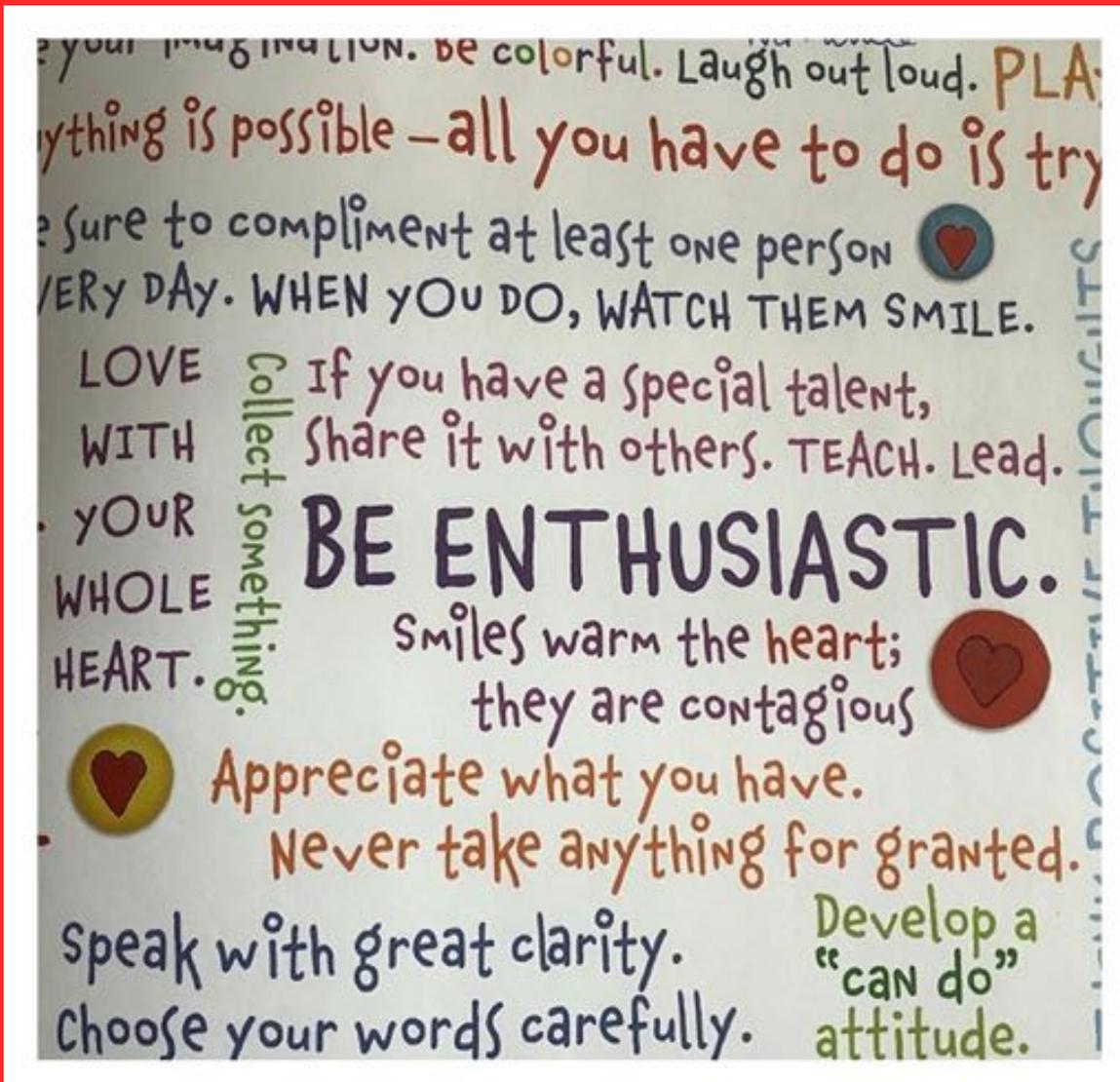


# PUPIL POST

*June 28<sup>th</sup> 2020*



*"In Christ we, though many, form **one body**, and each member belongs to all the others"*  
*St Paul. Romans 12:5*

We welcomed everyone, in BUBBLES and at home, to the wonderful shared assembly to celebrate two great Saints - Peter and Paul.



