



Small School Big Ideas

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A Nut Free School



Dear Parents,

I can't believe it is nearly Easter! We had a super week last week with Red Nose day raising over £40 (amount to be announced later) and planting 60 trees in our 'future forest'! We all also took part in 'Let's Count', with every child in school learning about the census.

This week we have lots of 'egg-citing' Easter activities planned and we will certainly be enjoying the beautiful spring weather at every possible opportunity.

Celebrations

Last week, our superstars were:

- Bonny (in Rowan) for being a chatty, enthusiastic member of the class
- Thomas (in Willow) for trying incredibly hard with all his work
- Will (in Oak) for putting great effort into his writing, with fabulous results



My Headteacher's award went to Betsy for her maturity and for having a super attitude to school life.

If you would like join our Celebration Worship on Friday, via zoom, then please use the usual CW link details. Please note that it is at 1.15pm.

Picture News

Story: Sunday 21st March 2021 was census day when we answered questions that give a snapshot of daily life in UK every ten years (Scotland's will take place next year).

Question: Why do we need a census?

Virtual Assembly: Found on the Picture News website, just add /discuss



Compassion Trust Perseverance

TTRockstars

For this week, all year groups will compete between each other. There will be a Rockstar of the Week from KS1 and KS2 each week. The battles run from Monday to Sunday.

After Easter we will go back to two year groups battling against each other, timetable attached.

Easter Trail

Similar to the Advent Trail held in the village at Christmas, Naburn is holding its first Easter Trail this year. Please see the poster sent previously for more information. This promises to be a lovely Easter event for everyone. Watch out for our school window, being worked on this week by Oak class.

Parents' evenings

A letter was sent out last week, via Parentpay. The deadline for replying is Friday, please.

Class Photos

Class, Year Group and Individual photos will take place on Tuesday 13th April. We have worked hard with the photographer to ensure that Covid guidelines are followed. There is an opportunity for siblings in different bubbles to be photographed before school at the village hall. Sibling photos will take place between 8.30am and 9am. We can only accommodate siblings who attend our school (pre-school siblings are not able to be photographed this time, unfortunately). Please queue outside the hall and be prepared to wait if necessary so that we can keep you all safe and socially distanced.

Anti-Bullying Booklets

I am delighted to tell you that Anthony Buckley at the Blacksmith's Arms has bought each child in school a booklet to raise awareness of bullying. This is a super way to benefit our children and to develop community within our village. We are very grateful and the booklets will be sent home on Friday.

Easter Egg Competition

We sadly won't be running our usual Easter Egg decorating competition in school this year, but if your child does still wish to decorate an egg, please send in a photograph of their creation and we will award prizes after Easter. Remember, don't be tempted to help!! The deadline for entries is Sunday April 11th. We will also be awarding chocolate prizes to last year's winners on our return after Easter too! Don't worry, we haven't forgotten!

Parent Questionnaire Results

Governors and I have been looking carefully at the responses to the parent questionnaire and a letter will follow this week. Many thanks to those who filled this in to help us as we move our school forward.

Water bottles

Just a reminder that children must only bring water to school in their bottles. Juice, or other drinks, are not allowed.

Parking

Another reminder to park considerately when dropping off or collecting your child from school. Never park across anyone's drive and do not park on the double or single yellow lines, or across the pavement. The pub very kindly allow us to use their car park at drop off and pick up so please use that if there are spaces.

Lateral Flow Testing

Just another reminder that adults in households, and also childcare or support bubbles, of primary school pupils can get twice-weekly lateral flow covid testing. Tests are available:

- through your employer if they offer testing to employees
- at a local test site
- by collecting a home test kit from a test site
- by ordering a home test kit online

Please use the following link for further information about how to obtain the tests:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/rapid-lateral-flow-testing-for-households-and-bubbles-of-school-pupils-and-staff>

Tests are to be taken twice a week (3 or 4 days apart) and all results must be reported to NHS Test and Trace on the day the test was taken. If you test positive, you must start to isolate immediately, follow the stay at home advice and report positive results to school.

Please note, testing for households is voluntary, but it can play a big part in helping to keep our school safe and covid-free so please do start testing if you are able to.

Do have a lovely Easter and continue to stay safe and healthy.

Many thanks,

Mrs Christison, Headteacher