

### **Weldon CE Primary - Feb 2023**

School life at Weldon has got off to a flying start in 2023. The first full week back at school saw our school choir make the trip to Birmingham to take part in Young Voices, the largest school choir in the world. The children had been practising the songs since last September so it was lovely to see (and hear) all their hard work pay off when they delivered a fantastic singing spectacular at the Resorts World Arena. Big thanks to our music teacher, Mr Hole, who leads the choir so enthusiastically.

The same choir was also invited to sing at The Singlehurst Trust's event at St Mary's Church back in December. It was such an enjoyable evening and we were very proud of how well our children performed.

Our year one children have already enjoyed a Florence Nightingale-themed day, which supported their learning about real-life superheroes. There were some wonderful Florence Nightingale costumes and some scruffy chimney sweeps too, and the children really enjoyed the day packed full of hands-on activities. There are some lovely pictures on our school website too.

Our youngest children in EYFS enjoyed learning all about the traditions and customs associated with the Lunar New Year. They also had the opportunity to try some delicious Chinese food, some more willingly than others!

We continue to offer after school clubs, with gymnastics a permanent fixture in the after school schedule. Children can also enjoy basketball club at the moment, delivered by the team at LM Academy. As we look forward to the rest of the academic year, our year 4 children are soon to begin weekly swimming lessons at Corby pool and, as the weather warms up, our school sports teams will continue to take part in various tournaments across the county.