

School Newsletter



Naburn Church of England Primary School



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Headteacher's Introduction

Welcome back to a new half-term and new-look newsletter!

Our children have had a great start to the half-term and are very much immersed in their new topics already. I hope that they are sharing their learning with you. If they're not, why not ask them about it when they get home tonight? EYFS have been making sure little Red Riding Hood had a basket full of healthy food for her poorly Grandma (not sure what the wolf would make of this!). KS2 have also started their new topic of Roman Britain (The Empire strikes back – remodelled!) and could tell me lots of facts about it already. We've also had a visit from Tony (YoYo) and have been writing some personification poetry – more to come in our Easter service!

Our Easter Church service is on Thursday 21st March - please pop this into your diary - as always, we would love for you to attend.

Have a great weekend and wonderful week.

Mrs Durham

AND THE WINNERS ARE...

Attendance House Winners

Aspiration & Respect

House Point Winners

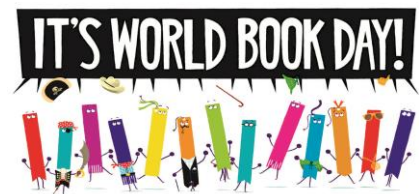
Community

Celebration Certificate Winners



HEALTHY SNACKS

Can everyone please ensure that all morning snacks sent in for KS2 are healthy as we have been having an increase of crisps and chocolate appearing - thanks



This year World Book Day falls on Thursday 7th March and the theme is 'Read your Way!'

We will be doing a number of things to celebrate... more information will follow soon!

Our attendance this week is: 91.5%

The National Average is: 94.3%



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Early Years children have had lots of fun exploring the outdoor area in the lovely Spring sunshine. Using our problem-solving skills, we had to make a route for Little Red Riding Hood to follow. Our challenge was to help keep Red Riding Hood's feet dry when she had to cross the stream. Some of us were more successful at than others! It was so lovely to see our school value of respect in action with lots of super teamwork and cooperative play. What a wonderful time!



Acorn Class



In our computer lesson this week we have been learning all about Pictograms. First we created different Pictograms. Next we had to interpret them by answering a series of questions. We used a few different programs and worked our way through the challenges set. Our favourite program was Fuzz Bugs Graphing where we could design our very own Fuzz Bug once we had finished all the challenges. If you would like to have a go at this at home, follow the link.

https://www.abcya.com/games/fuzz_bugs_graphing



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YEAR 3/4

"The Iron Man came to the top of the cliff.

How far had he walked? Nobody knows. Where had he come from? Nobody knows. How was he made? Nobody knows..."



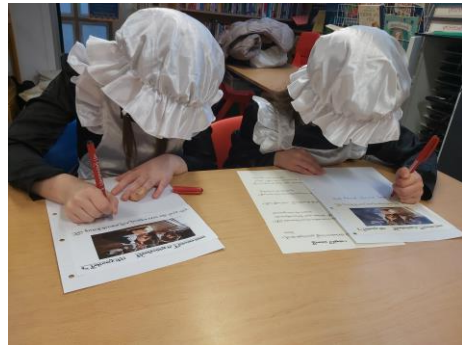
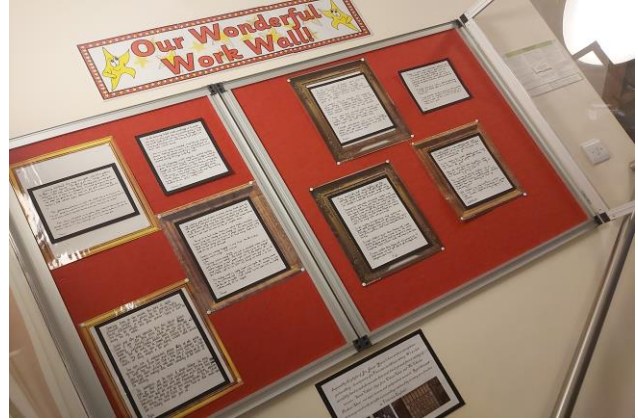
Sycamore Class

Having studied 'the Iron Man' by Ted Hughes in depth this week, Years 3 & 4 really enjoyed creating and acting out their favourite tableaux from the story.



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Year 5/6 KS2 have just about recovered from 'The Return of Miss Thirkettle'! As part of our Victorian studies, she put the children through a morning of rote learning, dunce's caps and caning but, thankfully, has now disappeared back to 1872! We have made such a positive start to this half term so when you are in school for parents' night, please do pause on the KS2 stairway to read Y5/6's phenomenal descriptions of Victorian workhouses. They are a harrowing, but impressive, read!



DON'T FORGET!

It's our St Crux event tomorrow – The PTA are holding a pre-loved sale and café at St Crux, on Saturday 2nd March, between 10am – 4pm. This is a true group effort from the school community, showing that we may be small but we can still do great things when we come together. The stalls and café will all be manned by parent and family volunteers, giving up their Saturday purely to show love and support for the school. This is also the biggest opportunity we have to raise much needed funds, all of which will go straight back into school to make sure that the children have the resources to enable them to have the best experiences possible at Naburn. There will be some fabulous pre-loved items on sale, so people are encouraged to come early to grab a bargain. The café will be full of delicious, home baked goods, as well as freshly made hot and cold sandwiches, perfect for a lunch time or just a quick break. So if you can make it please come along and see us.