

'The Future we Create Everyday'

St Michael's Weekly Newsletter

Friday 7th January 2022



ST MICHAEL'S
CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

HOME LEARNING

This week to support our learning in school we would like the children to get creative and draw, paint, collage a picture of their family.

Their picture can include the people who live in their home with them or any further extended family if they wish. We want them to think about just how many people they have in their lives that are there to love and help them.

We cannot wait to see your creations!



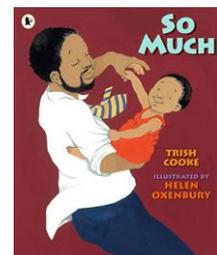
Dear Parents & Carers

Welcome back to the start of a new term. We hope you have had a wonderful, restful Christmas break.

The children have all returned to school full of excitement and energy and ready for a new term of learning.

This half term we will be thinking about 'People who help us'. This week we have been thinking about the people who help us when we are at home. The children made collages/pictures of someone who helps them and shared ideas about the ways they are helped when they are at home. Next week we will be thinking about the people who help us when we are at school including Miss Mueller our school chef and Mr Power our caretaker. We will also learn a little more about our wider school trust and meet 'virtually' with the Robins class at Dartington Academy.

This week we have shared the wonderful story 'So Much' by Trish Cooke. A beautiful, heart-warming story, which is a celebration of family life. This rhythmic, cumulative story captures the joy of being a baby in a large extended family - a baby who knows that he is absolutely, utterly adored.



Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Edwards and Mrs Grant

Our Vision & Values

The way we care and help each other in our family demonstrates **love** just as much as a hug and a kiss and we are grateful that we have family that show us **love** every day (just like in the story 'So Much')

'Love is patient, love is kind'

Corinthians 13.4

Star of the Week



This week we celebrate
Thomas

We have all been very happy to see Thomas return to school this week full of energy and smiles. Thomas has managed to brighten up every ones rainy, cold January!

Important



This week we have welcomed Mrs Bidmead to the team, as an experienced early years teacher we are excited to have her working with us. We also have Miss Mathews as a student teacher for the Spring Term. Both have had a fantastic week getting to know the children and the children have certainly loved getting to know them!

Together we empower excellence

