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RECEPTION - Children have been working hard in the Elf Village and Santa's workshop writing letters to a naughty Elf who keeps making a terrible mess in the classrooms! Well done Robins and Ravens!



NATIVITY – Children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 are thoroughly enjoying their first interactive Nativity play 'I'm gonna shine!' They have been working so hard creating this wonderful production and we cannot wait to see it. Well done to Mrs James and Miss Fudge on all their hard work, determination and resilience in such difficult times! There will be so much joy and happiness when everyone hears those beautiful songs!



SCHOOL RULES - Year 4 have been the eldest children in the school this week and have risen to the challenge of showing all the younger children in the school how to walk, stay in bubbles, gel their hands and keep everyone safe-via Teams, well done!

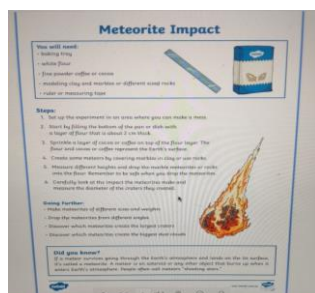


YEAR 6 – Children were asked to investigate craters on the moon using rocks or marbles, flour and chocolate powder at home. They were studying the size of meteor craters finding out the widest and deepest.

Course Project 1
Crater of Asteroids

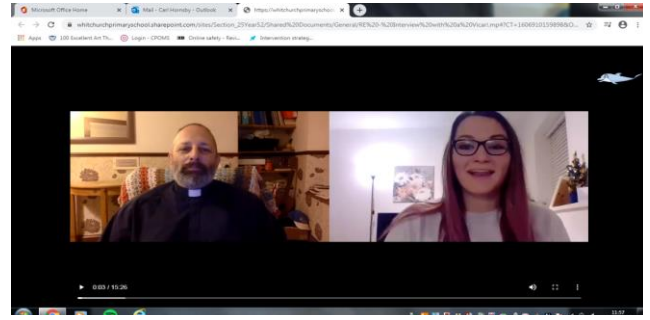
Asteroid	Diameter	Depth	Dust cloud
1999 KW4	6cm	1cm	Big but short
1999 KJ7	6cm	1cm	short
1999 KJ10	6.5cm	2cm	Medium but longer lasting
1999 KJ11	6.5cm	1cm	Shorter but longer lasting
1999 KJ12	7cm	2cm	Bigger but shorter
1999 KJ13	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ14	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ15	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ16	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ17	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ18	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ19	7cm	2cm	Biggest
1999 KJ20	7cm	2cm	Biggest

Instructions
The smallest rock made the deepest crater and largest dust cloud.
If I arranged the rocks caused more damage than they did when dropped from the top.



WORKING FROM HOME - Well done to Year 3, 5 and 6 and all the staff working from home! Keep up the good work and we look forward to welcoming you back soon!

YEAR 5/6 – As part of religious education, Year 5 and 6 have been learning about the Christian faith. We had the opportunity to come up with fun and challenging questions and had an Anglican Vicar called Reverend John respond over a Zoom interview. We found out about his job, challenges to his faith and even whether he thought God ate food and had shops in Heaven!



CHRISTMAS TREE – Our lovely Christmas tree in the hall has been decorated by the children today. We would like to thank Whitehall Garden Centre for our tree and the wide selection on offer!



CHRISTMAS POST BOX – Children may bring Christmas cards into school for their friends on a Friday only, starting tomorrow. These cards will be collected in class and quarantined until Tuesday and go into the school Christmas post box on Wednesday to be distributed to classes.

SIM CARDS - If you are using your mobile phone to access home learning and do not have unlimited data, please pop in to the school office. Vodaphone has generously given us a number of SIM cards with several GB of data on them to use for home learning purposes. These will be available from the office from tomorrow morning. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS TREATS – Please remember to help us support the local care home by donating Christmas treats for the elderly. Please bring in chocolates, sweets, biscuits and toiletries. There will be a box at both gates every morning with Mr Hornsby and Mrs Lawson and in the office foyer, as from next Monday!

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS SALE - Parents may purchase a Christmas decoration that your child has made in school for £1 via Parentpay. The decorations will be personalised with your child's name. Please purchase decorations by Friday 11th December. Donations will be used to provide extra materials for the children to use in school.

CHRISTMAS COLOURING COMPETITION - All children in school will get an image to take home and colour on Friday 11th December. Please bring these back into school when completed and we will choose a winner! Winners will be announced on Friday 18th December.

CHRISTMAS DINNER – Our school Christmas dinner will be on Wednesday 16th December and children may wear Christmas jumpers to school with school trousers and shoes. If your child would like to have Christmas dinner, please ensure you have credit on your Parentpay dinner money account. Children in the infants will receive Christmas dinner free of charge as part of the Government scheme.

BREAKFAST CLUB – This club will start up again from next Monday from 7.45am. Please pay on Parentpay - £4 per session. Thank you.

UNIFORM - Uniform may be purchased online via the following link:

www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/whitchurchsomerset