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Remember to book your child's school dinners for the coming week

Newsletter Friday 21st May 2021

Last week's
attendance
was:
93.4%

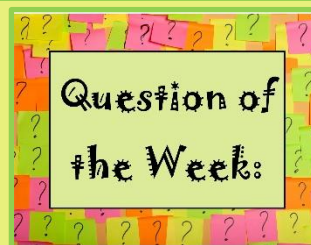
Dear parents/carers,

Despite all the horrible weather we have had this week, the staff have been extremely impressed with how the children have remained focused on completing their learning to the best of their ability. Our intervention groups are in full swing and we are already seeing a measurable impact with the children making connections with their maths number facts, handwriting, reading and spelling. Our nurture groups give the children the opportunity to talk openly with each other in a safe and controlled environment.

Next week, I will be visiting our local pre-schools to see our new reception children in their learning environments. We are looking forward to welcoming them on their first visit on Monday 7th June, from 9-12:15 and every Monday for the next four weeks.

Just to remind you that everyone is welcome into school for our Parent Forum meeting on Tuesday 25th May, 3:30-4:30pm. If you would prefer a Teams link to the meeting, please let us know. If there is anything you would like to add to the agenda, please email this to admin@northlewprimary.org.uk by Monday 12 midday.

Have a wonderful weekend
Mrs Cook



Do you feel safe & happy at school?

Yes- 80%
No- 15%
Unsure- 5%

The children said...

- The reasons they sometimes feel unsafe and unhappy is because they have difficulty finding friends to play with at breaktime and lunchtime.

School Diary

May 2021

Monday – 24th	Yoga after-school club, 3:30-4:30pm
Tuesday – 25th	Supply teacher Mrs Dodd in KS2- all day Forest School (Class 1) Ethos Singing after-school club, 3:30-4:30pm (class 2 only) Parents Forum Meeting, 3:30-4:30pm
Wednesday – 26th	Supply teacher Mrs Geering in KS1- all day Forest School (Class 2) Art after-school club, 3:30-4:30pm (resume after ½ term)
Thursday – 27th	Supply teacher Mrs Jones in KS2- PM TEMPEST - School Photos Swimming-Class 1, 1:30-2:30pm- FINAL SESSIONS! Tuck Shop , 3:15-3:30pm Martial Arts after-school club, 3:30-4:30pm
Friday – 28th	PE (<i>kit + trainers worn to school</i>)



Tempest Photography

Tempest Photography will be back in school on **Thursday 27th May**. We will continue to have our whole school photo taken as planned, but in addition to this we have asked Tempest to take individual photos of our year 6 leavers, new reception children & anyone who has joined us this year. We will be asking Tempest to return in the Autumn term to take individual photos of everyone. Please note, currently we cannot provide sibling photos as this would involve children from separate bubbles coming together. You do not need to do anything; we will arrange for your child's photo to be taken with the proof image sent home with them that day. **All children will need to be wearing their red school jumper on the day.**



**Tuck Shop has moved
to Thursdays,
3:15-3:30pm**



Bikeability Cycling Proficiency

This week our year 5& 6 children took part in Bikeability and have all come away with much more knowledge about how to keep safe when cycling. A big well done to our year5/6 group who showed great endurance and determination through the horrible weather conditions they had to endure.



Summer Fayre 2021

We are excited to announce that we will be holding a Summer Fayre in the school playground on **Friday 25th June, 2:30-4:30pm**, so save the date! More information to follow in our upcoming newsletters.

Forest School News

Children from both classes were able to try peeling sticks with the vegetable peelers this week. Everyone enjoyed working with these unusual woodworking tools and managed to create some lovely smooth wands! Working with wood like this can be a great way to relax and a quiet way to unwind after a busy day at school. All the children concentrated really well to complete the task whilst staying safe by following the Forest School safety rules - ask them to explain to you what we mean by a "blood bubble"!





*Congratulations to the following children for achieving their
gold star certificates!*



SILVER AWARD
150 STARS

Class 1

Tenzo

Class 2

Grace F

Winnie

Hayden



Super Learner's of the Week!

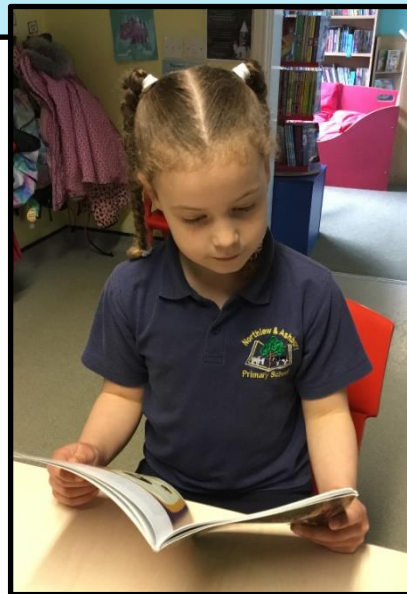
Class 1

Freddie has had an amazing attitude towards his learning this week and has showed a keen desire to complete challenges and learn new skills. Fantastic Freddie, well done!



Class 2

Darcie has embracing her reading and has been extremely enthusiastic about discussing her reading books. Darcie consistently records in her reading record and will ask questions and discuss meaning of vocabulary she has found in her books. Well done, Darcie!



Christian Ethos - 'Trust'

Class 1

During the last 2 weeks, **Zac** and **Alfie** have been superb friends on the playground, gaining trust from the younger children in class 1. They have taught all the class how to play basketball, cared for those who have tripped over on the playground and encouraged reception children during class discussions and tasks. Well done to you both!



Class 2

During playtime **Grace** and **Marjorie** were initially wary of the frisbees. By working together as a team, they had trust in each other and shown that they are trustworthy in carefully throwing the frisbee to each other and therefore have developed their confidence so much so that they were able to complete 50 throws and catches to. Well done Grace and Marjorie!



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