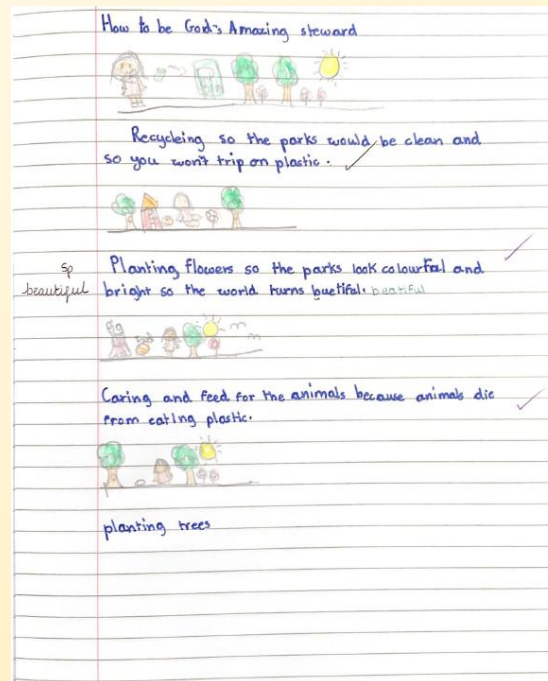


We were very fortunate to have a wonderful retreat day, led by the fabulous Dan and Emily, this half term. The class got to think about what makes them **shine bright**, and how they can use their talents to help others shine too! We created some fantastic paper stars which contained lots of ways in which Year 4 shine.

Learning and Growing as the People of God – U Advent

Our focus this half term in RE was Advent. The class looked at the meaning of Advent and discussed ways in which we can prepare for the coming of the Messiah. The class also discussed and created a list of qualities that a Messiah should have.

The class also created our own Advent wreath, with the leaves around the base being made from handprints, with answers to the question “what does Advent mean to us” on them, creating a lovely piece of work for our prayer space.



Catholic Social Teaching

Our Catholic Social Teaching module this half term was **Dignity of the Human Person**. We also had **Our Common Home** week, in which the class created posters with advice on how to best be a steward of God's creation.

Catholic Life of Our Lady & St Rose

Year 4 have shown their creativity this half term, showing how they **shine** and sharing their talents in Art, DT and Music!

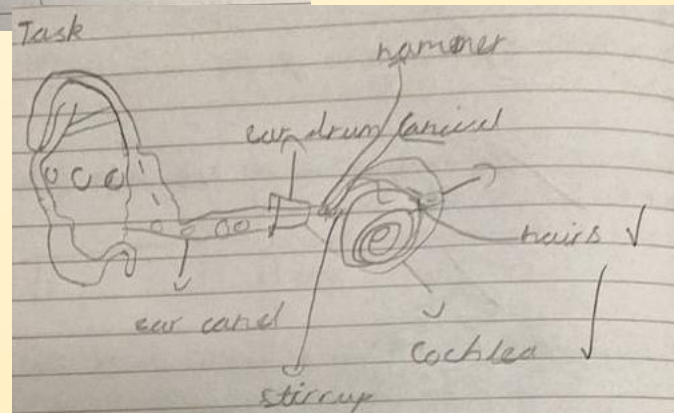
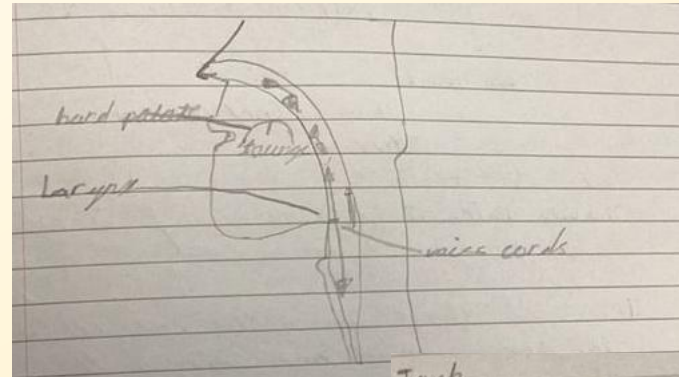
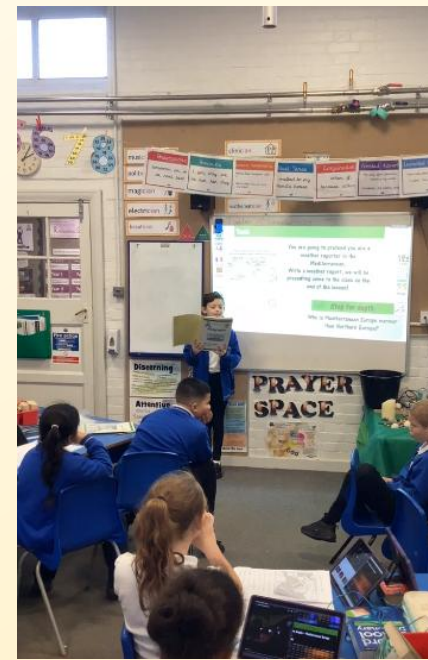
In Art we have created Christmas cards, utilising background, middle ground and foreground images to create depth. We then used our creativity to build our own grotto structures in DT, also working as a team to help others when the building got tricky!

We had the opportunity to display our musical talents just as God wants us to and shine in front of parents at the recent Sing, Sign and Strum concert, with the help of Mr Reed! Year 4 students played a number of songs on their ukulele's, and did a fabulous job.



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In our Geography lessons we have looked at the south of Europe, and we have learnt about climate, terrain and cultures of many different nations. We have had the chance to explore the wonderful world that God has created through the use of VR, getting to look around beautiful mountaintops and dangerous volcanoes!



In Science we looked at sound and how the human ear works! The class looked at what makes an ear work, and how sound is transmitted from one place to another, and had the opportunity to do experiments, measuring how sound changes over different distances.

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This half term we again had the opportunity to show our **generosity** and **kindness** by visiting Reception and reading with them. We had a wonderful time sharing our love for reading!



We were also very lucky to have a whole day with Dan and Emily! We sang songs, created wonderful pieces of art, and got to really explore how we can shine as well as how we can help others to shine.