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This week

This week has certainly flown by as we come to the end of week 3!

We have had a brilliant week in school where the children have shown excellent behaviour and attitude towards their learning.

It is great to hear children in the playground being excited about their learning and wanting to show the wonderful work which they have produced in class.

Year 5 and 6 had the opportunity to listen to a talk about the Muslim faith as we had a special visitor named Imam in school. He informed the children all about the Muslim beliefs and the children then had the opportunity to ask any questions. Imam will also be visiting our other classes over the coming weeks.

Attendance

Well done to this week's winners:
Year 3

Attendance this week: 94.6%
Attendance this year: 96.2%
Attendance target: 96.5%

Dates for the diary

Tuesday 26th September
Y1 Class Trip - Conisborough Castle

Y3 & Y4 Modern Muslim Talk

Thursday 28th September
Macmillan Coffee Morning

Friday 29th September
Y5 Class Trip - Jorvik Centre

Y3 & Y4 Handball inter-schools competition (your child will receive a letter on Monday if selected for this event)

Tuesday 3rd October
Y1 & Y2 Modern Muslim Talk

Thursday 5th October
Harvest Festival in church

Friday 20th October
Individual & sibling school photographs

Year 6 visit the National Coal Mining Museum



Year 6 had a wonderful experience last week where they learnt all about what it was like down the mine. They also learnt about how people lived during the Victorian times and the horrible conditions that children as young as 5 used to work in. One of their favourite parts was definitely seeing the pit ponies!

After School clubs



It has been great to see so many children participating in our after school clubs. The children have loved every minute of learning new skills and taking part in the team games.

Donations

We would be grateful to receive donations of personal items for the Hygiene Bank.

We are in need of the following:

- Toothpaste & toothbrushes for assorted ages
- Body wash/shower gels/hand wash
- Body sprays / deodorants
- Sanitary towels / feminine products

If you would like to donate cakes, buns & biscuits for the Macmillan Coffee Morning please bring these into the school office from Tuesday, the 26th September.

Twitter (X)

Please make sure you are following your child's class Twitter (X) page.

EYFS - @WoodhouseClass
Year 1 - @MiltonClass1
Year 2 - @FitzwilliamY2
Year 3 - @BiramClass
Year 4 - @NewcomenClassY4
Year 5 - @RockinghamClass
Year 6 - @HooverClass1

Spotlight on Year 2

We have had a busy time in Year 2 since learning all about Harvest Festivals.

We enjoyed making turnip soup after re-telling the story of The Enormous Turnip but we were not so keen on the taste! We also made stick puppets in groups and a clay turnip! We have also learnt about Sukkot, the Jewish Harvest. We made Sukkah huts and sang songs.

Year 2 have also been busy with spelling as well as reading and writing sentences using adjectives and verbs.

Today was very exciting in maths because we were using our rekenrek counting frames for the first time.

