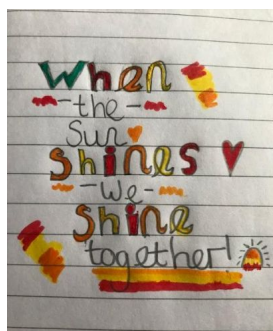


Freeman's Endowed Church of England Junior Academy Newsletter

'Let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.' 1 John 3:18

How are you doing?

This week we have been focussing on Mental Health Awareness Week both for those home schooling and accessing our provision. We have really enjoyed a variety of different activities to think about our mental health and it has been good to focus on this during such a turbulent time. A local art company Somethinglessboring had kindly created a short art lesson for us; looking at a range of different emotions and how we can match colours to emotions to help demonstrate our thoughts and feelings. Thank you to all pupils both at school and home that also supported our 'Wear it Yellow' day on Wednesday.



Thank you to everyone who has been thinking about what's been going well for themselves at home and at school. Here are a few examples of what has been going well in year 5!

Year 5:

On the walks I have done Geocaching, as you can see in the pink top. I have also been doing Wellingborough Rocks.



Cat and dog is doing well!



When we went on a walk to Sywell, I walked 7,000 steps!

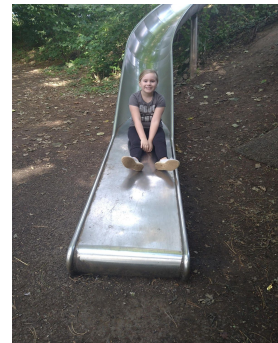
I was proud of myself!

Me and my sister saw this very pretty waterfall!

'I am really happy that I get to spend more time at school and at home and I'm really proud of Mrs B and Miss Bayes for looking after me.'

'I am grateful for fun and gaming systems.'

'I love going on walks and having fun with my family!'



Year 4:

Have worked hard all week and have engaged really well with our well being activities.

We have enjoyed producing Science Explanations and Tifani has produced an excellent piece of writing to explain the digestive system. Please have a read of [Tifani's Text](#) -we are very proud of you all (click on the link!).



Our Values Champions this week are...

Year 3:	Dahl Class:	Shiv	Donaldson Class:	Archie
Year 4:	Kerr Class:	Alyssa	Zephaniah Class:	Tifani
Year 5:	Rowling Class:	Kamila	Horowitz Class:	Zoe
Year 6:	Pulman Class:	Savanna	Morpurgo Class:	Sennen

Well done to all of our Values Champions!



Stars of the Week: ...

Year 3:	Dahl Class:	Scarlett	Donaldson Class:	Lacey
Year 4:	Kerr Class:	Finley	Zephaniah Class:	Angel
Year 5:	Rowling Class:	Courtney	Horowitz Class:	Harry
Year 6:	Pulman Class:	Harry	Morpurgo Class:	Sophie

Well done to all of Stars of the Week for showing outstanding behavior and excellent effort in their work.



Dojo Champions of the Week



Our Class of the Week with the highest number of Dojo points is... **Horowitz** with 910 Dojo points!

Our House of the Week with the highest number of Dojo points: **Saints!**

Information for Parents

At Freeman's, we work hard to make children aware of how to stay safe when they are working and playing online. We know that this is also an important issue for parents.

We have signed up to the National Online Safety (NOS) website. Important information from the NOS will be uploaded onto our website which will provide support and guidance for parents on how to keep their children safe online.



The link below will take you to our website where you can find useful information for parents on how to keep your children safe online.

<https://www.freemansendowed.org/index.php/keeping-safe/online-parental-guides>

Free School Meals and Pupil Premium Funding

The Government Voucher Scheme is now up and running again. All children entitled to free school meals should have received an email from Edenred, the voucher provider, with your 16 digit eCode.

If you have not received this please check your junk/spam mail and contact Mrs McIvor on

admin@freemansendowed.org who will be able to help.

Does my child qualify for free school meals?

If you are in receipt of any of the following, your child may be eligible for free school meals.

- Income Support
- Income based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, with no element of Working Tax Credit, and a household income below £16,190 (as assessed by HM Revenue and Customs)
- Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit
- Universal Credit - income dependant

To apply for Free School Meals

[https://northamptonshire-self.achieveservice.com/service/Apply for free school meals](https://northamptonshire-self.achieveservice.com/service/Apply%20for%20free%20school%20meals)

Children who qualify for Free School Meals will also be entitled to Pupil Premium Funding which can be used to enhance your child's educational provision.

Songwriting Project

We'd like to let you know that the Northamptonshire Cultural Education Partnership, together with South Northants Borough Council and NMPAT, are running a special and very exciting songwriting project over the half-term holiday. The project is FREE and available to ANY young person aged 7 to 12 living in Northamptonshire.

The sessions will take place every morning, online on Zoom, from Monday 15th February through to Friday 19th February. Each session will last an hour.

The project is being led by singer and songwriter, Sophie Garner, and part of her Creative Songwriting Journal initiative. (Find out more about the journal here: The Creative Songwriting Journal (NB: All participants get a free copy of the journal)... and about Sophie's work and activities HERE.) For the week, Sophie will be joined by some of NMPAT's very own musicians. Pupils would need to register their interest at

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ncep-songwriting-project-with-sophie-garner-tickets-137927991335>

Places are limited so it is important to book up early.



RSPB BIG GARDEN BIRDWATCH: Don't forget to send any photographs from your Big Garden Birdwatch to Mrs Hull at head@freemansendowed.org