

Thorpe Hesley Primary School Newsletter

December (3) 2023



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Next week's dinner menu is week 3



We've had a fabulous week of Christmas Performances. Our Nursery, Reception, Y1/2 and Y3/4 children have all wowed audiences with their fabulous singing, acting and dancing. I could not be more proud of all of the children who have taken part and it has been so lovely to see them enjoying the performances with lots of big smiles. A big thank you to all of the grown-ups at home who have helped source costumes, practise lines and, of course, came to support the children and be fabulous audiences. A lot of hard work has gone into all of the performances, not just from the children but also from the staff, so I would also like to say a big thank you and well done to all of our **OUTSTANDING** staff!

Our Nursery and Reception children have also enjoyed magical trips to the Artworks centre in the village this week to take part in Christmas crafts. They even met Father Christmas! Thank you to all of Santa's helpers at Artworks who made it possible and our wonderful volunteers who came to help out.

I'd also like to thank everyone who came to Carols Around the Christmas Tree on Wednesday. This was a lovely festive events with some fantastic entertainment from our school choir, dance club, brass and woodwind players and, of course, Thorpe Hesley Brass Band. Well done to everyone who performed or contributed to organising and running the event.

Please remember to keep visiting our Twitter page, @thorpeheslepri. It has been very full of photographs, videos and updates over the last few weeks so is definitely worth checking out.

We hope all of our families have a lovely weekend. Only 10 more sleeps until Christmas!!

Mrs Hewitt x



Well done to the following children who have got the most correct answers this week:

1. Isabelle W, Y4
2. Nicole B, Y4
3. Frank M, Y3
4. Divine O, Y4
5. Peyton B, Y4



Stars of the week w/c 14 th December 2023		Class 10	Lacey V
		Class 11	Harriet B
		Class 12	Divine O
Class 2	Cooper T	Class 13	Aria B
Class 3	Charlie J	Class 14	Archie N
Class 4	Ollie F	Class 15	Finley E
Class 5	Jacob E	Class 16	Eleanor G
Class 6	Daisy F	Class 17	Brody C
Class 7	Noah W-L	Class 18	Reon T
Class 8	Freya P	Class 19	Lily O
Class 9	Scarlett F	Class 20	Ayra B



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We are very excited to share our new website with you all!
<https://thorpehesleyprimary.rotherham.sch.uk/> Please do take a look. Staff have been busy updating their class and subject pages but this is all very new to us so please can ask that, if you discover any bugs/broken links etc. with the new website, to let us know via THP-office@nclt.ac.uk. Thanks x



Just a reminder that our school library is open every Tuesday and Thursday straight after school. We have a big range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry to suit all ages of children. Please come and take a look.

We are desperate for age 4 to 6 trousers, pants and socks in EYFS. If anyone has any that their child has grown out of we would be very grateful for donations. Also, if your child has an accident whilst in school and has to borrow clothes, please can we ask that these are washed and returned as soon as possible. Thank you.

Percentage of children in each class who have read at least three times a week and recorded in Reading Record books

Class 2	76%	Class 11	64%
Class 3	90%	Class 12	100%
Class 4	89%	Class 13	86%
Class 5	62%	Class 14	96%
Class 6	86%	Class 15	96%
Class 7	73%	Class 16	94%
Class 8	63%	Class 17	88%
Class 9	73%	Class 18	100%
Class 10	96%	Class 19	96%
		Class 20	100%



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

- Reception Dinner Choice
- KS2 – Panto Information regarding return time back to school.
- KS1 Day of the Dead/Mexico Celebration Day
- Yr 3/4 Carnival Day

Dates going forward

Tuesday 19 th December	a.m. Year 4 visiting Winterhill School to watch their Christmas Pantomime 2pm Y5/6 Christmas Performance
Wednesday 20 th December	Whole school pantomime trip to see Cinderella at Rotherham Civic and buffet lunch 9:15am Y5/6 Christmas Performance
Friday 22 nd December	Children's last day in school before Christmas
Tuesday 9 th January	Children's first day back in school (Monday 8 th INSET day) and start of our Multi-Cultural Half Term Y5 Africa Day KS1 Day of the Dead/Mexico Celebration
Wednesday 10 th January	5pm Year 6 SATs meeting for parents
Thursday 11 th January	Y3/4 Carnival Day
Tuesday 16 th January	Y6 Military Madness Day 9am Y3/4 Maths Stay and Learn