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This week...

we have had a great week in school where the children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in our Harvest Festival.

The children had been learning all about how different faiths celebrate Harvest, which included writing and art activities.

Listening to the children speak clearly and confidently was a great pleasure and received many compliments from parents / carers as well as our wonderful staff. If you look on our website there are plenty of photographs.

Have a wonderful weekend and we look forward to another exciting week next week!

Attendance

Well done to this week's winners:
Year 5

Attendance this week: 91.9%
Attendance this year: 94.0%
Attendance target: 96.5%

Reading

Our library in school is now fully up and running thanks to Miss Upton. All children have a timeslot throughout the week where they can change their books and choose other ones to take home. Ask your child what they are reading and if they can tell you all about their story...

Dates for the diary

Wednesday 11th October
EYFS eye test

Friday 13th October
Year 1 & Year 2 Handball competition (by invite only)

Monday 16th - Friday 20th October
Scholastics Book Fair

Wednesday 18th & Thursday 19th October
Parents' Evening

Friday 20th October
Individual & sibling school photographs

Friday 27th October
TT Rock Stars Day - Dress up as a Rockstar
Break up for half term

Monday 6th November
Back to school

Cost of living event

We are hosting a Cost of Living event today from 3:30pm - 4:30pm which is organised by Stephanie Peacock.

This event is open to parents and carers as well as the wider community where you can access valuable advice about the cost of living.

We hope to hold other important events at our school soon.

Inter Schools Competitions

Reminder that every week a small group of children will participate in the SMAT inter schools sporting competitions.

It's our aim to ensure that all children take part in at least one of these competitions in the school year.

Your child will bring a letter home with details if they have been selected to take part in the competition.

If you would like your child to be eligible to take part in these events then please make sure to return your permission slip.

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 3

We've had such a busy start to the year and have all settled well into Year 3.

This week we planned an exciting science investigation to find out which material offers the best protection from UV light. We will be sending our results off to be collated with other school's results. This will be used to inform the space agency because astronauts are exposed to high UV levels when maintaining their spacecrafts.

We also held an election to find our collective worship class leaders, all the children spoke so passionately about why they wanted to support our school worship.

