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JANUARY

Happy New Year from Gloria Fuertes!

European E Twinning Project

In December, our students sent Christmas letters to our partner school in Bristol, at Wick Primary School. This month, we received Christmas letters back from their pen pals in Bristol from Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 with holiday wishes and drawings. Here are Years 5 and 6 below!







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<u>E-Twinning Letters from Bristol - Years 3 and 4</u>







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International School Day of Nonviolence and Peace

Reflection of the week:

"Peace is more precious than diamonds or silver or gold."

- Martin Luther King Jr.

Reflexión de la semana:

"La paz es más preciada que los diamantes o la plata o el oro."

-Martin Luther King Jr.





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Martin Luther King Jr.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was an American activist and leader in the civil rights movement in the 1950s and 1960s. He was born in Atlanta, Georgia, in 1929. At the time, segregation—or the separation of races in places like schools, buses, and restaurants—was the law. He dedicated his life to achieving equality and justice for Americans of all colors. King believed that peaceful refusal to obey unjust law was the best way to bring change and led many non-violent protests. He is considered one of the greatest speakers in U.S. history and gave his "I Have a Dream" speech in 1963, which is considered one of the greatest speeches in American history. He never backed down in his stand against racism, and he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his activism in 1964. He was killed on April 4, 1968, but his legacy lives on today.



Source: National Geographic Kids, Hero for All: Martin Luther King Jr. https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/history/article/martin-luther-king-jr



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International School Day of Non-Violence and Peace

The International School Day of Non-Violence and Peace is a day dedicated to education in and for harmony, tolerance, solidarity, respect for human rights, non-violence, and peace. On January 30 every year, on the anniversary of the death of Mahatma Gandhi, many schools all over the world celebrate this day.

This week, Teacher Sydney gave a presentation about Martin Luther King Jr. for the students to learn about an American figure who fought for peace, and won the Nobel Peace Prize. This was the student's first time learning about Martin Luther King Jr. and the history of segregation. Teacher Sydney read them a short book about Martin Luther King Jr's life, and they learned about his famous "I Have a Dream" speech.







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Teacher Sydney also made some coloring pages with the word "peace" so that students could add the word to their English vocabulary and have fun coloring at the same time! The students really liked this activity. The students also learned an English song called "Teaching Peace."











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<u>"Teaching Peace"</u>

The students also learned an English song called "Teaching Peace." The students learned the lyrics to the song and a dance to match, and Teacher Sydney danced with them!











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"Teaching Peace"

The students also made a peace craft with Teacher Sydney to show what peace means to them! Students wrote that "Peace is beautiful, peace is love for all, and peace is safety." How peaceful!







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La Carrera de San Antón – The San Antón Marathon

To celebrate the San Antón Marathon, Gloria Fuertes held a school-wide race on the Monday after the Marathon, which is always on a Saturday. Each grade got to race outside. In line with tradition, the students brought lots of popcorn to share as well! The students and the teachers had lots of fun celebrating the San Antón Marathon here at school.

Warming up!





Getting ready!



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And...Go!



