

## St Mary's Catholic Primary School, Ipswich

## `Living and Learning through Faith`









April 2025



In RE, we have enjoyed learning about First Holy Communion and how we give ourselves to Jesus when we receive the Eucharist. We asked questions of people who have already completed their First Holy Communion as well as thinking of questions we want to ask before some of us complete our sacrament in the summer. We also enjoyed learning about the Last Supper and made links with Jesus' miracle of feeding the 5,000. We loved sharing our class Mass with Year 4.

In Computing, we have been learning about networks and systems. We have also been looking at digital art. We created a piece of digital art using paint and tried to make ours as similar to our watercolour art piece as possible.





We really enjoyed celebrating World Book Day in March by dressing up and completing some fun activities. We particularly enjoyed our book share with Year 1, where we shared our favourite stories together. We are looking forward to our Easter holidays after a wonderful term of learning.

In Maths, we have started our work on Fractions before moving onto Length and Perimeter, learning how to measure all the way around a shape and using rulers correctly. We have also been learning about Mass and Capacity and know that we measure mass in kilograms and grams and capacity in litres and millilitres. We are looking forward to doing more work on Fractions in the summer term.

In English, we wrote a first-person narrative and a set of instructions about our D.T. lever toy. The children have been working hard on their punctuation and their descriptive features this term.

In Science, we learned all about Forces and Magnets. We compared how things move on different surfaces and thought about the impact of friction. We used magnets and learned about how the poles can repel or attract. We also learned about contact and non-contact forces. During our work on plants, we have dissected tulips as well as investigated the way water is transported in a plant.

In PSHE, we have been looking at keeping safe - both ourselves and within our environment. We explored first-aid heroes, drugs, alcohol and tobacco and healthy eating. The children did lots of roleplay and were very sensible during our lessons.