**AND EVERYONE  
AT HOME!**

Thank you to everyone who read...and Tatenda for his amazing cello performance, plucking and bowing, and, above all, for his great advice: ***keep practising, never give up...and try to have fun! Saints Peter and Paul would certainly have agreed and are examples to us all .***

A weekly gift to you and your family from your Catholic School

# THE WORD

## SHARING SUNDAY'S GOSPEL WITH PARENTS & FAMILIES

### Dear Parents and Carers,

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of our good pastor who chose to lead us through the journey of faith and life.

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus promises the faith in Jesus can be shared. The best of the Gospel that parents should share with the important task of leading the "Church" - a holy which is now understanding from heaven.

celebrating 20<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Reading and sharing the Gospel is a gift to you and your family. It is one of the greatest gifts we can give. Faith in Jesus can be shared. The best of the Gospel that parents should share with the important task of leading the "Church" - a holy which is now understanding from heaven.

Why? Because your child's thoughts about the Gospel is shared with this Sunday's word.

Let them understand

### THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2020

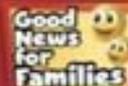


When Jesus came to the house of Simon Peter, he said to the apostles, "Who do you say I am?" They answered, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Jesus replied, "Simon, son of Jonah, you are a happy man because you have seen me and have believed that I am the Son of God. From now on, I will call you Peter, for on this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the underworld will not be able to overcome it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth shall be considered bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be considered loosed in heaven."

Matthew 16:1-19

The good news is that we can share the Gospel through our words and actions.

"The family is the primary cell of society. It is the first school of faith and the first community of prayer."



Having faith is to believe and trust in God's love for us. Faith is one of life's greatest blessings - it is a gift to be shared. The Church exists to help people to grow in their faith and there's no better time than now to explore and refresh your faith. Find out more at: [cbeww.org.uk](http://cbeww.org.uk)



## 1 Our Special Time Together

Enjoy reading the Gospel overleaf for below for younger children!

Jesus asked his disciples, "who do you say I am?" Simon Peter spoke up and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Jesus replied, "Simon, you are a happy man! Because this was made known to you by my father in heaven. So from now on you will be called Peter, which means 'rock', and on this rock I will build my Church. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven."

**What was Simon Peter's reply to Jesus?** Which word or words stood out for you in this Gospel, and why? See the picture opposite. What does it make you think about?



## 2 Wednesday's Word is ...

# FAITH



## 3 Loving God & Each Other

"Faith and love are everything, and nothing is more precious than these."

St Ignace of Antioch

Faith is a gift from God that greatly enriches our lives. A family full of faith is a family full of joy. Ask your child what the word 'faith' means to them. Who do they know who has great faith in God? Who helps them to grow in faith and learn more about God? You may want to tell your child about someone in the family, at school or in the parish who helped you to grow in faith when you were young.

Putting our faith in Jesus helps us to know God as our loving father and helps happiness and love to grow in our families.

As a family, talk about the faith you have in God. What can we do, in these coming weeks, to help our family's faith to grow? Perhaps we can: regularly read and talk about God together and with others; read the gospels; say morning or bedtime prayers together; ask God to help us grow in faith; follow Jesus by loving others; visit [cbeww.org.uk](http://cbeww.org.uk); visit our local parish church website for more ideas.



Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for the gift of faith. Please increase the faith of our family so that we can know you more closely. Amen.



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### WEDNESDAY WORDSEARCH

SMARTSEARCHES FIND THESE EIGHT WORDS EITHER ACROSS OR DOWN

- FATHER HEAVEN
- GAVE PETER
- FAITH BELIEF
- JESUS SON

SUPERSEARCHES FIND THE WORDS BACKWARDS OR DIAGONALLY

Circle out the letters **u b w** in the jumbled words below to find 6 real words.

**libvuwng Churbwist supowkeb swalbdw**

Simon Peter \_\_\_\_\_ up and \_\_\_\_\_. "You are the \_\_\_\_\_, the Son of the \_\_\_\_\_ God."



