

Tockwith

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY



We are delighted to be back at school after summer, welcoming new students and those returning to us! We hope you all had an amazing summer holiday and are all ready to enjoy the start of your new year at school. We have many exciting topics and events coming up this term and can't wait to get started. At the end of last year, we had many events that we didn't manage to tell you about so here is a roundup of events that happened at the end of last year!

Fashion Show - each class chose a designer to base their creations on – we had Stella McCartney, Ralph Lauren and Mary Quant to name but a few. Each class worked on a mood board, noting down all of their ideas. Some children worked independently, whilst others collaboratively to produce clothing and accessories. These were then presented to the rest of the school via a fashion walk and presentation. The children in Y6 used SATS as their inspiration and used jelly babies, pencils and other stationery to create their designs!



Children in Y6 went to York College to take part in an event called Crucial Crew. Crucial Crew is a multi-agency event organised through schools, by the police and supported by the fire service. They aim to raise awareness of safety issues to school children in Year 6 (aged 10-11). The event takes the form of a range of 20-minute interactive scenarios which cover a wide range of topics, each educating the students in a specific risk.

University Challenge came to Tockwith today with the master quiz show host Mr G! Each house put forward two representative from each year to answer questions on subjects they have studied throughout the course of the year. The questions covered subjects like music, history, geography, science, maths and RE. Well done to the house Lucas for winning the quiz and thank you to Mr Goodacre for organising and hosting it.



This year's Tockwith's Got Talent was a roaring success – so many courageous children stepped forward and performed their talent in front of the whole school. Some amazing acts such as Irish dancing, magic tricks, solo singing and some maths genius's!! Congratulations to Abbey in Y4 for her fab singing and winning first place, to Emily for her creative Tockwith song and for coming in second place and to Juno for third place with her Irish dancing. Massive thanks to all of the children who auditioned or took part in the show today.



We said goodbye to our year 6 children today in Tockwith Church, along with 6 other children that will be leaving Tockwith Primary for new pastures. Reverend Martin hosted the service where we sang two songs (Sing Hosanna and I am the Earth), some of our children read prayers and Reverend Martin blessed our leavers. What a wonderful service and some beautiful singing and lovely words. We have our second leavers service in school on Friday where our year 6 children perform for the rest of the school and we say goodbye to some incredible children. We wish them all the very best for their new adventures at secondary school.



We're looking forward to the Autumn term and all the awesome activities we have to look forward to – our year 6 children will be going on their residential in October, as well as taking part in bike ability with Y5 and also going on a trip to Eden Camp! We've yet to book activities for the rest of the school but watch this space for our reports on all of the fantastic things we get up to at school.