



22nd March 2024

Message from Mr Hartmann

Although it has been a very short term, we have managed to fit a lot in. It was good to see some of you at parents evening and I would like to take this opportunity to say thank to those of you who have completed the questionnaires. I will share the results of these after the holidays once we have collated them.

I hope the holidays allow you all to have some time together with your families and that you enjoy the break.

I look forward to seeing you all in the summer term and sharing with you future successes of the pupils during that time.

Mr Hartmann

Key Dates

Monday 8th April - Start of summer term

Tuesday 9th April - Weekly cricket lessons start for Y4 and PLA

Wednesday 10th April - Attendance Tea party

Year 5 Peter Pan





Our wonderful performance is now over! We had such a lovely time rehearsing, singing and learning how to put on a show. We are so proud of our brilliant, talented and committed cast. Thank you to all the parents who supported the children with singing the songs, learning lines and coming to watch our performance. We really happy that we've had such great feedback from it.

We have concluded our time with Peter Pan by having a cast party and awards.

Well done year 5, you've totally set the standard. We are so very proud of you.

Year 5 Team

Parent's Evening

Thank you to all of you who attended parents evening, it was lovely to see so many of you. The kitchen put on some fantastic tasters for you and we welcome your feedback on this to help dinners be the best for the children. The new menu will start after Easter and this has been added to the newsletter for you to have a look at. Any questions, please contact the school office for more information.

Rugby for pupils at the High School



Children visited the High School on Monday 18th March to compete in tag rugby. Withernsea Primary School took two teams to compete. The event involved some skills development before competing in 3 matches. Very proud of our children who came 1st and 4th at the competition. They were outstanding Ambassadors for our school, their behaviour and manners were exceptional.

Cross country county finals



A group of our children competed at the County Finals on Tuesday. We had a range of Key Stage 2 pupils that competed in their heat. Well done to all of the children that did an amazing job representing our school.

The Lookout Pop-up Hub

**Are you a parent or carer of a child with SEND
(Special Educational Needs +/-or Disabilities?)**

**Pop-up Hub
Withernsea Primary School 12th April
9:00-10:30am**

We have invited

- Withernsea Children's Centre
- Life Skills Hub •Social Prescribers
- Hull College •KIDS
- New Options Ltd Speech & Language Service
- Neurodevelopmental Team
- Portage •Rewilding Youth
- EYPCF •Preparing for Adulthood
- SENDIASS. 0-25 SEND
- Barnados

**And of course The Lookout will be there!
If there is a particular agency you are hoping to
see please get in touch.**

**This is open to families of children of all ages, as
well as to Home Educated families.**

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1 - We are very excited to announce our first collaboration with The Lookout. They will be hosting a pop-up hub in our school on Friday 12th April 9-10:30. We look forward to seeing you all at this event!

Golf

We have had Ivan Oliver in again to help us learn some golf skills. He has shown our children some amazing golf techniques and they all had fun. Maybe we'll see a future golf star rising through the rankings soon!





Why is attendance important?

Working together

We will be working with you to keep you updated on your child's attendance by sending out letters at key points to inform you of your child's attendance should it go below 95% and to invite you in to find ways to work together to support your child's attendance.

Punctuality It is important that your child attends school every day and on time. Arriving late to school is unsettling for children and disrupts the start to their day. Did you know? 10 minutes late every day = 33 hours lost learning each year!!

Weekly Attendance

This week's whole school attendance was 92.1%

RCE -93.3%

RJH -91.5%

1LA -87.8%

1DT - 95.7%

2SH -91.1%

2CH - 86.8%

2OD -98.5%

3AF - 93.8%
3CB - 85.7%
3LF - 91.1%
4CM - 94.5%
4KB - 92.5%
4ML - 88.1%
5CC - 93%
5LW - 97.1%
5RT - 94.1%
6EK - 94.2%
6KC - 88.8%
6RL - 96.5%
Provision - 82%

E-Safety - YouTube



Another primary school setting kindly shared concerns regarding young pupils potentially accessing age-inappropriate video materials at home online. This involved some Y1 (5/6 year old pupils) sharing that they are aware of a film called 'Five Nights At Freddie's' - which is certified for age 13 and older - but they have been signposted to it through what looks to be quite innocent means a kidstube programme known as 'Milo and Chip'. The link below provides further information and advice that you may wish to check out to ensure children are safe on-line.

