# **Autumn Term 2023**

# **Our Amazing Year 5!**



Well what a great start to the new school year! It has been an exciting term!

The children took part in many experiences which enriched their learning. These experiences included visiting the library, becoming Dementia Friends, visiting the Memory Café, completing an HSBC Workshop on understanding the difference between debit and credit cards and watching the Image Theatre perform "Wind in the Willows." The children also thoroughly enjoyed learning Pop Lacrosse for the first time.

Here are a few other highlights that took place this term.

### **Bridge Workshop**

The Year 5 Bridge Workshop was led by Mrs Callaghan. The pupils learnt about the role of a civil engineer and other roles needed to complete a building project. They loved the challenge of designing a bridge in groups. It had to span a gap of at least 30cm and have a clearance of at least 10cm beneath it. It also needed a deck that would allow a car or two toy cars to pass each other.











## **Visiting Bishop Challoner School.**

The children took part in an RE Retreat Day held at Bishop Challoner School. The children enjoyed celebrating Mass with Father Francis and reflecting on the meaning of Advent.





#### **Houses of Parliament**

One of our highlights was visiting the Houses of Parliament. I know that this will be a memory that the children will never forget. We were fortunate to meet our local MP, Gareth Bacon.







### **Cooking**

The pupils prepared coleslaw in their cooking lesson. I hope you enjoyed it. MasterChef here we come!





We look forward to the adventures for next term.

Thank you for all your continued support.

Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mrs Wilson