# **U&K NEWS**

### December 2021

## **Our Useful And Kind Council**

Hello! Today you will be hearing and learning all about our useful and kind council. As a school, we have decided that we would create an entertaining council which will make the school a kinder and more useful place than it already is. In this newspaper, you will find everything you need to know about our council. In our council, we assure the members a kind and safe school. We have lots of various activities and meetings to discuss our opinions and our ideas. Keep on reading to find out more!

#### (written by Patricia Y6)

The Useful and Kind Council are made up of 12 members of Edith Cavell ranging from Y1 - Y6. They are our U&K Ambassadors, setting a good example to the rest of the school. They are also responsible for creating this newspaper once a term.



## Useful and Kind Club

Mrs Wibberley has been holding a Useful and Kind Club every Thursday after school for the last few weeks for children from Years 5 and 6 to attend and take part in U&K activities around the school. They have painted and decorated the shed in the Y1 outside area, made a kindness quote hunt around the school for parents and children, did some research on creating homes for wildlife and made bird feeders to feed the birds over the cold months. More information on some of these can be found below.

#### **VIBRANT TOUCH!**

Recently, Edith Cavell's Year 5 and 6 kindness club members have added a splash of colour to the neglected shed situated Little Treasure's next to nursery. The year one children were delighted to see the shed's wonderful new look. All members kindness club painted flowers with colours of their choice giving the shed a vibrant touch! (written by Phoebe Y5)



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#### Useful and Kind Club in Action



KINDNESS HUNT

Here at Edith Cavell School we have kindness quotes spotted around this school. Our lovely kindness club have made these for our children of Edith Cavell. Situated around the school so you can have some fun with spotting quotes. We have done this to make everyone have a great day. We hope you come and look at them. (Written by Leah Y5)

## **LINKS WITH THE WIDER COMMUNITY**

Mrs Wibberley has made links with Manton Heights Care Centre across the road from our school. The U&K club were very keen to do something kind for their residents. Some of the projects we are working on has enabled us to include the whole school in taking part. One of the projects we recently completed is making 100 birthday cards for one of their residents who turns 100 years old in mid December <sup>(3)</sup>

Edith Cavell students are making 100 birthday cards for a resident at the old people's home across the street from our school. She will be delighted to see all of her cards from us kind and helpful students. (written by Mia Y5)

We also sang a virtual happy birthday to her via Zoom!

We are making Christmas cards for the residents of the care home opposite our school. (written by Isla Y2)

We didn't want the rest of the residents to feel left out so the rest of the school are making them Christmas cards as written by Isla above.