Halloumi Burger



Ingredients

- 2 x 225g packs halloumi
- 1 x large carrot
- 50ml apple cider vinegar
- 1 x tsp caster sugar
- 1 x large vine tomato – thinly sliced
- 120g grilled peppers
- 1 x small baby gem lettuce
- 20ml olive oil
- 4 x tsp chilli sauce
- 1 x pack 4 Specially Selected seeded brioche buns
- Salt and black pepper

Method

1. Peel the carrot – then peel into ribbons.
2. Put the cider vinegar and sugar into a bowl, season with salt and pepper and add the carrot ribbons, marinate for 10 mins then strain off the liquid.
3. Quarter the lettuce, pull apart the leaves – wash and pat dry.

4. Drain the halloumi – cut each block into 4 slices.
5. Brush them with the olive oil.
6. Preheat the airfryer to 180°C. Put the slices onto the fry basket – don't overlap.
7. Close the fry basket. Cook for 8 mins.
8. Meanwhile split the buns and toast the cut sides.
9. Divide the lettuce leaves, grilled peppers, tomato and carrot strips, along with 2 slices of fried halloumi on the bases.
10. Drizzle with some chilli sauce then put on the tops and serve.

Don't forget to send the pictures in of any recipes you try!

Class News



2 - Nursery

Nursery

We have had an amazing time the past few weeks, experiencing the farm animals visiting and making bread rolls from our story The Little Red Hen.

The children have been loving preparing for Easter with different Easter activities like playing with chicks, eggs and making Easter crafts.

In maths the children have been exploring ABAB patterns using different objects, as well as potato stamping to make patterns.

We have been practicing our pencil control and copying/tracing lines.

Have a great Easter!

22.03.24



3 - Reception

Reception

We have had a very busy couple of weeks in foundation stage, enjoying meeting farm animals and getting to learn about them and touch them.

As part of our literacy topic, we have been reading Little Red Hen and we have baked bread to try from the story.

The children have been enjoying Easter crafts this week and reading We're going on an egg hunt in preparation for Easter holidays.

In maths, the children have been doing amazing with 3D shapes talking about the faces and the curved edges.

In PE this week, the children listened to the golf coach Ivan really well and enjoyed learning skills to support playing golf.

Have a lovely Easter!

22.03.24





Year 1

Another fun week full of activities for year 1!

This week we have loved experiencing Easter Crafts afternoon with our parents as well as an Easter Egg hunt on Friday!

In English we have worked hard on mastering our letter formation and making a poster to help to remind others to wash their hands.

In Design and Technology we have loved making our alien themed puppets and showing them to EYFS we are very proud of all of our hard work and determination to use a needle and thread.

In Maths, we have worked hard to consolidate our knowledge of topics we have looked at already in Year 1. The children have loved experimenting with capacity and volume, making comparisons between the two.

We hope you have a lovely Easter break!

Mrs Lambert, Miss Huteson and Mrs Armstrong





Year 2

We have had a fabulous last two weeks of the term in Year 2.

We have thoroughly enjoyed our writing topic based on Withernsea Lighthouse. After receiving a letter from the Aliens asking about the 'white tower', we have created a fantastic set of fact files.

In maths we have also been working super hard telling the time this last week. The children have loved using the clocks in class to show O'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to times and have even been practising at home!

We had some very special visitors come in from the RNLI to talk to us about water safety as part of our History topic on Grace Darling. We got to listen to the volunteers from the RNLI explain the impact that Grace Darling's act of bravery has had on the modern world.

We would really like to thank everyone that attended our craft afternoon this week, the children and staff thoroughly enjoyed it.

