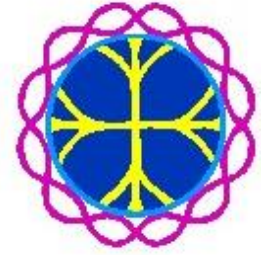


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**‘Loving our neighbours as ourselves, by treating others how we’d like to be treated’**

## **Newsletter 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a lot colder this week. I am pleased to see so many wellies in school that allow the children to play on the field but not bring the mud into the classroom.

It has also been lovely to see Mr Wheater back and to hear more stories about baby Oliver.

### **Reminder: Christmas items available to order**

You should have received a flyer and email regarding ordering from My Child’s Art for personalised Christmas items.

The website to access these is [www.mychildsart.co.uk/order](http://www.mychildsart.co.uk/order)

Please use the username: CarletonRode and password: 9792HZ2K

For a 10% discount use the code: CarletonRode

### **Scholastic book club**

Don’t forget that our latest **Scholastic Book Club is now online** at

<https://schools.scholastic.co.uk/carleton-rode-va-primary/digital-book-club>. There are hundreds of fantastic children’s books to choose from, and every £1 you spend on this month’s Book Club will earn 20p for our school in Scholastic Rewards.

Please place your order online by **December 3rd, 2021**.

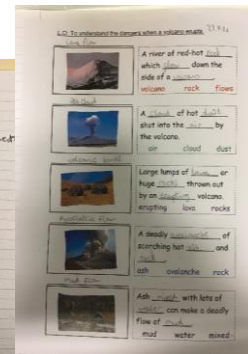
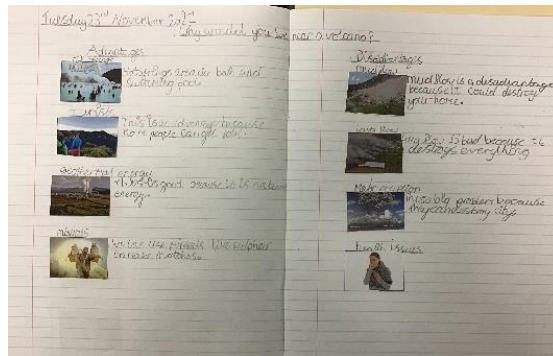
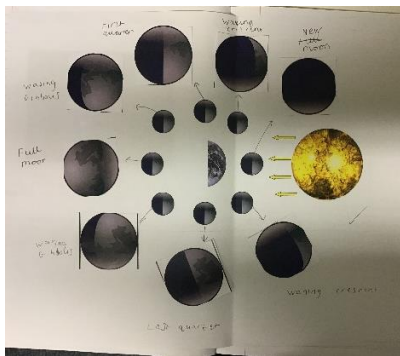
### **Messages to school**

Please can we ask that all parents and carers use the official communications between themselves and school to pass on messages regarding absences and alternative collection arrangements, these include a face-to-face message to a member of staff on the school premises,

an email to the school office (office@carletonrode-primary.norfolk.sch.uk) or a telephone call to the school office (01953 789384).

