

Ely Cathedral Day 2021

In the 2021 Autumn Term, Class 3 took part in Sanctuary, the Ely School Day Project. We shared in an assembly from the octagon tower via Zoom and watched a specially commissioned film showing how people had to move across the country to find sanctuary. We worked on activities linked to the film and thought about how these people would have felt. In the afternoon we linked this to modern refugees and how they could be made to feel welcome in the fictional village of Cherish-next-the-sea. Ideas included planes with banners, big parties, welcome cakes and fireworks spelling out welcome!

I felt sad for the two women Edyth and Byrtha. - Louie

They had to run away from home, had no food and had to hide for two years – Finley

I thought the Ely things were really good, I loved doing the chart stuff. – Eric

