

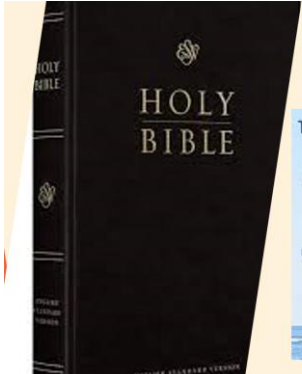
NEWSLETTER

We're starting to see glimpses of Christmas around school. Year 2 enjoyed an inspiring visit from an author, and our Friends PTA have kindly collected and decorated the trees outside. A huge thank you to the Knott family for generously purchasing these!

If you would like one of our two trees on the last day of term, please contact the office and leave a message.

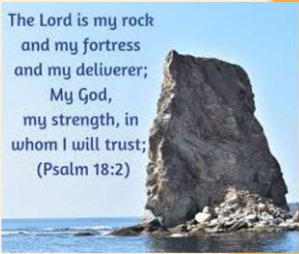
Our Christian Values

This week we have continued to explore the value of Trust, reflecting on Psalm 18:2 *"The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer."*



Psalm 18 v 2
(OLD TESTAMENT)


The Lord is my rock
and my fortress
and my deliverer;
My God,
my strength, in
whom I will trust;
(Psalm 18:2)




Acrostic Poem

TRUST IS....

Taking someone at their word
Relying on someone to support you
Unbreakable promises
Showing that you can be trustworthy
Treasuring good friends





Bratton's Bright Stars



Bratton's Bright Star Award

Awarded 28/11/25

Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 1 Academic	Tula	For always being ready to learn and sharing her amazing ideas!
Bratton 1 Citizenship	Dilyara	For being a fantastic and nurturing friend!
Bratton 2 Academic	Rex	You have shown fantastic understanding and creativity when drawing and writing about a space rocket.
Bratton 2 Citizenship	Lily	You are a kind and trustworthy friend that helps others.
Bratton 3 Academic	Livy	For being a budding scientist when floating and sinking objects in her handmade boat. Well done!
Bratton 3 Citizenship	Joseph	For listening to and following instructions with dance movements during our Nativity Rehearsal. Well done!
Bratton 4 Academic	Rosie	For showing determination and resilience when completing her handwriting this week.
Bratton 4 Citizenship	William	For being ready and respectful during lessons and for his extra focus in maths.
Bratton 5 Academic	Daisy	For excellent progress in recorded work across all subjects. Well done, keep it up.
Bratton 5 Citizenship	Ayda	For being a kind and considerate friend to others. You are always keen to help others. Well done.
Bratton 6 Academic	Ewan	Working hard all week in each subject and showing a good response to advice, as well as a big improvement in handwriting. Well done.
Bratton 6 Citizenship	Elisa	Working well in collaborative group tasks and looking out for others, during our nativity practices. You are setting an excellent example. Well done.
Bratton 7 Academic	Robert	For working hard this week on becoming more independent. Robbie has been working hard with his phonics. Keep it up!
Bratton 7 Citizenship	<u>Nimrth</u>	For always following our school values. <u>Nimrth</u> is an amazing friend to everyone in the class and a fabulous class helper!



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Bratton 8 Academic	Sienna	For excellence in her maths work. Sienna has really focused in the last 2 weeks and improved the accuracy and presentation of her maths work. Keep up the progress Sienna, we are very proud of you.
Bratton 8 Citizenship	Lucas	For always being ready, respectful and safe. For listening carefully to all instructions, always being ready to help and be a kind thoughtful classmate. We are very lucky to have you in the class. Lucas, you should be proud.
Bratton 9 Academic	Molly	Molly has really immersed herself in her Ancient Greece topic and really embraced her inner Spartan. Well done.
Bratton 9 Citizenship	Logan	Logan has been an excellent example of what we expect of a leader in Bratton 9. Well done.
Bratton 10 Academic	Toby H	For excellent focus and enthusiasm during science this week when finding the difference between conductors and insulators.
Bratton 10 Citizenship	Millie	For always being ready, respectful and having a great attitude to learning.
Bratton 11 Academic	Samson	For writing excellent sentences that included dashes.
Bratton 11 Citizenship	Nimrit	For always demonstrating excellent engagement and focus during learning.
Bratton 12 Academic	Ishar	For making fabulous progress with your maths this week.
Bratton 12 Citizenship	Hope	For being a fantastic helper and modelling our ENRICH values.
Bratton 13 Academic	Alvina	For her progress and improvement in writing especially when it comes to making vocabulary choices.
Bratton 13 Citizenship	Reuben	For sharing your knowledge and ideas in English to help others with their writing in a friendly and sensible manner.
Bratton 14 Academic	Erin	Rising so well to the challenge of Y6 Maths. You have worked so hard to understand our work in fractions. We are all very impressed. Well done!
Bratton 14 Citizenship	Will	Sharing your knowledge and expertise in Maths to help others in a mature and sensible way.

