

The First Eight Days – Day 3

Friday 6th September 2019

Habit 3: Put First things First

We focus and concentrate on work first and then on play.

Today has been all about **'Putting First things First'** and deciding what is the most important to us at home and school. All the classes have been thinking about their 'Big Rocks' and some children from 2.1 have shared what they did:



"It's to put first things first. So these were our big rocks. They are important things."

"We had a bowl of little rocks, which are the less important things, like having a shower, watching TV and playing on your tablet. When we tried to put the big rocks in with the little rocks, it was like an eruption because they didn't fit."







"But then we realized that if we put the big rocks (important things) in first and then we could fit in the little rocks around them. That way we still do both but

the important things come

first."





The children in Mrs Philips class were busy sorting things that were more important or less important. They did a great job!

Friday 13th September – Celebration Day

Who do you admire? Who inspires you?

On Friday 13th September come to school dressed as someone who is inspirational to you. It could be a member of your family, a special member of the community, a famous author or sports star, an inventor or a Nobel prize winner.

We are looking forward to seeing who inspires you in your life.

Find out about some of these inspirational people.

Do you recognise the voice of **James Earl Jones?** Did you know that for eight years of his childhood he was completely silent?

Read about the inspirational work of the English computer programmer **Ada Lovelace**, the Polish physicist **Marie Curie**, the Mexican painter **Frida Kahlo** or the Indian chemist **Asima Chatterjee**.

Lionel Messi is one of the greatest footballers in history. During his childhood he needed expensive medicine to support a growth hormone deficiency. Barcelona Football Club agreed to pay for his treatment and he has remained loyal to them ever since.

