



THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY 12th May 2023



WHOLE SCHOOL MESSAGE

We are incredibly proud of our Year 6 children for completing their SATS this week. They approached their assessments with confidence and determination, and they smiled throughout. They will receive their results in July. They still have lots to do this term and we will do all we can to ensure they have a fantastic final term in primary school.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the importance of attendance and punctuality. The Department of Education state that attendance below 95% is poor and that below 90% is 'persistent absenteeism'. Good attendance is vital not only for the success of the pupils, (data makes it clear that poor attendance results in poorer outcomes for children), but also just as importantly, for their wellbeing. We appreciate your support and understanding with this. It's important that children recognise the importance of coming to school every day, and they build up resilience to be able to do this. If we can support with attendance or punctuality, please do speak with me or your child's class teacher.

The weeks really are racing by, I can't believe we are approaching the mid-point of the summer term, but I am thankful for the longer days and (slightly) warmer and sunnier weather.

We do ensure each day is full of opportunity and we have so many activities and events this term, from sports day and transition days to forest school to trips and visits and guest speakers. We will share information via our weekly newsletter and our Facebook page - if you haven't yet, please do like our Facebook page. Although the best way to hear about school life is from our wonderful children, please do encourage them to share their learning, this always helps to secure the knowledge and will lead to some great discussions.

Have a lovely weekend

Sophie McCabe

Executive Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

7/6/23

Buddhist Temple Visit KS2

26/5/23

KS2 Crime Scene Investigation Session

29/5/23

Half Term

4th—8th July 23

Forest School Visits

12th or 13th July 23

Sports Day (weather dependent)

19/7/23

End of Term

ATTENDANCE

Whole School 94.2%

Reception – 100%

Year 1 & 2 – 90%

Year 3 & 4 – 92%

Year 5 & 6 – 94%

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SCHOOL LUNCHES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Meatballs with Mash & Gravy	Pork Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Pizza Swirl with Potatoes	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Mac and Cheese	Vegan Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Quiche with Potatoes	Cheese Pie with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
Summer Lemon Cake Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Ginger Biscuit Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Ice Cream Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Peach Crumble with cream Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Vanilla Shortbread Yoghurt & Fresh fruit
Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes and home made Sandwiches with a choice of fillings - Fresh Bread daily- Daily salad selection				

GOOD WORK ASSEMBLY

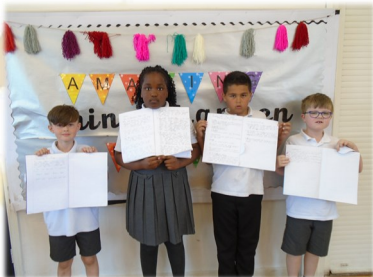


Stars of the Week
Maria, Autumn, James & Kai



Good Work Nursery & Reception
Harrison, Isla & Georgie

Good Work KS1
Cole, Heidi, Daisy & George



Good Work Yr 3 & 4
**James, Ugoeze,
Carson & Parker**

Good Work Yr 5 & 6
**Aaadya, Emily,
Alfie & Damien**

KS2 Geography

Year 5 and 6 have been out and about around the village today in their Geography lesson. They had a map of Thornhill, clipboards and iPads and were being planners. They visited 3 sites that they have proposed as good places to build a new housing estate. At each site they took photos and wrote down pros and cons of a new estate in that location.



SCIENCE FESTIVAL

The festival takes place on the 13th & 14th May 2023 at the Windermere Jetty Museum

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13 & 14 May 2023

Get ready for intriguing discoveries,
inspiring talks, engaging exhibitions,
cutting edge research, and
lots of family fun!

Experience the best in science communication with some of
the UK's leading scientists, science entertainers, designers,
ecologists, and engineers.

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