



Newsletter: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021  
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## Prayer and Reflection in the Woodlands Week

Last week all the classes took part in the thanksgiving prayer sessions in the Woodlands. The children had the opportunity to admire nature and thanked God for the beauty of his creation.



It was an amazing experience for all the children. They could feel the presence of God in everything around them.



"Thank you God for the grass we are sitting on and all the birds that sing to us in the morning," said Sofia (Year 2) at the same moment all the birds in the trees started singing.



**Lord God, all power and strength belongs to You**

**for You have created the heavens and the earth and all that is in them.**

**May we give our love to You each day**

**And care for the world that You have given us.**

**Amen**



## Year 3 Religious Education



In Year 3, the children have been learning about the importance of reflecting on the choices they have made and that, sometimes, it is important to say sorry and ask for forgiveness for those choices. The children understand that when forgiveness is given, reconciliation occurs and relationships are strengthened. To demonstrate their understanding of this important topic, Year 3 created and performed some wonderful Liturgical dances.

Please see the link below for this week's *Wednesday Word*;

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/faith?pid=MTA101634&v=32.13>



### Year 4 Paper Garden



As part of their Science topic on Plants, Year Four visited the Paper Garden at Printworks. They listened to wonderful stories about 'Creation' and how important it is to look after the gifts God has given us. Children explored the garden in groups, tasting from the plants that were growing there and helping to grow the compost section by trimming dead leaves. The class completed a mystery activity using clues to find fungi in the trail area and had a fantastic time working with clay to create tiles which are going to be part of a special garden in Surrey Quays new shopping Development!



### Year 3 Deptford Creek

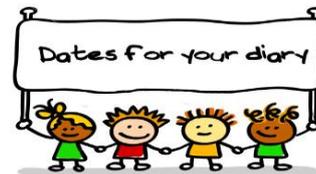


Our friends from Creekside Discovery Centre spent an afternoon with Year 3 learning about the different features of a river, the different artefacts that have been found in Deptford Creek and the different industries that were historically based along the Creek. What an amazing afternoon!

### Year 2 Paper Garden



Year 2 had a great time at the Paper Garden. They explored the garden to look for recycled items. The children had the opportunity to get some hands-on gardening experience. They especially enjoyed using gardening tools to trim back the weeds and to plant peas in pots they had made themselves out of old newspaper.



- Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 2 and Year 3 Sports lesson at Bacon's College
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July** – Year 5 Sailing
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 6 Step up Scholars
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 5 Sailing
- Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 1 Paper Garden
- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 6 Paper Garden
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 5 Paper Garden
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – Festival of Sport Day
- Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July** – Last day of term 2pm finish