Issue 10

# Year 2 Learning Letter

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A very rainy week this week but luckily we have managed to get some time outside and have been enjoying the fresh air. Nativity practise is in full swing. Thank you to everyone who has sent in their costumes so far. Please ensure all costumes are in school before next Friday. If you are having any difficulties please come and see me.

#### RE

Our RE unit all about Islam is coming to an end. The children have really enjoyed this topic. This week we have watched the Islamic story of the prophets and the ants. We thought carefully about our own actions and if we were leaders what do we think the most important rules would be. The children thought very carefully about how they would lead by example. Just like in the teachings of Islam we also encourage kindness and respect of all people, animals and our wonderful world.

Here are a few lovely thoughts from the class.

The most important rule would be...

"To love people" Arthur

"To not hurt people" Amelia- Rose

"To be kind and respect all people" Naayal

#### Shoe boxes

Please can all children bring in a shoe box (or shoe box size box)?

On the run up to Christmas we collect all our Christmas creations, cards and gifts so that the children can bring home a box of goodies on the last day.

<u>Dates for your diary</u>
Nativity costumes in school- Friday 24th November
Nativity performances- Wednesday 6th &

Thursday 7th December

Panto Trip- Wednesday 13th December

Last day before Christmas & toy Friday

Friday 15th December



### Arthur

For his thoughtful reflections on the Islamic story of the prophets and the ants

## Art- Yayoi Kusama



I feel that art is usually missed off the newsletter as we usually do our Art lessons on a Friday afternoon.

These photos were from last week's art lesson. We

are currently learning about the Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama, she uses polka dots as inspiration. We practised polka dot art to make our own bobs. We also learnt a lot of interesting facts about her.













