



Newsletter 17th March 2023

There were no pupils of the week or Golden Book this week.

FRIENDLY REMINDERS



- We are a NUT FREE SCHOOL – please don't send food items into school (snacks or packed lunches) that contain nuts.
- Please ensure that your child wears/brings a waterproof/warm coat to school every day. With the weather being quite unpredictable, we need the children to have their coats ready as we do try and get them outside come rain or shine.
- If your child is going to someone else's for tea after school, please ring school to tell us.
- There is NO Forest School session for Year 2 on 23rd March
- Design entries for the Coronation mugs and tea towels need to be in school by Thursday 23rd March

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Monday	Lunchtime – Year 6 Art Club with Miss Harper Lunchtime – French Club – Le Club Francais
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Choir – 3.20–4.20pm Spanish Club – Y1 & Y2 3.20-4.00pm
Thursday	Musical Theatre 3.20pm-4.20pm Y5 & Y6 Netball – 3.20
Friday	

Safeguarding

The Designated Safeguarding Leads for School are:

Mrs White

Mrs Madeley

Mr Stell

Mrs Burcher

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns at all about children's welfare.

Felt Making in Reception

This morning, Reception have been using some Spring lamb fleece to complete some beautiful felt making for a lovely Mother's Day card.



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Neurodiversity Week

This week we are celebrating Neurodiversity Week!

In school, we have learned all about:

-  Autism
-  ADHD
-  Dyslexia
-  Dyspraxia

...and how we can be understanding and supportive of our friends who are Neuro-diverse.

This week, the staff and children have learned all about our brain and how everyone's brain works differently.

The world needs all kinds of minds!



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Year 6 Art Club

The second round of Y6 Art Club is now well underway. The group are currently carving out their designs into lino ready for printing cards and tote bags.



Parent Consultations

An email was sent out on Monday 20th February with a link for you to click to book the appointment. You should have received a separate email for each child if you have more than one child here.

Class	Date of Parent Consultation
Reception – Miss Harper	Tuesday 18 th April
Year 1 – Mrs Burcher/Mrs Pickering	Thursday 27 th April
Year 2 – Mrs Madeley	Wednesday 19 th April
Year 3 – Miss Nicoll	Thursday 20 th April
Year 4 – Mrs Lopiccolo	Wednesday 19 th April
Year 5 – Mrs Stansfield	Thursday 20 th April
Year 6 – Mr Stell	Thursday 20 th April

Attendance

Week commencing 13th March 2023

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	89.3%
Year 1	99.0%
Year 2	97.6%
Year 3	94.2%
Year 4	95.3%
Year 5	95.7%
Year 6	97.9%

Well done to Y1, Y2 and Y6

Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets to come in non-uniform the first Friday back after half term.

Week	Winners
W/C 20.2.23	RED
W/C 27.2.23	RED
W/C 6.3.23	INDIGO
W/C 13.3.23	YELLOW

W/C 20.3.23

Online Safety

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many issues which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

Top Tips for Adopting SAFE & HEALTHY ONLINE HABITS

Everyone has so much going on in their lives, and that includes children: from exams and deadlines to anxiety and mental health struggles. It's quite easy to send memes, make jokes and vent online about the things that irritate us, but when was the last time you – or your child – took a moment to share something kind or positive instead? In fact, when did you last stop and think about your family's online activities? To help keep them safe and teach them healthy online habits, we need to develop our children's digital resilience. There are lots of ways that children can become more digitally resilient, and we've pulled together some popular strategies here...

WHAT IS DIGITAL RESILIENCE?

Resilience doesn't mean being so tough that nothing gets to you, and it's not about "putting up with things" either. Instead, it's the ability to recover from setbacks. Everyone feels sad, worried, scared or upset at times: it's how we respond and adapt to those situations which is important. Digital resilience is about making choices that keep us safe and happy online, even when we're exposed to something negative or upsetting. Building your child's digital resilience will help reduce the impact of potential risks as they engage with and navigate around the online world.

MAKE POSITIVE LIFESTYLE CHOICES

- Make time for the people and things that make you happy.
- Monitor your screen time and stick to your limits.
- On social media, follow people that make you feel good about yourself – and unfollow the ones who don't.
- Spread some positivity: post good reviews, leave encouraging comments and share good news.

KEEP YOUR HEALTH IN MIND

- Try to factor in regular breaks offline and away from your screen – ideally, outdoors for some revitalising fresh air.
- Exercise is a brilliant stress-buster: even a walk around the block, a bike ride or a stroll to your local shop can really work wonders.
- Be strict with yourself about putting devices away in plenty of time before bed: they can interfere with a good night's sleep, which is essential for staying healthy.

REACH OUT FOR SUPPORT

- If you have a problem online, don't be afraid reach out to specialist people or organisations that could help.
- Follow people on socials who have the same values and morals as you.
- You could always talk to a friend, or a trusted adult like a teacher or family member for some advice.

PUT SAFETY FIRST

- If you see something online that upsets or worries you, tell a trusted adult about it as soon as possible.
- You could also report the content that's making you feel uncomfortable to the site or app that you saw it on, so they can look into it.
- Another option is to block the person or the account that's causing you a problem – or you could go one step further by totally deleting the app you were using.

GET THINGS CLEAR IN YOUR HEAD

- Ask yourself what kindness online actually looks like. Can you remember the last time someone was kind or supportive towards you online? What did they do?
- Think about how it makes you feel when someone sends you a positive or funny message online.
- What about the opposite: has someone ever been deliberately unkind to you online? What did they do and how did it make you feel?
- If someone's behaviour online is causing you stress, try to remind yourself of all the steps you can take if a person's being unkind online.

Meet Our Expert

Cayley Jorgensen is a registered counsellor with the Health Professions Council of South Africa, working in private practice to offer counselling to children, teenagers and young adults. She's the founder of Inpage Support, a mobile app focusing on mental health awareness with the goal of providing resources and solutions to schools worldwide.





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CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

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