Search for at least three differences between this picture and the colour one. Then draw them in before colouring.



This Sunday, we celebrate the feast of St Peter and St Paul. Each year, Missio, one of the Pope's official charities, helps us to celebrate this special feast day through their 'Day of Many Colours'. More at: [missiontogether.org.uk/day-of-many-colours](http://missiontogether.org.uk/day-of-many-colours)

Write a promise and then draw a big smile on Friday

This week I will try my best to...



For more, visit: [wednesdayword.org.uk](http://wednesdayword.org.uk) or [cbeww.org.uk](http://cbeww.org.uk)

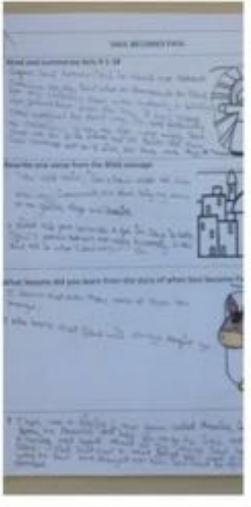
# BUBBLE 11 SHOWING THEY ARE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS USING ST. PAUL'S ADVICE



**St Paul**  
 becomes Paul video

complete the Saul becomes Paul sheet. Use the Bible to help.

became a follower of Jesus.  
 an outline of a foot. Write/ and draw all the ways you can of that show you are a ver of Jesus.





Great perseverance  
and resilience  
demonstrated by  
these young builders

# Paul Klee



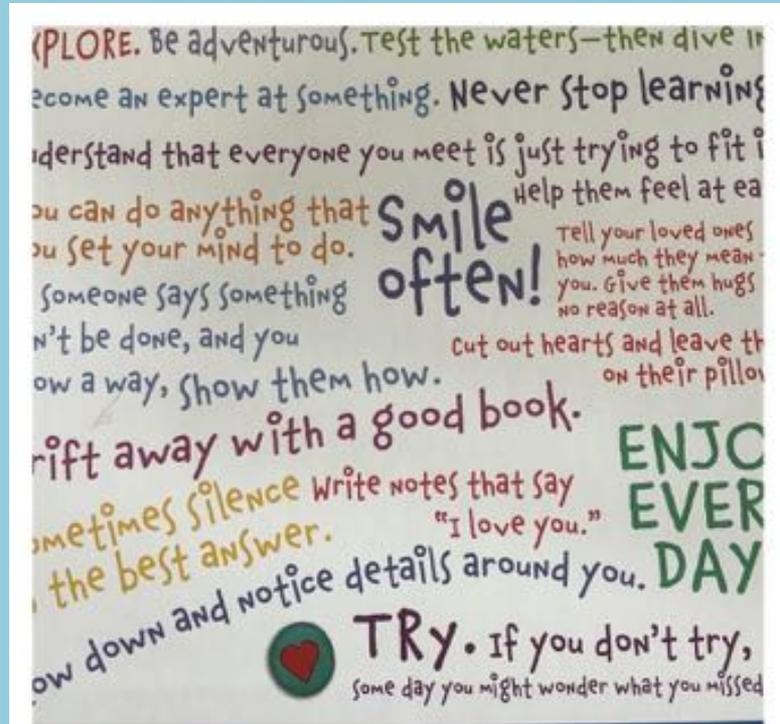
Bubble 7 has been looking at the artist Paul Klee's work called 'Castle in the Sun'. The children used pastels to draw their interpretation of his work.

They also looked at work by Wassily Kandinsky and had a great time colour mixing!

