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Our school vision is: LIFE in all its fullness - now and in the future.
John 10.10 Jesus said, "I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full".

7th March 2025

Dear Parents,

We have had a very busy week at school this week. Thank you to the parents, who came to the morning tea on Monday, your thoughts, ideas and feedback was appreciated. The children really enjoyed making pancakes and competing in the pancake race on Tuesday. We had our Ash Wednesday service on Wednesday.



French Café – Classes 3 and 4

Yesterday afternoon, Class 3 and 4 were transported to La Café Chicoree, where they took on the roles of customer and server, practising their French. They enjoyed speaking French and eating pain au chocolat and gateau! The children in Class 3 gave a Trip Advisor 10/10 rating!

It was a good chance to practise French. If you go on holiday to France, you might be able to talk better.

It was exciting for us to speak French in a 'real-life' situation.

It was an effective way of learning French with a good reward... chocolate cake!

I was more confident speaking French.



Road Closure

There are signs that the Street will be closed next week from Tuesday 11th until Thursday 13th, from just past the Village Hall to the Cross Keys. However, we believe that it will only be closed for one day, but we don't know which one! For those families travelling from the Black Notley direction, you can park in the Village Hall carpark and walk up to school.

Collective Worship

Our wondering question for next week is, 'I wonder how to deal with temptation?' We will be continuing to learn about Jesus going into the desert from Matthew 4:1-11 and what

strategies we can do to help deal with temptation. We will also talk about International Women's day; this year's theme is Accelerate Action.

Congratulations to the children who received certificates in Celebration Collective Worship this week



Class One:

Stanley - for fantastic learning, recall and application of his phonic sounds

Class Two:

William - for your exemplary attitude to learning and thoughtfully produced work

Oliver - for always trying your best and your super progress in reading!

Class Three:

Ivy - for fabulous dramatization in the 'hot seat' as a failed pet and wonderful speech writing

Jake E - for consistently high standards of work and stretching your learning further every day

Class Four:

Oscar F - for consistently going the extra mile in all areas of learning and having high standards in all you do

Fin - for showing maturity in questions and responses during class discussions, as well as being an outstanding role model

Congratulations on your achievements



- Congratulations, Maya, for your medal of the month at theatre school
- Congratulations, Bethanie, for coming first in 50m butterfly with a time of 43 seconds
- Congratulations, Owen, for being star of the week at tennis

Tribe Points

Well done to Embu tribe, who were the winners of the team points this week! They enjoyed their prize of extra playtime.

Diary dates the week beginning 10th March 2025:

Monday 10 th March:	Mrs Davidson - music lessons Multi-skills club 3:15pm
Tuesday 11 th March:	Mr Timms - music lessons Braintree Cross Country (round 2) Years 3-6 Sign Language Club 12:30pm Coding Club 3:15pm F, P & P governors meeting 4:30pm Extra-ordinary governors meeting 6:00pm
Wednesday 12 th March:	Netball club 3:15pm
Thursday 13 th March:	A-cross the World workshop - Class 4 Choir 12:30pm Board Games Club 3:15pm Karate 3:15pm
Friday 14 th March:	Tennis club 8:00am Football Club 3:15-4:15pm Hilltop Fundraising meeting 3:30pm

Have a wonderful week,

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Patsy Fitzpatrick
Head of School

