



Friday 14th November 2025

Dear parents/carers,

Collective Worship Take Home

In Collective Worship this week, we have been thinking about this year's Nobel Peace Prize which has been awarded to María Corina Machado from Venezuela. The Nobel Prizes are special international awards, given each year to people who have made outstanding contributions to science, literature, and peace. Machado has worked peacefully to make her country fairer and to protect people's rights. The award recognises her bravery in speaking out for fairness and freedom and highlights the importance of non-violent action in creating change.



Things you could talk about at home:

- **Ask someone at home how they think Christians show kindness and help others.** Can they think of anyone who has been praised for doing good things?
- **Do you think people should get special awards for showing Christian values like helping people, forgiving others, or caring for the world?**
- **If you could make a new award for a particular Christian value, what would it be for?** Would it be for sharing, being kind, or looking after God's creation?

Pupil Charter – Class 1 Visit from Paddington



Class 1 have had a very special visitor this week - Paddington Bear! As part of our Pupil Charter, Paddington joined the children for lots of fun activities - including how to make some delicious marmalade sandwiches ready for a tea party with their furry friend.

Paddington is currently making his way around all the schools in our Rise family, reminding us that we are part of something bigger and that together we share the same values of care, respect, and friendship.

He has had such a wonderful time with the children, and we're sure the memories will last for a very long time.

World Diabetes Day

A huge thank you to everyone who wore something blue on Thursday to help us recognise World Diabetes Day. Your efforts show how much our school community cares about health and inclusion.

What is diabetes?

Diabetes is a condition where the body finds it hard to control the amount of sugar in the blood. This happens because the body either doesn't make enough insulin or can't use it properly. Insulin is a special hormone that helps turn food into energy so we can run, play, and learn.

Why is World Diabetes Day important?

- It reminds us to look after our health by eating well and staying active.
- It helps us understand that children and adults with diabetes can live happy, healthy lives with the right care.
- It encourages kindness and support for friends who might need extra help in managing their condition.



By wearing blue, you have helped raise awareness and showed that our school cares about making a difference. Thank you for being part of this important day!

Presentation Champions

At Frisby, we hold high expectations for all our pupils. We believe that excellent presentation is crucial for academic success. By acknowledging and rewarding students who excel in presentation, we emphasize the importance of striving for excellence in every aspect of their education.



Children who have been recognised for demonstrating outstanding presentation of their learning this week are:

Class 1 – Reggie Horne
Class 2 – Maia De Gaye
Class 3 – Edna Clements
Class 4 – Mia Robinson



Frisby School Values Certificates



This half term's school value is 'Building Resilience'. Well done to the following children who have been awarded a values certificate in today's Collective Worship:

Class 1- Chase has had a wonderful week in Class 1. He has been a superstar with his writing, being able to write CVC words independently. Chase has shown resilience with his reading this week and has not given up when he finds a work tricky. Well done Chase!

Class 2 - Alice has been trying really hard this week to think about her spelling, especially those words that we use every day. Since the start of the week, she has not given up and is now spelling more tricky words, correctly. Alice, you have shown lots of resilience this week and I hope you keep on doing so. Well done!

Class 2 - Maddie is trying to use her communication skills with her friends in her class and in fact, the whole school! She is a great role model for her peers. We are very proud of you Maddie.

Class 3 - You've been so focused on your work and shown off all your excellent ideas. You've got so much potential and it's great to see it really shining with a larger quantity of work produced. You're so much quicker now with starting your work, very conscientious with your presentation and make your sentences as good as they can be. Very well done, Isla, keep up all the hard work!

Class 4 - Florence has been showing outstanding resilience in maths this week.

She has worked hard and demonstrated deeper thinking in her learning. She did not give up, even when faced with challenging concepts such as adding fractions with different denominators. Your determination and perseverance are truly amazing!

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 21st November – PTA Non-uniform Day – chocolate sweet donations for the Christmas Carnival

Wednesday 26th November – 3.30pm – 5.00pm – Kathryn Saunby Christmas Pottery Painting Workshop

Saturday 29th November – am – Year 5/6 Junior Cross Country League Fixture at Herewoode Academy, Leicester

Thursday 4th December – am – Year 3/4 Dodgeball Event

Friday 5th December – am - Pupil Charter event – Santa Fun Run for Rainbows

Friday 5th December – 3.30pm – 5.30pm – Christmas Carnival

Monday 8th December – 2.30pm – Nativity performance to parents/carers

Tuesday 9th December – pm - Healthy Living Workshop with Steel from the Gladiators

Wednesday 10th December – 9.30am – Nativity performance to parents/carers

Wednesday 10th December – 5.15pm – 6.15pm - KS1 Disco

Wednesday 10th December – 6.30pm – 7.30pm – KS2 Disco

Thursday 11th December – time TBC – Choir performing at Christmas Light Switch-On Event at The Bell

Monday 15th December – 6.30pm – Choir performing at the village Carol Service at St Thomas Church

Thursday 18th December - 2.00pm – Christmas Music Concert

Friday 19th December - 9.30am – Christmas Service (at St Thomas Church – parents/carers welcome)

Monday 5th January 2026 – School reopens for Spring Term

Growing with hope; serving with compassion; transforming with humility.