

Hunton & Arrathorne Community Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 9th 2021

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have come to the end of another busy week, and now only have two weeks left until the summer holidays. I know how everyone is ready for a really good rest. A lot of schools in the local area have suffered from 'bubbles' closing over the last few weeks, and we are reminded that we really must 'keep going' until restrictions change. As a school, our risk assessment will not change on 19th July and will remain until the end of term.

We had a busy start to the week on Monday. Our new Reception starters joined us for an after-school session and Class 2 and 3 had a great time at Barrowfields Nature Reserve on Monday, investigating rivers. The children were, of course, wonderful ambassadors for our school during the visit. I also had the pleasure of tasting some of the delicious elderflower cordial the Class 1 children had foraged for! A big thanks to Mrs. Robson for organising the morning. I know Class 1 have exciting plans for Monday and their 'Rainbow Art Day' – I can't wait to see what they get up to!

Thank you for your continued support. Let's hope it comes home!
Mr Donaldson



Safety Reminder

Please do not allow your child to balance / sit on the railings outside of the main gate.

'Meet the Teacher' Drop-in

Next Tuesday (13th) July, we will be inviting parents onto the school playground for an informal meet and greet with teachers for next year. Please do come and join us to say 'hello' if you can!

REMINDERS!

We thought it might be useful to jot down a few reminders of items or slips which we would appreciate bringing into school before the summer holidays if you possibly can:

- Any old white long or short sleeve adult shirts!
- A photo of your child with their special people, which we can use in class in September.
- Any old dressing up or fancy dress costumes which we can use at break-times!
- Carlton Lodge or Robinwood slips (Class 2/3)
- Please also make sure your Parent Pay accounts are up-to-date before the end of term.



Let's Celebrate!



	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Above & Beyond <i>(Care – Aspire – Excel)</i>	Olivia	Georgia	Neve
Writer of the Week	Charlie	Ronnie	Thomas
Mathematician of the Week	Faye	George	Samuel M
Tidy Classroom	Class 3		
Team Point Winners	Kusama & Riley		

Around the Classes...

Class 1: What a busy week in Class 1! We began by having a foraging feast! After collecting elderflowers and blackcurrants we made cordial and jam. They were delicious. Our writing has been centred around a stormy lighthouse painting - we wondered who was there? What had happened? Was there any danger? We have written some exciting stories about a wide range of characters. All of our weather learning has led us to an art focus happening on Rainbow Day - next Monday - come wearing rainbow colours!

Class 2: Following on from our visit to Barrowfields Nature Reserve, class 2 have been writing recounts of the morning. We have been thinking about detail and descriptive language as well as chronological order. The children were really surprised about the number of tiny creatures that you can find in such a small area. In maths, year 2 have been looking at reading scales for weight and containers measures for capacity. Years 3 and 4 have continued their work on perimeter and area and tried hard to investigate the areas of more difficult shapes.

Class 3: Class 3 have had a wonderful week full of learning and fun as we approach their final two weeks in school. They have continued to develop their ratio and proportion skills in maths; completed their Unaided Writing activities and devised their own playground games in P.E. We also had some super discussions in our News Assembly about various current affairs – from lockdowns been relaxed to the Euros! Well done Class 3.

Lunch Menu



Why not try one of delicious school lunches? The menu for next week is below:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza Diced Potatoes, Peas & Sweetcorn or Bolognese Jacket Potato ***** Peaches & Icecream or Fresh Fruit	Tuna & Sweetcorn Pasta Bake Mixed Salad & Coleslaw or Spanish Baked Beans Omelette ***** Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt	Beef Lasagne Crunchy Vegetable Sticks or Tomato & Basil Pasta Pot ***** Fruity Gingerbread & Custard or Fresh Fruit	<u>SEASIDE SPECIAL</u> Crispy Battered Fish & Chips or Cheese & Onion Pasty & Chips Mushy Peas & Ketchup ***** Doughnut Muffin or Fresh Fruit	Sausage Roll with Saute Potatoes, Green Beans & Sweetcorn or Baked Beans Jacket Potato ***** Choc Surprise Cake & Choc Sauce or Fresh Fruit