



January (4) 2023



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Next week the menu is week one. The menu is on our web site.







We've had lots of exciting learning activities going on in school again this week, including maths challenges in the woodland in Year 5, a visit from a Chinese Lion in Reception, a SATs pub quiz with parents in Year 6 and making healthy fruit smoothies in Year 5 and fruit salads in Year 1. We also have some exciting sporting news (see below). Remember to keep checking our Twitter account @thorpehesleypri to get a flavour of life at Thorpe Hesley Primary. You will also see from the table of dates below that we have some exciting events coming up. We can't wait to see children dressed as their favourite book characters and celebrate all things reading on World Book Day, get involved in practical investigations for Science Week and share our favourite jokes for Red Nose Day. We're also looking forward to our Easter visit to Church and welcoming you all to our first ever THPS Picture This exhibition in school at the of this term.

Mrs Hewitt, Head Teacher

We know that parking near to school at drop-off and pick-up times can be tricky but please could we ask that you are considerate when parking at these times. We have had a few phone calls and emails from local residents saying that drives and pavements have been blocked which is obviously then causing them an inconvenience. Thank you.



Please can we remind parents that KS2 dinners should be paid for in advance. Many thanks.

Percentage of children in each class who have read at				
least three times a week and recorded in Reading				
Record books				
Class 2	95.8%	Class 11	96.3%	
Class 3	75.0%	Class 12	83.3%	
Class 4	84.0%	Class 13	96.6%	
Class 5	60.7%	Class 14	86.2%	
Class 6	75.9%	Class 15	92.6%	
Class 7	80.0%	Class 16	94.1%	
Class 8	96.3%	Class 17	76.9%	

Class 18

Class 19

Class 20

95.7%

87.0%

66.7%

Stars of the week		Class 10	Eva W-L
w/c 23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2023		Class 11	Miley W
		Class 12	Jamie M
Class 2	Holly B	Class 13	Toby J-G
Class 3	Emily S	Class 14	George G
Class 4	Rosie M	Class 15	Seth P
Class5	Harriet E	Class 16	Keane F
Class 6	Eloise D	Class 17	Oscar H
Class 7	Edie G	Class 18	Ellie C
Class 8	Alexander M	Class 19	Alex I
Class 9	Rory W	Class 20	George L

Class 9

Class 10

76.9%

82.1%

Well done to the following children for earning the most coins this week:



- 1. Darcie B in Year 3
- 2. Isabella W in Year 3
- 3. Stefan T in Year 3
- 4. Nancy J in Year 6
- 5. Darcey D in Year 3

Year 3 are still dominating! Well done team Y3!

This week you should have received on your personal email...

Infant blg Dinner Choice form wc 30/1/23
Reception - Caterpillars

Y1 Stay & Learn Writing powerpoint





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Dates going forward	
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	3:30 – 4:30 School viewing for prospective Nursery and Reception
	parents
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	9:00 – 9:30 Year 3 and 4 Writing Stay and Learn
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Last day of the half term
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	Children's first day back in school
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	World Book Day – Children to come to school dressed as a book character
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Science Week. Children will have lots of opportunities during the week
March	to be involved in fun, interactive science activities and investigation
	within school. We can't wait!
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day. We are asking children to come to school in non-
	uniform with a joke ready to share with the class. The best jokes will
	be shared in our Friday Star Assemblies and on Twitter. More info to
	follow.
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	9:00 – 9:30 Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check Stay and Learn
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Celebration in Church. Don't forget your Easter bonnets!
	Parents' Evening Appointments (1:15 – 3:00 Remote; 3:30 – 6:30 In
	Person)
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March – Friday	Picture This Week! We will be ending this term with a creative week
31st March	across school linked to the theme of light and using the work of local
	artist, Bob Barker, as a stimulus. We will launch this project with
	exciting activities in school on the Monday, including special
	assemblies delivered by the Wingfield Science team, and will be
	inviting parents to collect their children early on the Friday afternoon
	so they can visit our Picture This Exhibition to see the fantastic work
	that children have produced.
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Last day of term

## Thorpe's Super Sport Report

On Wednesday, our Y5/6 football team took part in a Rotherham United tournament to have the chance to qualify for the semi-finals of 'The Half Time Cup' at the New York Stadium. It was a great experience for the boys and they played fantastically together as a team.

Here is a report from one of the team;

"We played some good football and managed to win most of our games. It was very exciting to play against so many different school teams and there were lots of great footballers. After all the games, we found out we had qualified for the semi finals. I'm really excited to be going back to play at the New York Stadium."

Alfie, Class 15

## Quotes of the Day

"It was brilliant scoring a goal in the last few seconds of the game to win the match!"

William, class 16

It was great fun! I loved the team spirit and I scored lots of goals."

Max, class 18