

WEDNESDAY WORD

Each Wednesday throughout the year, all Year 2 children receive a special gift of the Wednesday Word to share with their family. Over the past few years many children and parents/carers have commented on how they have enjoyed spending a little time together talking about the Gospel stories and completing the very child friendly activities. As well as the information and activities in the leaflet there are also lots of interactive games and activities on the Wednesday Word website, including CAFOD and Fairtrade. (www.wednesdayword.org.uk). We hope you and the children enjoy your gift of the Wednesday Word.

The Wednesday Word
A NATIONAL MISSION TO 21st CENTURY SCHOOL FAMILIES.

The *Wednesday Word* mission aims to help all school families draw closer to God, to the Church and to each other.

The *Wednesday Word* is offered to you as a weekly, special 5 minutes *Family Time* together.

They say that ‘the best things in life are free’ and *The Wednesday Word* is a gift to families because of their connection with a Catholic school. ***Wednesday Word Family Time*** presents an opportunity for parents/carers to enrich relationships with their children through spending a very special 5 minutes together each week.

The children receive the leaflet in school each week for them to take home with them to read with the rest of the family. Every Wednesday a ‘word’, inspired by the coming Sunday’s Gospel, will be suggested for families to talk about in the home. ***The Wednesday Word*** has been structured around the Sunday Gospel, because evidence shows that Gospel values really do help family relationships to thrive.

The Wednesday Word Family Time leaflet is designed in a family friendly fashion to ensure that all family members feel included. It aims to be informative, enjoyable, and to help families maintain a special closeness throughout the school years.

Source (www.wednesdaywork.org.uk)