# Wassily Kandinsky

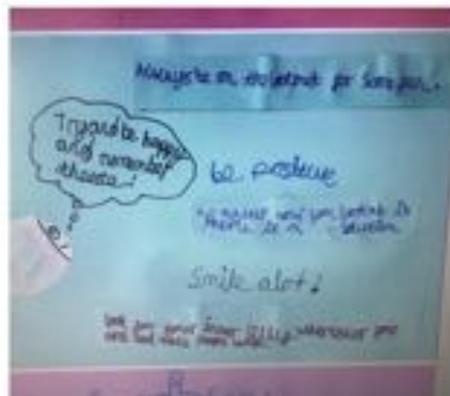
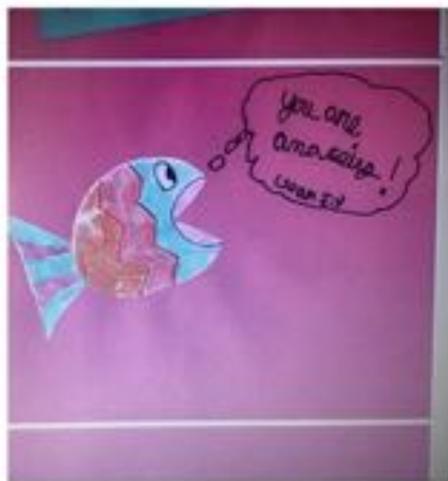


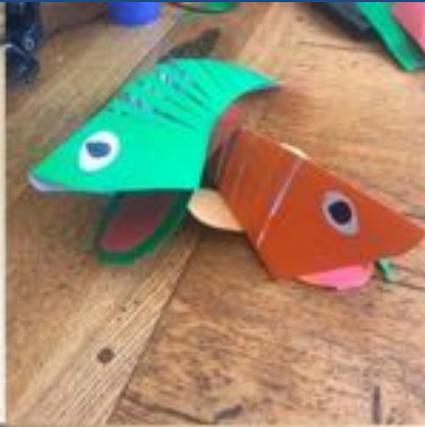
Only One You by Linda Kranz - what wonderful tasks you sent to us this week Y5! <http://m.youtube.com/watch?v=vu9cap>



PIC-COLLAGE

Always be on the lookout new opportunities.  
 Look for kindness wherever you are and show kindness  
 to people you meet.  
 Ask for help when you need to. Help others when you  
 have the chance.  
 Do what you want to do, you don't have to imitate  
 others.  
 Know when to stop; know when to continue.  
 No matter how you look at it, there is so much to disc  
 over.  
 If there isn't going according to plan, don't give up.  
 If something is wrong, don't blame yourself.  
 Set aside some problems and relax.  
 Appreciate the world. It's beautiful!





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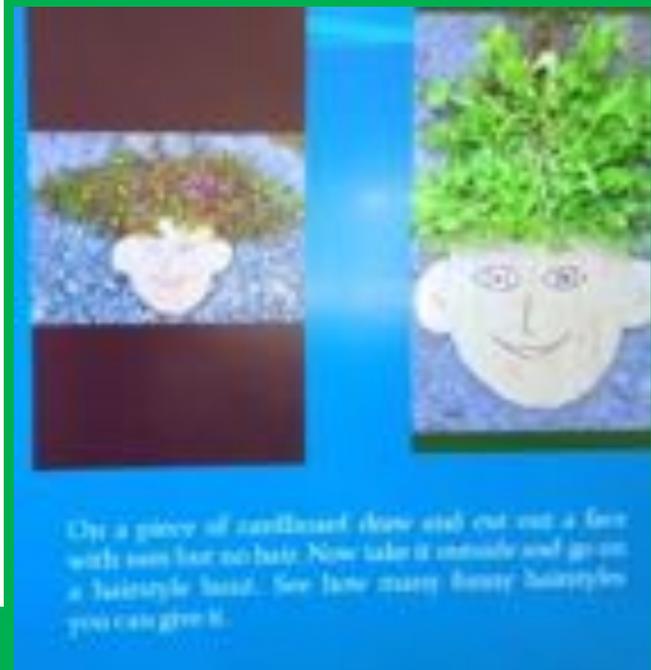




**Playing a  
game  
together  
taking  
turns to  
sound  
out and  
blend  
words -  
or are  
they  
words?**

Bubble 11 pupils  
have been in  
lockdown too long  
as they had some  
crazy hairstyles  
today!

Thanks for the idea  
[@famtriedtested](https://www.instagram.com/famtriedtested)



On a piece of cardstock draw and cut out a face with eyes but no hair. Now take it outside and go on a hairstyle hunt. See how many funny hairstyles you can give it.





