



## Chevening (St Botolph's) CE Primary School Special Report: *Autumn Term 2: Friday 16th November 2018*

# Anti-Bullying Week Report



**Class R** explored the book 'Snappy Shark' and the children acted out the story. They discussed how they can be kind and show respect to their friends. The class then created a special class picture where every child was involved emphasising the importance of working together as a team. Miss Levy taught the class a special class song and as they sung it, a ribbon was passed around the circle joining everyone together.

**Class 1** had a very special circle time, focusing on 'Friendship'. They discussed the following questions: *What makes a good friend? Am I a good friend? What do I do when I see others upset? What is an acceptable way to behave towards others and what is not?* This inspired them to become 'Playground Buddies'. They loved looking after all those that they saw on their own at playtimes.

**Class 2** paired up and took turns interviewing each other and were delighted by how much they had in common. The class discussed how being different makes us all special and unique. They also read the story 'The Ugly Duckling' and discussed how it is important not to judge people by outward appearances.

**Class 3** thought about having respect and how they can make a difference in the world by helping and respecting others.

They are in the process of creating a 'look how special I am' display board - each child is to write something nice about the person they are sitting next to on a post it note and it will be added to the board. They will continue to add to the board as the year goes on.

## Did you know.... **Tuesday 13th November was World Kindness Day?**

It's not too late to join in... *Kindness Day UK is a nationally recognised day for the celebration of kindness in society and day to day life. Individual acts of kindness are encouraged on this day annually.*

See <http://www.kindnessuk.com> for more details.

**Class 4** have been thinking about bullies in books / stories and how we may have reacted to them. They also thought about which characters in stories show respect. They also looked at cyber-bullying dangers and how they can use technology responsibly and respectfully. Class 4 also looked at how to keep themselves safe and less exposed to e-safety problems. They discussed respect in the context of WW2 too, as part of our history topic.



**Class 5** spent Odd Socks Day thinking about what makes them unique. They discussed the importance of respecting what makes us unique. In ICT they discussed how they can be respectful online and thought about what is and is not ok as they made their posters about cyber bullying.

**Class 6** have been thinking about how they should not judge people by single actions and how everyone makes mistakes. They have thinking about how they should try harder to get along with each other and value difference rather than criticise.

Congratulations to Alfie Warner for excellent work for his Anti-Bullying Week poster.