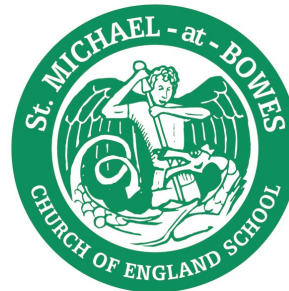




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ANTI-BULLYING WEEK



The theme for this year's Anti-bullying week was **'United Against Bullying'**. During the week the children found out about different aspects of bullying and had discussions on how to help themselves and others to eradicate Bullying.

On Monday many children came to school wearing odd socks.
With your help we managed to raise £363.75.
Thank you for your ongoing support.

Newsletter Date:
Friday 20th

Autumn Term
Issue 10

Dates for your diary:

- **Year 5 swimming:**
This will not take place until at least January 2021
- **FOTSA Family Quiz— Saturday 28th November 5.00 p.m. –6.00 p.m.** (See poster)
- **SMAB Christmas Day: Tuesday 15th December** (More info. to follow)
- **SMAB Christmas raffle—Thursday 17th December** (More information coming next week about our Christmas arrangements)
- **End of term: Friday 18th December 1.00 p.m.**

LET'S STAY COVID FREE AT SMAB



Unfortunately we have now had a confirmed case of Covid-19 in the school. It has required us to close one bubble and send pupils and staff home to isolate. Our aim now is to reach the end of the term without closing any more bubbles. Staff are continuing to follow all protocols in and around school as well as keeping things as normal as possible for the children. Both children and staff are amazing, as always, and are working really well in our 'new normal'.

It is **REALLY** important that you make sure you are social distancing from other families when dropping off and picking up children; please wear a face covering over your mouth **AND** nose, and do NOT arrange play dates and sleepovers with other families, as transmission most often happens in homes between families.

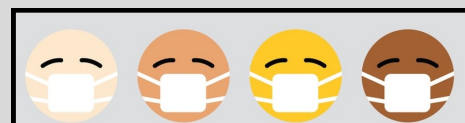
I'm sure all of you would prefer not to have your child at home when they are settled at school and you need to work.

With your help we can keep all of our school community safe and well. Thank you for your support

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CLASS	Punctuality	Attendance %
3S	3	94
3T	8	95
3M	5	98
4I	5	92
4C	1	94
4H	5	99.64
5A	3	100
5E	2	96
5L	0	99.26
6B	5	100
6O	4	98
6W	9	99.3

PUNCTUALITY AND ATTENDANCE TABLE

Which class will win next week?

As a school we aim for at least **96%** attendance. Due to covid the latest figures state that nationally attendance is 93% for primary schools. At present SMAB is **97.55%**, which is better than national and slightly better than last week.

We still need to ensure all pupils attend school unless they are showing covid symptoms or any other illness.

A massive WELL DONE! to **5L** who won the punctuality trophy yet again with 0 lates. Both 5A and 6B had 100% attendance last week but **5A** received the trophy as their punctuality was better than 6B. Well done! to both classes.

HOME LEARNING

My school logo



I decided to re-draw my school logo because I love my school and it is one of my communities. The St Michael At Bowes school logo contains an angel beating the devil, also known as the evil spirits. The logo is important for me and my school community because St. Michael protects the body of Moses, and deciding if a person needs to go to hell or Holy Heaven. St. Michael is one of the four Archangels in the old testament and one of the seven archangels in the holy bible. Some people have the theory of him helping God with the creation of planet earth. Michael is the king of the angels.

Boyko (6W) only came to England in June 2020. He is learning the language very quickly.

He re-designed the St Michael at Bowes logo as part of one of his home learning tasks. He also wrote what the symbol represents and why it is important to him.

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SMAB YOUTUBE CHANNEL

SMAB youtube channel was launched a while back. If you haven't had a chance to visit yet please do so. If you log in to SMAB website and scroll to the bottom you will see the image displayed on the righthand side. Just click the button.



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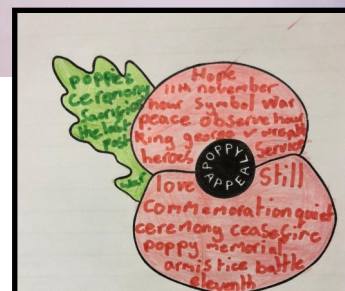
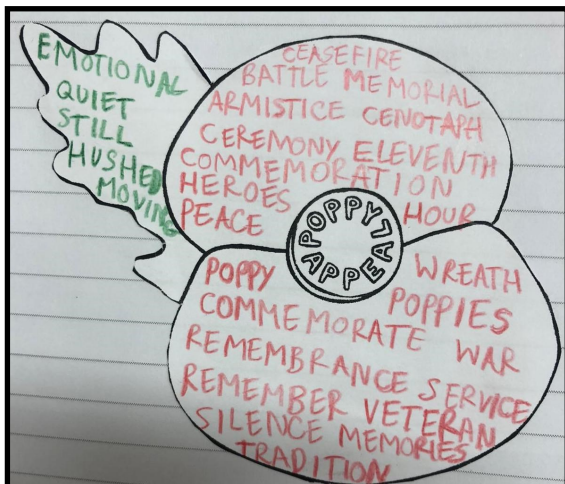
YEAR 4:

Used the MacBooks to create suspense music on GarageBand in order to accompany their story writing in English. They created some haunting soundtracks that could definitely be used alongside their versions of Dracula that they have been writing!

YEAR 6:

'This week in RE we have been studying the importance of remembrance. For the main task, children were asked to produce either a poem or a word collage based on the poppy- a symbol of hope, peace and sacrifice. The children were incredibly reflective and respectful throughout the lesson. Elia's poem, in particular, really moved us at the end'.

The soldiers who sacrificed themselves
may sleep for eternity
but in the Glanders field
They live peacefully
The poppies resemble blood
but they are people to remember
the 11th of November was when it ended
but that's when their lives ended...
At 1945 We celebrated the tradition
but the silence must go on
We all stay quiet and reflective
but the soldiers stay laying next
to their grave





FAMILY QUIZ NIGHT

SATURDAY 28TH NOVEMBER

5PM - 6PM

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