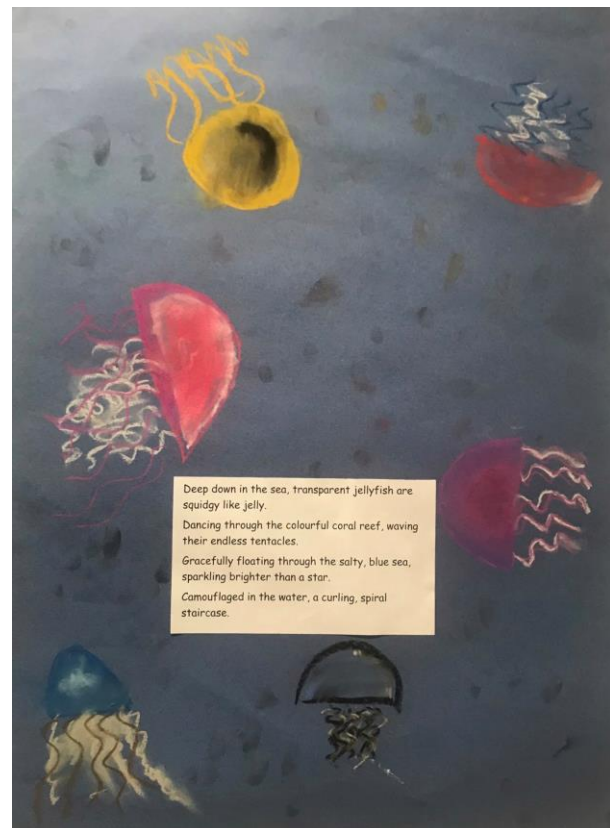
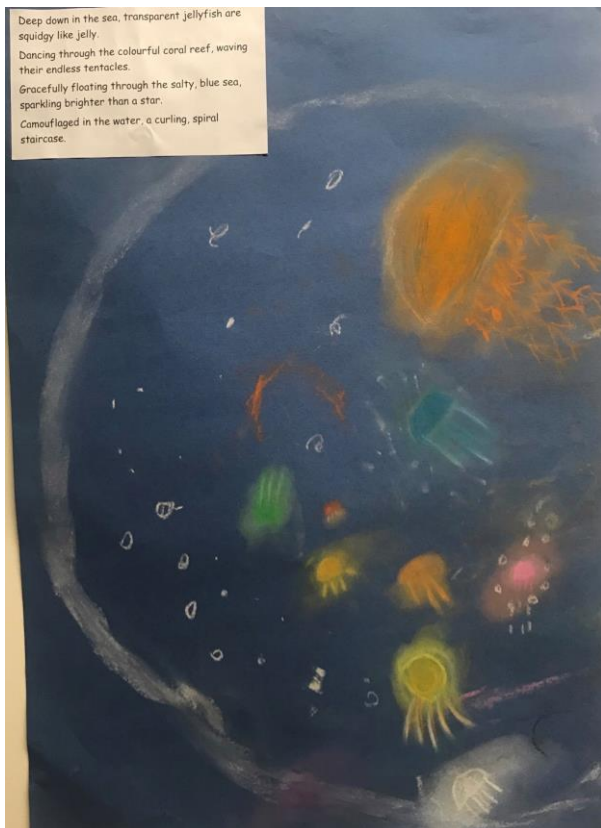
### Pictures from Jaguar Class

The class have been working on phases of the moon and volcanoes. Why not ask them about their volcano shape poem?



### Pictures from Lion Class

Shared writing, a poem about jellyfish.



Please find some information for all parents and carers regarding keeping children safe online. We will be covering this topic over the next few weeks.



## Online safety at home: parents and carers newsletter

November 2021

With the majority of children spending more time online doing their school work, playing games or watching videos, technology is hugely valuable for education, as well as a way to keep in touch with friends and family. However it's important we all consider how we can support children's online safety during this lockdown, and always. Here's some information about what your child may enjoy online and what you can do to help keep them safer:

### Sharing pictures

Using devices like phones and tablets to share pictures and videos can be a great way for children to have fun and stay in touch with friends and family. It's really important your child knows what's ok to share online and what they should check with you first.

Read [younger children sharing pictures or videos online](#) for more information on the risks and how to support safer sharing.

### Watching videos

Children love to watch videos and YouTube is always a firm favourite! But sometimes children can be exposed to videos that are not meant for them.

[YouTube Kids](#) is a safer way for children to explore their interests. You can find more information about this on [YouTube: what parents need to know](#).

Remember, primary-age children should be supervised at all times when online.

### More information?

Thinkuknow is the education programme from the National Crime Agency's Child Protection Command CEOP (NCA-CEOP) whose aim is to protect children and young people from sexual abuse online.

For more information, advice and guidance, visit their [parents website](#) and download their [home activity worksheets](#) for fun, online safety activities to do with your family.

### Steps you can take to help keep your child safer online

**Parental controls:** Parental controls have been designed to help you manage your child's online activities. There are various types, some of which are free but others which can be bought. However, nothing is totally foolproof so this shouldn't replace the support and guidance you give your child to help keep them safer. For more information and step by step instructions on setting up parental controls, visit [Parental Controls & Privacy Settings Guides - Internet Matters](#).

**Supervise their online activity:** Keep the devices your child uses in communal areas of the house such as the living room or kitchen, where an adult is able to supervise. Primary-age children should not access the internet in private spaces alone, such as in a bedroom or bathroom.

**Explore together and chat little and often:** Ask your child to show you their favourite apps, games and sites and encourage them to teach you how to use these. Ask them if anything ever worries them online. Make sure they know they won't be in trouble and can get help by talking to you or another adult they trust if anything happens online that makes them feel worried, sad or scared.

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### Diary Dates

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Reception and Year 6 measurements by NHS.

**Rearranged - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Flu immunisations**

**Rearranged - Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Tiger Class Nativity**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> December – The church is holding a Carol Service at 6pm

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> December to Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Christmas Holiday

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Return to school

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February – Half term

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February – Return to school

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February and Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March – Parent consultations

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Jaguar Class residential trip

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April to Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Holiday

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Class and Whole School Photographs

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Half term holiday

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Additional day of school closure

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July – Sports' Day

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Summer holiday starts