We hope you all have a lovely Easter Holiday and we look forward to welcoming you back in the Summer Term.

Many thanks

Mrs Deighton, Miss Hall and Mrs Sansam

Year 3 22.03.24

We have had a very busy finish to the spring term. Last week, we performed our Easter songs to parents and the younger year groups. We have been practising them over the last few weeks and the children all sang amazing.

We also enjoyed a drama workshop, this focused on big emotions and how we can try to deal with them and also support other people who might be finding it difficult.

We have been flat out working, we continue with our fractions topic, looking at equivalent fractions, adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator. In writing we have planned our ending to the 3 little pigs with a twist. We cannot wait to get stuck into writing after the holidays.

We finished our netball sessions with a mini tournament, the children were able to use the skills they have learnt over the half term. They thought about tactics and worked well as a team.

We have finished the term with some Easter activities, a treasure hunt and a little bit of crafts. We hope you all enjoy the time off over Easter and manage to enjoy some good weather whatever you are doing.

Year 3 Team

Mrs Bagnall, Mrs Feeney, Mr Fox and Mrs Egan



4 - Mini netball tournament



5 - Hot seating as the Big Bad Wolf



6 - Drama group all about big emotions

Year 4 21.03.24

What a fun week in year 4!

We would firstly like to thank you all for attending our Easter Performance last week! The children and staff thoroughly enjoyed it and the turn out was incredible! We loved watching year 5's production of Peter Pan, what a treat! PE has been fun, we have had our final session of Tag Rugby which the children have thoroughly enjoyed! In English, we have come to the end of our unit on Octopodi and the children have written some brilliant pieces of work including speech, action and plenty of adverbials! The children have enjoyed writing their hot writes and presenting them to the class! In Maths, we have come to an end of our unit of fractions and the children are looking forward to starting a new topic of decimals after the Easter break! Thank you for your continued hard work this term, we hope you all have a wonderful Easter break and look forward to hearing all about it on Monday 8th April :D

Year 4 team



7 - Year 4, enjoying the health session from the East Riding team. 8-3-24.

It has been an extremely busy week in Year 5 with most of the week being focussed on finalising and performing Peter Pan. The children have shown such determination and resilience and we are so proud of them all. This week also saw the end of swimming lessons for those attending with all pupils showing incredible progress week on week. In our writing we have been doing writing our own version of Journey by Aaron Becker. In Maths we have completed our topic on fractions and have begun to look at decimal numbers.

We hope you all have a wonderful Easter holiday and look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 8th April.

The Year 5 team



8 - Year 5

In English, we have completed our work on 'The Piano' and the children have produced some fantastic hot-writes. In science, we have been learning about the impacts drugs and alcohol can have on the human circulatory system. In guided reading, we finished reading our class book 'Letters from the Lighthouse' - linking to our history topic WW2. Last week, we had an extra tag rugby session provided by Hull FC for year 6 - the children really enjoyed taking part in this on the field. Additionally, year 6 attended an Easter service at St Matthews, where they represented our school beautifully. This week, the children watched the year 5 'Peter Pan' play rehearsal, they were very respectful throughout and many remarked on how much they enjoyed the songs, acting and costumes.

We would like to thank all parents who attended parents evening. It was lovely having the opportunity to share and discuss children's successes and hard-work. Have a lovely weekend.

The Year 6 team

19.03.24



9 - Year 6



10 - We have had a lovely week in both provision classes. In The Reef, we have finished our topic about plants and enjoyed dissecting a lily to see what was inside. We have also had lots of fun making Easter cards and learning about the story of Easter. We have almost finished our maths topic of measuring length in m cm and mm. Our next topic is mass and capacity.

In the Rainbow Room we have loved learning about Easter and have had lots of fun with the activities Miss Crick and Miss Hanlon have set up for us. There are lots of pictures on dojo for you to look at. We have finished our topic on plants and after the holidays, we will be thinking about favourite books. The book we will look at first is called 'After the Fall.'

Have a lovely break, thank you to all those who came to our craft afternoon.