



Miracle

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Success for life

Good News Stories

- Saving Spots initiative protects wildcats and cultural traditions in Zambia.
- Experimental drug shown to 'significantly' slow progression of brain cancer.
- James Webb Space Telescope finds faintest galaxy yet seen.
- Community comes together to ensure cafe can continue to serve free breakfasts.
- Service dog receives his own diploma at graduation.

Miracle

- What has happened over the last week that could be deemed a miracle?

Colombia

- On 1 May, a plane crashed in the Colombian Jungle.
- The wreckage was found on 15 and 16 May
- The three adults on board died (a mother and two pilots).
- The mothers four children survived (Ages 13, 9, 4 and 1).
- The father had moved to Bogota to start a new life for his family, and saved up for months to pay for his wife and children to move to Bogota with him.
- It took **40** days to find them.
- How did they survive?



Colombia

- The eldest two (Age 13 and 9) learnt from their families what fruit in the jungle they can eat.
- They used to play games, setting up 'little camps'.
- They replicated this for the younger two children and themselves to survive.
- A huge operation to find them included 200 soldiers, sniffer dogs, local indigenous tribes, helicopters dropped food parcels and leaflets telling them to stay still.
- When they were found, over the radio it was heard 'miracle, miracle, miracle'.



Colombia

- They are currently in a military hospital receiving treatment.
- They are all doing well.
- Columbia's president, Gustavo Petro said finding the children was a 'magical day'.
- Lesly, Soleiny, Tien and Cristin
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/av/world-latin-america-65865902>



What values did these children show?

- Confidence
- Resilience
- Respect
- Empathy
- Courage
- Ambition
- What do these remind you of?



Free Education

- These children have been promised free education for the rest of their lives.
- Why is this so important and lucky?



In the Western World...

- We take things for granted.
- Examples of these?
- Speaking to the person next to you- what are you most grateful for?