

# Newsletter



## Reminders

Don't forget that all children are having their photo taken on Monday, individually and in family groups.

If you want to be a part of The Friends' 100 club this year, please [sign up here](#).

The Friends are running a quiz on 26<sup>th</sup> November. Grab some quiz mates and form a team, then return your application form to school or contact [The Friends](#).

Term ends at 3.15pm on Thursday of this week. Term dates for 2022/23 are now available on our [school website](#).



## News from Mr Edwards-Grundy

We are beginning to draw to the end of our reflections on Responsibility, which is our Value of the Month.

I love this image, which is taken from Charlie Mackesy's book 'The boy, the mole, the fox and the horse'. It is a reminder to me that in all things I have a choice.

As we have explored Responsibility with your children, we have discussed with them the things that they have responsibility for, how the decisions they make can impact on others and on their world.

For all of us, we can choose how to react. We can choose to take action, or not; to respond with kindness or aggression; to show courage or give up. We can choose to take responsibility for our choices and actions, or to pass the buck or turn away.

This month, as staff and children, we have been resolving afresh to take responsibility for the things that are down to us and to take action where we can to make a difference.

As we learned from the parable of the talents, told by Jesus, we are all given different levels of responsibility, but we are each expected to make a difference with what we have. It is not how much we have, or how much responsibility we have been given that matters, it is how we use it.

My prayer is that each of us who is part of our school community will use what we have been given responsibly and for the good of others.

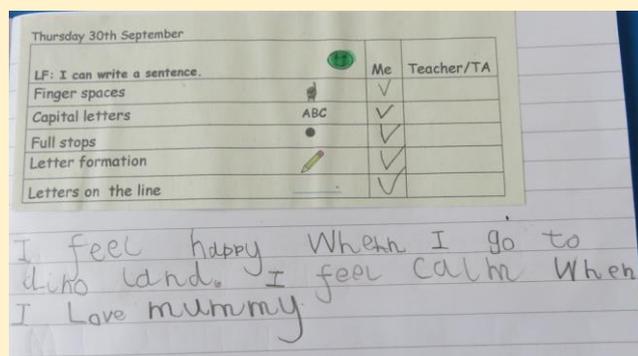
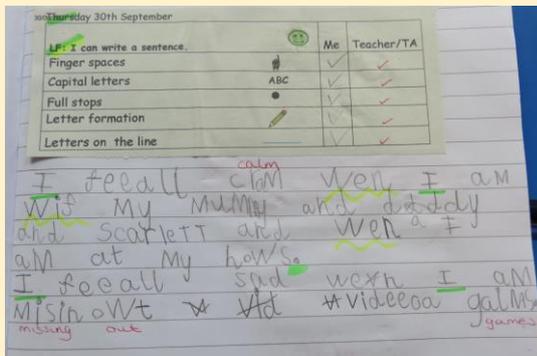


## News from around the school

A fantastic new display has been put up in Year 1 which led us to explore what the children in Year 1 have been learning this week.



The children have been doing some writing to explore their feelings.



In RE the children have also been thinking about what makes them special. We love the piece of writing by Amelie. She is quite right; she is always smiling and that makes her very special.

