

History is brought to life in Years 3 and 4



History is a very popular subject with many of our children so it was a real treat when Heritage Learning from Lancashire County Council visited both Mrs Dewhurst's and Miss White's classes. Class 3 got to look at some prehistoric artefacts and had lots of fun guessing what they were used for and what they were made from. They were particularly interested to find out that prehistoric



people were often buried with their favourite possessions!
Class 4 are studying Anglo-Saxons, learning about their way of life - the houses they lived in and the games they played.



Girls' Cricket

I think it was the very first day we had a glimpse of the sun that our cricket season started. As Longridge Cricket Club are currently trying to recruit more girls to play the sport, we started with some sessions after school for KS2 girls. There was a great turn out and everyone got some fantastic tuition and skills practice before trying a game.

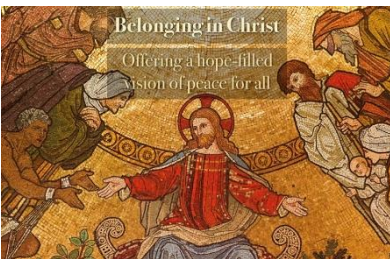


Our Reception Children and Parents Together



It was wonderful to see our Reception children working alongside their parents again recently. Mrs Carr held the latest of her 'Come and Learn' sessions where the children welcome a parent into the Reception classroom. As usual, there was lots going on. Thank you to Class 5 who also supported their buddies on this afternoon.

Our Lenten Worship Continues



This Lent we started our search for peace in Jesus Christ by thinking about how we can build bridges to others, instead of putting up barriers. Week by week our journey has continued and we went on to consider the importance of belonging. The story of Zacchaeus taught us that, not only did the corrupt tax collector turn his life around and make amends, Jesus brought him back to being accepted and belonging in the community.

Following this we thought about the wide diversity of



people and how we can ensure that all are welcome in our school and our local community. Finally, we considered the importance of listening to God. In a noisy world, where we are used to moving and talking most of the time, we usually say our prayers aloud too. For a change we tried sitting quietly in God's presence and listening for Him.

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