Finding out and asking questions

PIC•COLLAGE

# BUBBLE ONE

**EXPLORING A PROGRAMMABLE VEHICLE, USING DIRECTIONAL LANGUAGE.**

*“Look!*

*It’s going forward and doing a wheelie!”*



We explored a variety of tools to apply paint and make different marks





**THANK  
YOU  
Bubble  
12**

**They spend Thursday mornings developing our wildlife learning areas.**

**Look what they have found as they worked!**



In response to an observation and a question:  
Why has the fly died?  
The children used their senses to observe and look closely at the details.

*"The magnifier makes it look bigger!"*

# EYFS playing skittles

We started with 10.

How many have we knocked over?

How many are left standing?

*"Good fun"* said Jack and Henry.





It was lovely to see this young man back in school this week- how you have grown! Great skills have been developed at home; mum loves the help with the Sunday roast!

# PLAYING JENGA WITH A GERMAN COUSIN ONLINE





**Did you know  
there was a  
giant sequoia  
tree in Hampson  
Park? It is huge.  
Thank you for  
sharing Gabriel.**

Diary of a Wimpy  
Kid books all  
read 

Now for David  
Walliams books!!  
Check out my  
Dreamcatcher!





# More pupils have been adding to the Grace Way Covid Cobra

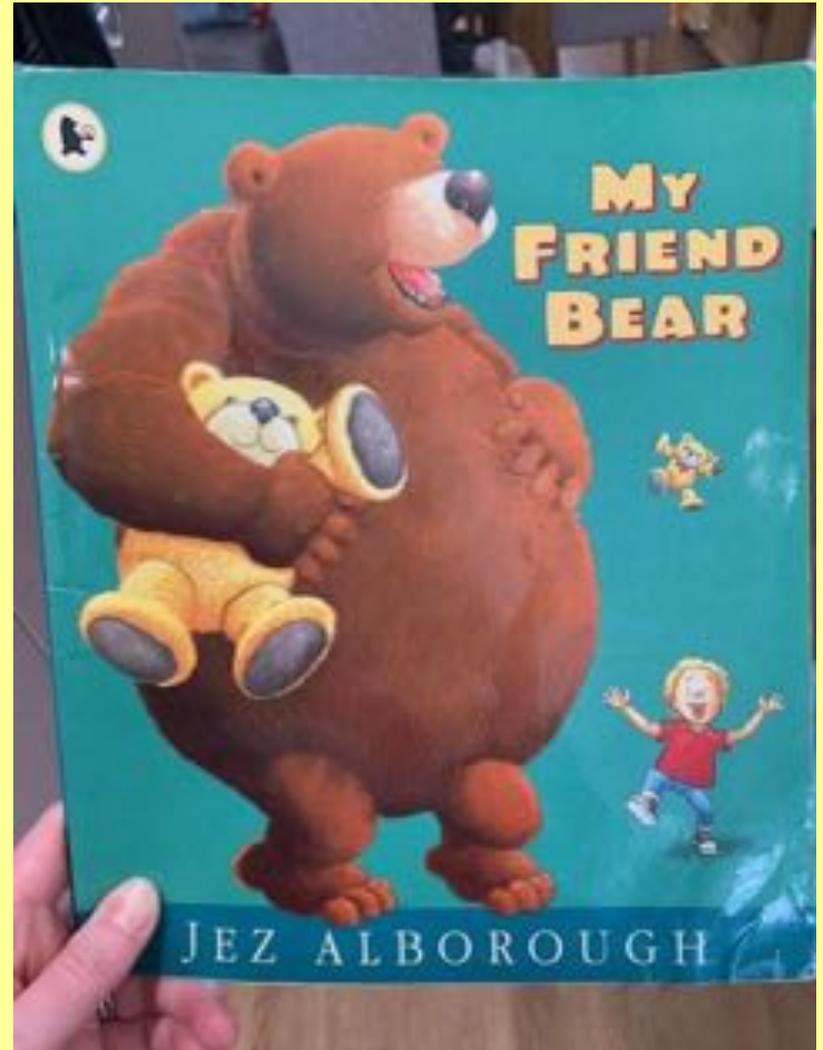
It is lovely to see these two happy brothers out and about, being creative in their learning.