Attendance and Punctuality

28.11.25

Congratulations to!

Third place Bratton 7 97.92%
Second Place Bratton 6-98.28%
First Place With 98.33%
 Bratton 5

Congratulations to..

3 classes with 0 LATES

Bratton 10 Bratton 1
Bratton 3

House Points

4th place
Stiperstones



3913 house points!

3rd place
Haughmond



4471 house points!

Wrekin

4497
house
points!

2nd place



1st place
Caer Caradoc

4587
house
points!



Pupils We Are Proud Of



Well done to Harriet and Amelia who were presented with awards from the Newport Bike Club by British Cyclist Grace Lister. Harriet received the award for Most Improved and Amelia for Most Enthusiastic. Well Done 😊



This weekend saw Olivia make a critical penalty save and keeping a clean sheet to help her football team make it through to the Charity Cup Final in the Shropshire Girls Football League! Well Done Olivia 😊



On Friday Isla, Mia and Emily attended their performing arts school awards. Isla received an award for Singer of the Year and achieved a distinction on her first Musical Theatre exam. Emily was awarded Distinctions in both Musical Theatre and Ballet scoring her the highest marks and an award for Ballet Dancer of the Year. Mia received her award for Contemporary Dancer of the Year. Well Done 🥳

What a Wonderful Week!

We are so proud of our amazing children and all they have achieved. As we head into another busy weekend, we know many of you will be putting up decorations and getting into the festive spirit. Next week marks the start of Advent—a time of hope and joy!

And here's a little joke to make you smile:

Why did the advent calendar go to school?

Because it wanted to *count down the days...* and maybe sneak a little chocolate!



Mrs Welsh 🥳

Year 1

Year 1 Week beginning: 24th November 2025

This week we learned about Parliament and how people make decisions by voting. In our class, we had a very important vote:
Should we have a class pet tortoise?

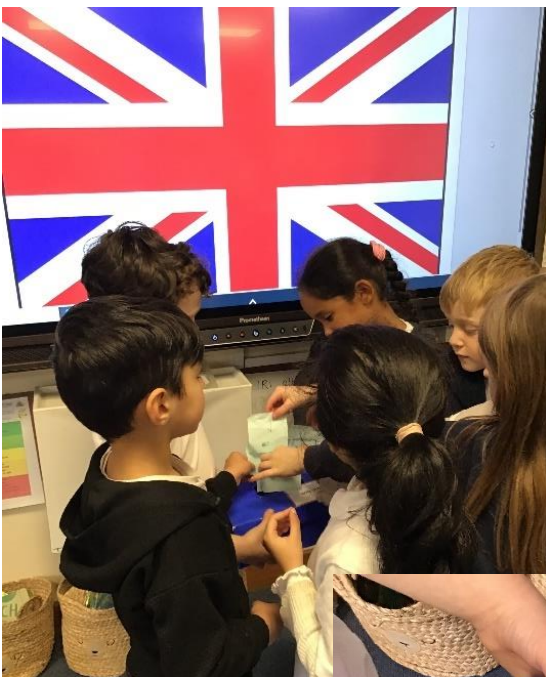
We talked about lots of reasons for and against having a tortoise. Some of the ideas we thought about were:



- Responsibility – looking after a pet is a big job.
- Care – making sure the tortoise has food, water, and a safe home.
- Kindness and Love – treating animals gently and kindly.
- Working together – sharing jobs and spending time with him as a team.

After thinking carefully, we all voted yes!

We learned that voting helps everyone have a say and that listening to different ideas is important.





Welcome to Year 2



This week we had a visit from Kate Cunningham, the author of *Vlad and the Great Fire of London*. The children enjoyed an interactive reading of the story, looking at artefacts, volunteering to be part of a bucket chain to put out the fire and asking questions. Kate was so impressed with the questions that the children asked her. The children had a great time bringing our learning of The Great Fire of London to life!



PSHE

This week is Parliament week. Year 2 spent the afternoon learning about Parliament in the UK, how big decisions are made and where they are made. We split into two groups FOR and AGAINST and we began our debate 'Should breaktimes be longer than 15 minutes'. The children loved hearing each other's point of view and arguing back. We had lots of amazing reasons for both for an against.



Wraparound Reminders

A reminder that at ASC we are still going outside and making the most of the light part of the afternoons, and as it is starting to get a lot colder, please ensure you are sending your child in with a coat, hat, scarf and gloves! And please make sure they have your child's name in them, so if they do get lost, we can easily return them to the owner! 😊



If your child is booked into club and you no longer require that session, then please let us know. Also, if your child is in year 6 and they have permission to walk home but they are booked into club, then please let us know if they aren't attending a session.

A reminder that all sessions up until the end of term are on MCAS live to book, if you haven't already done so.