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Newsletter

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In Class 10, we have been learning about the artwork of Thomas Gainsborough. Gainsborough is most famous for his light coloured painting and his inspiration came from Dutch landscapes. Thomas' dad was so impressed with his skills that he sent him to study art at school. One of his most famous paintings is called 'Mr and Mrs Andrews' which we recreated as a class. The painting was divided into several pieces and everyone had a part to play in this piece of work. Once finished, we decided to pull it all together and create an abstract piece of art in the style of Gainsborough. Our favourite art session during this topic was painting beautiful landscapes using water colours.



We'd like to think that this is also what Thomas enjoyed doing most out of all his creations. By Phoebe and Romeyo



Class 10

We need a HERO! During our Literacy lessons Class 4 have been reading the book 'Send for a Superhero' By Michael Rosen. In the story a father reads his children a funny bedtime story about the exploits of two villains Filth and Vacuum, and their wicked plan to suck all of the money from the banks and cover everything with muck and slime. The Superheroes battle with the villains to try to stop them...Brad Forty saves the day! The text is presented in the style of a comic- book. As part of our study we have written superhero Adventure stories in the similar style of a comic-book. We have also created our own superheroes and designed costumes for them. We have really enjoyed studying and reading this text. Our fabulous designs are on display in Class 4. You are most welcome to come and take a look!



CLASS 4



Sam says,
"don't just be on time - be early!"

This Week's Winners!

INFANTS
Classes 5 - 98%

JUNIORS
Class 10 - 98%

Self-Giving

"Love each other as Jesus has loved us. He has given nothing less than his life for us." St Teresa of Calcutta



Diary dates:

Tuesday 13th March -
Individual and Sibling Professional Photographs

Parents Evening

Wednesday 14th March -
Parents Evening
Class 7 & Class 11

Thursday 15th March -
Parents Evening

Headteacher's Award



Amani Kasule

Ruky Eruteyan

Shylah Harvey

Samande Ekundayo

Elayne Abie

Emma Garcia Ventura

Jadon Christian

George Pollmer

Ruby-Ann Charles-Pilgrim

Noelle Harrison-Ivanov

Eleanor Quansah

Nyah Pitblado

Deron Ekhogie

Casimira Amoah



The Junior classes celebrated a LENT mass on Friday 23rd February with Fr. Gregory. The children also welcomed Sister Gloria who has come from Brazil to join

the community of Missionary Sisters in the convent. Sr. Gloria remarked on how well the children sang and praised the exceptional behaviour and prayerful atmosphere in the chapel. Father Gregory will be back later in the term for Year 5 & 6 Reconciliation.

Next week's



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Cooking Tuscan Bean Soup!

Investigating changes in food.



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Looking for the Camouflaged Chameleon!

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Model making using various craft materials!

4

Exploring secondary colours through painting

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Making Owl and Pussycat puppets.

5

Exploring the Isle of Struay with Katie Morag!



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Nature Sculptures - Andy Goldsworthy

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Investigating how water tracks through plants!

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ANIMAL HUNTERS - What will we find?

Writing to Oscar Wilde about his book 'The Selfish Giant'

Investigating the artist - Henri Rousseau

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Creating recycled art from newspapers



Stations of the Cross Freeze frames & discussions

King Kong tribal dancing!

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I just can't wait...

...to spring into action!