

A week in the life of



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What a busy week we have had this week. KS2 have attended the Baths Hall for the Roald Dahl experience, Year 1 have attended the Baths Hall for the Jungle Jump and they all performed wonderfully. We have had children from Class 3 and Class 4 representing our school in the Literacy Quiz at The Vale academy where our Class 4 team achieved third place and finally we finished the week with our Easter Service at the church. Thank you to all those that supported us by attending events and giving us wonderful comments about opportunities offered to your children.

FROM ALL OF THE STAFF, WE HOPE YOU HAVE A WONDERFUL EASTER BREAK.



Clubs for the following week:

| Monday | |
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| Maths Booster | (Year 6) Lunchtime – Mr. Brown |
| Reading Buddies | Lunchtime – Mrs. Hatton |
| Colour & Chat | EYFS & KS1 – Mrs Hanly lunchtime |
| Drama | 3:30-4:30 (Mrs Evans & Mrs Hatton) |
| Tuesday | |
| Premier Sports | Playground games (all ages) 8am – 8:45 |
| Reading Buddies | Lunchtime – Mrs. Hatton |
| Homework club | (all ages) Lunchtime – Mrs. Hatton |
| Still Life Art | (Year 4, 5 and 6) 3:30 – 4:30 – Mrs. Grey |
| Netball | (Years 2 – 6) 3:30-4:30 Mrs Clark |
| Wednesday | |
| SATS Breakfast Booster | 8:00am – Mrs. Hatton Year 6 |
| Choir | 12:30 – 1 (Mrs Shearwood & Mrs Owens) |
| Mindfulness | ONLY YEAR 6 for 26/4, 3/5 & 10/5 - 3:30-4:30 – Mrs Britcliffe - After these dates it is available to the whole school |
| Thursday | |
| Premier Sport: Archery | (Years 1 - 6) 8am – 8:45am |
| Playground Buddies/ School Council | 12:30 – 1 Mrs. Hatton |
| Games Club | (KS2) 12:30 – 1 – Miss Toner |
| Running club | (KS2) 3:30-4:30 - Parent volunteers |
| Gardening Club | Years 1 – 6 3:30-4:30 Mrs Otty |

SAFEGUARDING **(Anti-bullying)**

I am delighted once again to inform you that the Playground Buddies have been recognised for all of the hard work that they do in continuing to ensure Worlaby Academy remains a bully-free zone.

We have just received notification that we have been successful in achieving the Diana Anti-bullying award again. Once the date has been agreed the children will be invited to a ceremony to receive their award.



Class 1



This week in Foundation Stage we have been creating art work for our arts assembly. We can't wait to show you our creations.

We have had a visit from the Easter Bunny! Mrs Otty organised an Easter egg hunt for our class. We had to read the clues in order to find our eggs. We really enjoyed this, thank you Mrs Otty from all of us.

This week we have taken our beans home to continue to grow from home. We have discussed what the seeds and seedlings need to grow and survive. Please discuss the changes you can see occurring with your child.

We have reached the end of our reading competition, and well done to all of the children. We can see a massive improvement in the quality of your reading and we will continue this competition next term too.

Have a lovely holiday.

Class 2

The final week of term in class 2, what a busy week! The children have finished their own stories following the style of 'Oliver's Vegetables.' You might learn this story yourself if you are able to join us at the Easter service! In maths this week we have worked on addition and done some practical work finding our partner for number bonds to 10 and related patterns with number bonds to 20 and 100. The children have used the large floor map of the UK to recall the countries that are part of the UK and find the places where our class were born. This information was then recorded on graphs. A fantastic surprise for all the children was a visit from the Easter bunny who set them clues to find a full basket of treats.

Finally this week, Mrs Hatton, Mrs Britcliffe and I were very proud to watch our Year 2 children who took part in a glorious, colourful singing spectacular at the Baths Hall in Scunthorpe. Dressed as parakeets the children joined 250 other year 2 children on stage, singing songs following a jungle theme. Well done all of you.



Class 4



This week, Class 4 have created amazing leaflets advertising the Kingswood Residential centre that most of us visited last month. We used our typing skills to create information about the activities that you could participate in and the luxurious dorm rooms with en suite bathrooms. We also manipulated and re-sized photographs from the residential to add to our leaflet. To show greater depth in our writing, we tried to use colons to introduce a list, corrected punctuated bullet points and colons to separate two main clauses. We created amazing sentences such as 'Kingswood has to offer: a unique blend of nature; adventurous activities; contemporary purpose-built accommodation and high quality learning facilities.'



Class 3



This week in Class 3's Maths we have been looking at how to represent different forms of data. Last week we looked at bar graphs and discrete data, but this week we took it further and looked at how data can change over time and how that might be plotted using a line graph. Class 3 also then did an investigation into the height of everyone and looked for the best way to represent this, as neither a bar graph or line graph seemed to quite do the job.

