



**Holy Trinity  
C of E (VC)  
Primary School**


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All different. All welcome.

06.05. 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week, Holy Trinity was delighted to welcome the Britten Sinfonia – Tiny Magic Orchestra. The ensemble, comprising a harpist, a flautist, and a violinist, delivered an engaging and interactive session. I've heard that many children have shared with their families how much they enjoyed the experience.

The children have also been taking part in our Cultural Arts Week, Arts for All, which has focused on mainly Black female artists and lesser-known female global activists. For example, Year 3 created abstract artwork inspired by the work of David Driskell, an African American artist. They reflected on what the world might say if it could speak—particularly in relation to the extraction of fossil fuels from Indigenous communities in North America. Their work was influenced by the activism of Kandi Mossett, an Indigenous environmental campaigner. Year 2 have been learning about Catherine Coleman Flowers, an activist who champions environmental justice and advocates for clean, sanitary water. Our artwork this week has also been inspired by Barbara Chase-Riboud, a sculptor known for her use of varied textures and flowing fabrics and materials. This themed week is part of our ongoing work to further develop the school's Global Citizenship focus. Elsewhere in the school, Key Stage 1 have been learning about Earth Day and its significance. In addition, new features have been installed in our sensory garden, generously supported by members of the local Community Shed.

Our Year 6 pupils are preparing for their upcoming SATs with maturity, responsibility, and a calm, focused attitude. We wish them the very best of luck next week—Year 6, we are all behind you!

Several parents have recently inquired about government-funded breakfast clubs. Currently, 750 schools across nine regions of England are participating in a trial programme. This is the first phase of a national rollout, which will eventually see free breakfast clubs offered in every primary school across England. In the meantime, Little Treasures offers high quality wrap-around care, including breakfast club, for those of you who need it.

Warm regards,

*S. Rowe*



# OUR VISION

RESPECT  
HONESTY  
LOVE

We are an inclusive, aspirational school that builds a kind and resilient community.



Pangolin Class made flowers out of recycled material and went on an exciting scavenger hunt and made seed bombs. They all made a seed bomb to take home and we have some mixture left over that we are going to go and put on the bee-byway next week.



Year 2 made planet Earth suncatchers and



took part in litter picking.



EYFS have been thinking about how important trees are to the world. They loved picking up sticks, twigs, feathers, leaves, flowers and grass. They made handmade paint brushes from items that they had found.

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# OPERATION ENCOMPASS

Are you concerned about a child or children in your school who are experiencing domestic abuse?

Would you like FREE advice and a professional dialogue with an Education Psychologist about how to best support them?

Call the Operation Encompass Teachers' Helpline

**0204 513 9990**

(Charged at local rate)

Monday to Friday 8.00am to **EXTENDED TO 1.00pm**



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CALENDAR DATES - <https://ch/calendar> & APP  
NEW DATES ARE HIGHLIGHTED AND IN BOLD

- 08.05.2025 VE Day 80th Anniversary
- 12.05.2025 SATs week for Year 6
- 19.05.2025 Year 6 School Journey
- 26.05.2025 Half term holiday (1 week)**
- 18.06.2025 Sports Day and picnic**
- 23.06.2025 Reserve Sports Day**
- 27.06.2025 PTFA Summer Fayre**
- 16.07.2025 Year 6 Production**

All term dates, and INSET days for 2024/25 can be found on the Piota

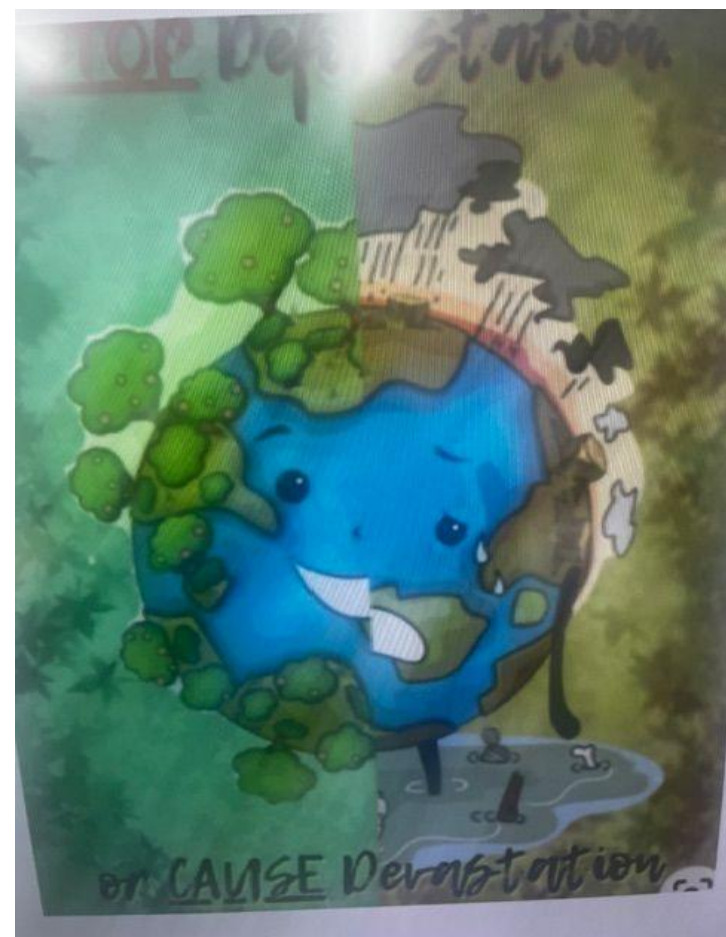
**WORSHIP THEME:**

**Honesty**

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

**Matthew 5: 8**

## Arts for All Week



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Massive thanks to the team from Halstead Community Shed for updating the items in the sensory garden.



**HALSTEAD & ESSEX MARATHON**  
**11TH MAY 2025**  
 PART OF THE ESSEX CHAMPS SERIES

**THANK YOU**  
 FOR PLANTING TREES  
 Holy Trinity C of E Primary School  
 This is to certify that 22 trees will be planted thanks to Panda Class through JUST ONE Tree

During the next rainy season, these 22 seedlings will be transported to their carefully selected new homes where they will be planted and nurtured over the coming years, removing approximately 6.78 tonnes of carbon dioxide from the atmosphere over the next 25 years.

With this contribution we will be able to help global reforestation efforts clean the air we breathe, clean the water we drink, increase biodiversity, protect against deforestation, improve livelihoods and most importantly combat climate change.

**Kindness Cup Winners**

**Manners Medal Winner**

HOLY TRINITY C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

working together for our children

The PTFA team would like to say a massive thank you to Mr Dale, Mr Wiskin and Mr Lewis for all of their hard work helping us create the "Bee Byway". We look forward to seeing all types of pollinators visiting us this summer.

Our next meetings are:  
 \* 08/05/2025  
 \* 02/06/2025  
 \* 19/06/2025

They start at 17:30 and we will be in the Year 3 classroom. We would love to see some new faces and hear any ideas you may have to help raise money for our fabulous school.

**NEW LOCATION WITHIN THE SCHOOL**

**LITTLE TREASURES**

Wraparound and After School clubs

**ALL WELCOME**  
 Come and join us  
 7.45 - 8.45 and 3.15 - 4.15  
 And longer hours once fully registered

£6.50 AN HOUR AND ALL CHILDREN RECEIVE BREAKFAST OR SNACK AND A DRINK

Email us on [littletreasures.ht@outlook.com](mailto:littletreasures.ht@outlook.com) to register and secure your place

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