Triangle Primary School Weekly Newsletter

'Learning, Excellence, Respect'

23rd February 2024

Class R Visit Halifax Library

This week Reception Class went to spend time in the library in Halifax. They enjoyed stories, sang songs and found out about some of the different things you can go to a library for. Most children also made themselves a member of the library, coming away with their first library book to enjoy at home.



Class 3 Invade York!

Going slightly further afield this week were Class 3, who made a trip to Murton Park near York to kick off their latest history topic. The children spent the day immersing themselves as Roman invaders, learning lots about what it was like for the soldiers.

Gabbie said her favourite thing was chasing the Celt, and Elliot said his favourite part was getting to use the Roman weapons.

What a great way to kick start a new topic, I am sure the children will feel inspired to learn more.

Do Everything in Love – Our Exhibition Was a Great Success!

Last half term ended with an exhibition of poetry and art based on the theme of 'Love'. Every class contributed artwork and poetry and it came together to make a brilliant display.

Thank you to everyone who came to see the children's work, we hope you enjoyed looking at it. Thanks also to Savannah, who accompanied the exhibition with some lovely piano music. What a talented young person she is!



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Representing Calderdale at the West Yorkshire Cross Country Finals

This week saw a group of our lower juniors go to Temple Newsome in Leeds to represent Calderdale after progressing through to the West Yorkshire Cross Country Finals. Each and every runner gave their all with everyone completing the muddy course as fast as they could. We still await the results, but every one of them can feel proud of their performance.



To enrich their science studies this half term, Class two have been joined by some very special visitors. We took a delivery of eggs at the start of the week, but they have now been replaced by chicks!

It has been amazing for the children to observe the chicks breaking out of the eggs and 'fluffing up' under the warmth of the incubator.

They are already eating and moving around the enclosure. The class look forward to watching them grow next week.

World Book Day – 7th March

Just a reminder about World Book Day. It is on

Thursday 7th March and this year's theme is Read YOUR Way! As such, we will be encouraging dressing up, with a choice of favourite characters, reading themed outfits or wearing something that makes you think of reading in some way!

As part of the build up to the event, we will be running a 'decorate a paper plate' competition. Every child was given a paper plate to bring home before half term and can decorate following the theme of a book (see examples, but be as creative as you like!). The deadline for entries is Monday 4th March and we hope to be able to create a super new display in the school library from them. There will also be a prize for each class winner of a voucher to spend at the school book fair so please ensure name and class are written on the back of the paper plate. Children can also earn points for their house teams for each entry.





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Can You Help the School Council Develop Our Playground?

Before the half term break, I mentioned about the plans our School Council have, to further develop an area of the playground. I asked if there was any local business out there that might be able to help with the purchase of equipment and I am pleased to say that I was contacted this week by someone who is happy to help.

On top of this, our PTFA agreed to support the venture at this week's meeting. Brilliant! We are still on the look out for more donations and contributions for the project. If you know an individual or business who may be prepared to help, please ask them to contact school for more details.

A Polite Reminder about our Dress Code

I am noticing several children who are 'pushing boundaries' a little with our dress code. I thought that I would remind everyone about a few things.

- Please send children to school in **plain black school shoes. Not trainers, or shoes that are not plain black.** We are always understanding about the odd situation where this may not be possible, but please do not send children to school in 'non uniform' items consistently.
- Children should **NOT wear any jewellery** except simple, plain earrings. No bracelets (including any sort of wrist bands), necklaces or rings.
- Children should **NOT have nail varnish on.**
- Infant children should have a book bag to fetch and carry things to and from school, not a rucksack etc. I also can't see a reason why juniors bring a large bag with next to nothing in it. They just get in the way and make lockers difficult to close.

• **No pencil cases** or writing/drawing equipment to be brought to school. They just cause fuss. I thank you for your cooperation with these things.

This week's Achievement goes to

Stars of the Week:

Class R: Sunny	Class 1: Jack	Class 2: Sienna A	STAR OF THE WEEL
Class 3: Zac	Class 4: Romy	Class 5: William	57
Class 6: Melody			

Writers of the Week:

Class R: Poppy Class 3: Noah Class 6: Ivy

Class 1: Orla Class 4: Bella Class 2: Ely Class 5: Sebastian



Class 6: Ivy

Class 4: Bella

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Events for the week commencing 26th February 2024:Friday:Training Day – School closedNational offer day for Secondary schools



Stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong. Do everything in love.