

This week Ms Kowalska and I have had the pleasure of spending some time in another local school as part of our peer review work. Last summer we invited headteachers and other senior leaders to help us review our own school's effectiveness and it proved immensely helpful. We are always keen to make sure our expectations remain high and we are continually improving but it is also nice to sometimes have external eyes helping you to recognise what you do well too. Working with other schools helps us to share best practice and also get some fresh perspectives and ideas. I am delighted we are able to play a role in supporting school improvement and will be looking to build on this experience in the future.

Nikki Brown

### Brilliant Makers Success!

Congratulations to our 'Brilliant Makers' club- after submitting their model bow and arrows (based on the painting 'Cupid and Psyche' by Jacopo del Sellaio) the judging panel selected their work to be shown in the INSPIRE 2020 exhibition at the Fitzwilliam Museum! They faced tough competition against other schools in the county but the judges were particularly impressed with their model-making skills and the progress they had made since their first round of making.

On Tuesday, Lana, Eva, Shaam, Jess, Kyla, Ms Dalby and Ms Lilley were taken on a 'behind the scenes tour' of the Fitzwilliam Museum, and watched the exhibition being installed. They also had a chance to prepare their artwork by doing a 'condition check' and writing 'display labels'. They thought about how to advertise the exhibition to the public and had a chance to produce additional artwork in relation to the painting.

Lana said, "I enjoyed seeing other pieces of art at them museum and I'm looking forward to seeing my artwork in such a famous place."

The INSPIRE 2020 exhibition will run from 10th of December until the 22nd of March 2020 in the Octagon Gallery where work will be shown from a number of schools.

We hope you manage to make it along and see our fantastic models.



**Saturday 30th November 2019**

**We hope to see you all at the Winter Fair TOMORROW 12-2.30**



Come along for some winter fun with festive food, stalls, games and amazing raffle prizes

Morley Christmas Trees - **last chance!!**

The deadline for Christmas tree orders is tomorrow (Sat 30th Dec)  
<http://friendsofmorley.org.uk/events/xmas-trees/>

### Competition

Children across Cambridgeshire and Peterborough are invited to put their creativity to good use with a special competition this week.

Look out for the Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND) Pledge Poster Competition attached to this week's newsletter.



**Because children don't come with instructions...**

Attached to this week's newsletter you will find details of parenting support programme starting In January across the city .

If you would be interested in attending please call the phone number on the flyer of that specific course or email [Childandfamilycentre.city@cambridgeshire.gov.uk](mailto:Childandfamilycentre.city@cambridgeshire.gov.uk)

The facilitator will then make contact with you 2 weeks before the course starts to check if you still want to attend and also to explain the course in more detail.

**Or if you'd like to lead a healthier family lifestyle...**

Why not sign up for the free 12 week family [healthy lifestyle programme](#) starting in January at Colville Primary School, Cherry Hinton.

*This week we are celebrating the achievements of  
the following children -*



Crimson— Aishini  
Scarlet— Jiho  
Ruby— Rania  
Burgundy— Paul  
Turquoise— Lolly  
Topaz— Kingzley  
Jade— Liviu  
Sapphire— George R  
Amethyst— Maddie  
Indigo— Shaam & Lana  
Violet— Felix  
Lilac— Rose



### **CLASS OF THE WEEK –**

This class have worked diligently to complete some challenging NFER tests this week, showing resilience and motivation. Since September this class have worked tirelessly to meet their teacher's expectations. The children in this class are becoming adept collaborators and are always happy to help each other. They have dived enthusiastically into their topic this half term, demonstrating great curiosity and becoming experts in all things volcanic.

This week's class of the week is Topaz class

**Dates for the diary  
Including EY and KS1 performance dates and  
Christmas events**

[here](#)

**Dates for  
your  
diary.....**