

St. Barnabas CE Primary School SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

St. Barnabas
CofE Primary School

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EDITION
FRIDAY 17TH JANUARY 2025



We hope you have had a chance to read our recent **Ofsted report**, where we have been graded as **Outstanding in 4 out of 5 areas**. Since September 2024 there is no overall Ofsted grade for schools as part of the inspection system review. We are **proud of our pupils and our dedicated staff team** and feel this report reflects much of our hard work to create a **superb curriculum** and a **positive and inclusive school experience** for every child. I would also like to thank our hardworking **Governing Body**- all of whom are volunteers.

Name	Year	Star of the Week!
Elliott Sale Naomi James	Reception	For a super effort in his reading For showing great courage 
Mia Copson Lily Mannion	Year 1	For writing an excellent animal riddle For making a great effort with her writing and using super vocabulary 
Jaxon Bradley Yamasa Tshitsoeng	Year 2	For making a great effort in Read, Write, Inc. Working really hard on his handwriting and writing his name 
Harvey Davis Dominic Barton	Year 3	For superb enthusiasm in the Pompeii topic 
Ibad Khan Jessica Harris	Year 4	For super use of vocabulary in his writing for brilliant historical claims about a primary source 
Summer Dellicompagni Annabelle Warren	Year 5	For very detailed story plans based on the book "Belonging" 
Danielle Williams Liza Yatsko	Year 6	For upholding all of our school values For her fantastic effort with her writing 
Theo Swallow Ava Skilton	Sports Stars	For making a wonderful effort in P.E For super hockey skills at hockey club 
Maham Aziz Esme Copson	School artist	For her amazing and detailed drawing of a house For fabulous Roman drawings 



Our fantastic Eco Committee are leading an assembly on Friday about The Big Garden Birdwatch- an opportunity for every family to help collect data about British bird life. It is the world's largest wildlife study and helps ecologists protect and care for different species. It is free to take part and only takes one hour of your time next weekend!

You don't need a garden to take part. Learn more at: <https://www.rspb.org.uk/>



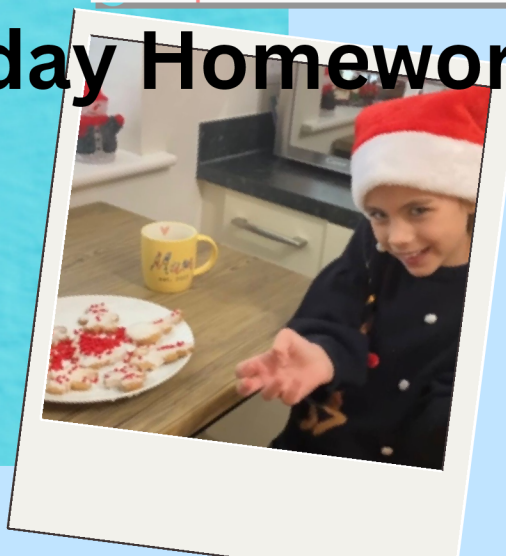
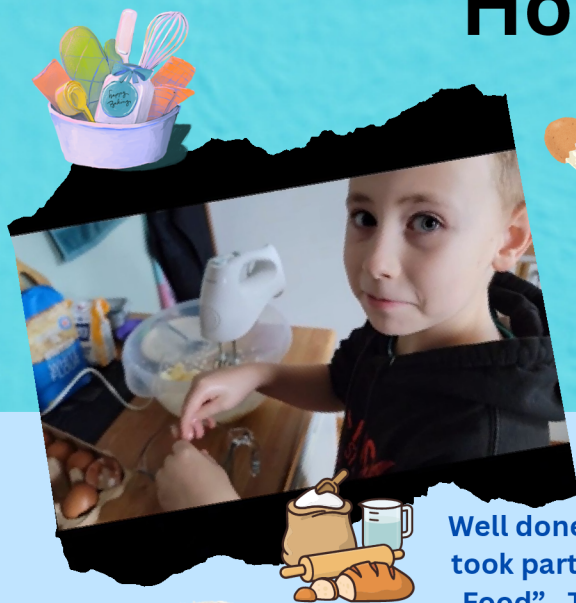
Song Thrush counts are **down 85%** Since the survey began in 1979



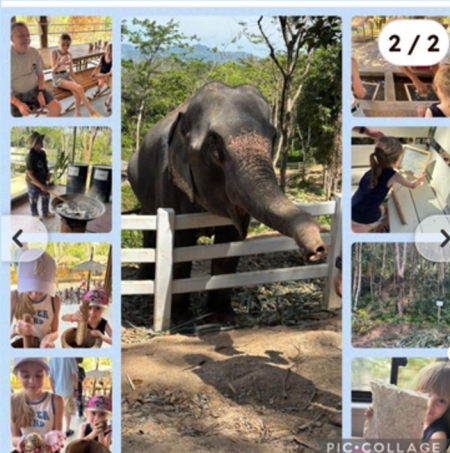
We've lost **38 million** birds from UK skies in the last 60 years

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Holiday Homework



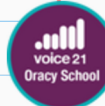
Well done to all the many children and families who took part in the Holiday Homework Baking "Festive Food". There was so much creative cooking going on, mostly in Worcester but one lucky family managed to do some food preparation in Thailand!



Coming Up....



Family Learning starts- Thursday 23rd Jan



Oracy Workshop for Parents & Carers Years 3 & 5 Friday 24th Jan 9-9.50 a.m.

Year 5 Cross Country Bishop Perowne Friday 24th Jan



Year 5 & 6 Choir to perform at Malvern Theatre with Armonico Consort Friday 24th Jan



Year 2 Gymnastics Festival at Flics Tuesday 28th Jan (group)

Year 5/6 Football Tournament Tuesday 28th Jan (team)



Full Choir to Young Voices, Birmingham, Friday 31st Jan



RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch 24-26 Jan Open Door Cafe- Monday 3rd Feb 8.30-9.30 St. Barnabas church, all welcome



Parliament Trip (Year 5 & 6- group) Tuesday 4th February. Very early start!