We would love to see what others have been doing.

Please share your pictures and activities.

Email  
[rsherry@stvincent.herts.sch.uk](mailto:rsherry@stvincent.herts.sch.uk)

*How lovely to hear that the whole family enjoys watching Mrs Humphries reading stories and the follow up activities*  
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hXYTocoKPBU>)



Year 5 have enjoyed watching their vegetables grow. They may not have chillies or tomatoes or beans to pick yet, but hopefully by the summer holidays.





## Girlguiding Anglia Midsummer Sleepover Challenge 2020

After a week in school who packed her suitcase and set up her sleeping bag and tent in the garden for a sleepover, helped with a BBQ for Father's Day, made a paper lantern decorated with stickers, watched virtually the sunset in Stonehenge and the CBeebies A Midsummer Night's Dream performance (with Mr. Tumbles playing Nick Bottom!), among many other activities over the weekend?

*It sounds like lots of fun!*





IT LOOKS LIKE YOU ARE HAVING A  
FANTASTIC TIME!  
WE WILL BE BACK TOGETHER AS  
SOON AS WE CAN

# ***OUT AND ABOUT***

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**Exploring  
the woods  
near their  
home.**

*Have you found  
local beauty spots  
and places of  
interests right  
near your home  
since the  
lockdown began?*



# Take Away Play

Thank you for visiting us today.

This is your take away play box from the Stevenage Borough Council Play Section, these boxes are designed so you do not have to share resources with those outside of your household so there is no need to return any of these items to us.

In your box you will find some basic resources and activities that you can complete at home, we also have a Stevenage Safari sheet which you will be able to find animals around the park you are currently in, keep your eyes peeled to complete the sheet. Whilst you are in the park we have also marked out a fitness trail for you to try.

We hope you enjoy the contents of this box and find the ideas inside useful, we will be visiting the Playcentre at the same time each week to give away a new box with new activities.

Please let the Playworkers know the types of activities you enjoy and they may be included in future boxes.



**Stevenage**  
BOROUGH COUNCIL



**AVAILABLE FROM THE  
PLAY CENTRES**

**Thank you for sharing**



# RESILIENCE CALENDAR: JUMP BACK JULY 2020



SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



**We can't control what happens to us, but we can choose how we respond**

5 Avoid saying "must" or "should" to yourself today

6 Put a problem in perspective and see the bigger picture

7 Shift your mood by doing something you really enjoy

8 Get the basics right: eat well, exercise and go to bed on time

9 Help someone in need and notice how that gives you a boost too

10 Don't be so hard on yourself. It's ok not to be ok

11 Reach out to someone you trust and share your feelings with them

12 When things go wrong, be compassionate to yourself

13 Challenge negative thoughts. Find an alternative interpretation

14 Set yourself an achievable goal and make it happen

15 Go for a walk to clear your head when you feel overwhelmed

16 When things get tough, say to yourself "this too shall pass"

17 Write your worries down and save them for a specific 'worry time'

18 Let go of the small stuff and focus on the things that matter

19 Notice something positive to come out of a difficult situation

20 Ask yourself: What's the best thing that can happen?

21 If you can't change it, change the way you think about it

22 Make a list of 3 things that you can feel hopeful about

23 Remember that all feelings and situations pass in time

24 Choose to see something good about what has gone wrong

25 Notice when you are feeling judgemental and be kind instead

26 Get back in touch with a supportive friend and have a chat

27 Write down 3 things you're grateful for (even if today was hard)

28 Catch yourself over-reacting and take a deep breath

29 Think about what you can learn from a recent challenge

30 Ask for help from a loved one or colleague. Be specific

31 Remember that you are not alone. We all struggle at times



**ACTION FOR HAPPINESS**



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Daily actions to look after ourselves and each other as we face this global crisis together

Keep Calm · Stay Wise · Be Kind