In English we have been developing our play script writing skills by looking at the wizarding world of Harry Potter and all the arguments the characters seem to have! We have been using stage directions to instruct actors on how to show their characters emotions and moods using both their bodies and voices. We have also been doing some scene descriptions based on rather magical places.

In our computing lessons we have been writing procedures that can create the 2D shapes we have been looking at this term, teaching a program to draw the sides of a shape to specific lengths then repeatedly turning a certain angle to finish.

Dates for your diary New dates in blue



- 25th April – school reopens after Easter
- 26th April - Nick Sharratt's Draw a long at The Baths Hall (Years 3 – 5)
- MAY – KS1 SATS
- 3rd May – Buddy Training Day
- 5th May – Education Inclusion Officer in school to check attendance
- 8th May – KS2 SATS WEEK
- 8th May – Starlight Clothing Collection
- 11th May – KS1 swimming (1st of 8 lessons)
- 12th May – KS2 Swimming (1st of 7 lessons)
- 12th May – EYFS – Vision and Hearing tests by the school nurse
- 23rd May – KS2 Triathlon
- 23rd May – EYFS & KS1 visit from the Dentist
- 24th May – Class 3 assembly to parents (9:15) “The Romans”
- 25th May – (9:30) Whole school arts assembly for parents
- 26th May (pm) – Whole School “Healthy Me”
- 26th May – Close for half term
- 5th June – open after half term
- 8th June – 9:15am EYFS assembly
- 8th June – Brigg Cluster Music Extravaganza
- 15th June – Year 5 Induction to the Vale academy
- 29th June – 9:15am Class 2 assembly
- 30th June – Teacher Training Day
- 6th July – Year 6 Induction to the Vale academy
- 7th July – Annual reports to parents
- 12th July – Optional summer parents meeting
- 13th July 5pm – Transition meeting for parents of EYFS children
- 17th July – SPORTS WEEK
- 19th July – 1:30pm Sports afternoon
- 24th July – 1:30pm Reserve Sports day
- 25th July – Year 6 leavers assembly (9:15)
- 25th July - close for summer

Behaviour - (Recorded incidents this week)

| Class 1 | Class 2 | Class 3 | Class 4 | |
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| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Classroom |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Lunchtime |

Please see the academy website for details of our behaviour policy.

Excellent behaviour this week. Well done everyone.

★★★★ Stars of the Week

Class 1 – Ruby-Lou for being an all-round star! She has shown an excellent attitude towards her learning, peers and tidying up after herself!

Class 2 – George for fabulous story writing and using higher level vocabulary.

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Class 2 – Lauren for fabulous independent story writing.

Class 3 – Ellie for both the excellent rehearsing and performing songs during the Roald Dahl Big Sing

Class 3 – Ruby for both the excellent rehearsing and performing songs during the Roald Dahl Big Sing.

Class 4 – Charlie for working hard on his handwriting – even in tests! Very close to getting a pen license!

Class 4 – George for showing a huge increase in reading progress and achieving a greater depth result.

Attendance - for the week 20th – 24th March

| Class 1 | Class 2 | Class 3 | Class 4 |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 96.08% | 100% | 95.83% | 97.06% |
| 0 Lates | 0 Lates | 1 Late | 0 Lates |
| Whole school attendance 97.32% | | | |

All above North Lincolnshire target, but only Class 2 above Worlaby academy target.

Amazing attendance from class 2 this week!

Please ensure that if your child is absent from school that you provide a letter or appointment card that specifies the reason for their absence.

Garden News

Pots of Pansies care sheet

The seeds should take between 14 to 28 days to germinate from the date we sowed them which was 31st March. The food bag which is covering the pot should act in much the same way as a propagator and help keep the compost moist. However, if you feel that your soil is a little on the dry side, then by all means water your pot by standing it on a plate or in a bowl/tub and adding some water. If there is water left in the plate/bowl after about 20 minutes, then drain this away to reduce the risk of waterlogging your seeds.

After 14 days from date of seed sowing (31st March), keep checking for signs of emerging seedlings and remove your bag as soon as you see the first one standing up. Each child sowed between 9 - 11 seeds and there may be a large gap from the date the first seedling emerges and the last. Also it may be that not all the seeds will germinate.

After the seedlings start to emerge, keep your pot in a sunny spot, checking the moisture levels to ensure the compost doesn't dry out. Be careful though and remember that all because the top of the compost looks dry, don't assume that the compost below the top layer is also dry. The easiest way to check is to carefully stick your little finger into the compost, to the knuckle and see what the compost is like when you bring your finger back out.

After Easter we will look at how many seedlings have emerged and decide how many each child wants to keep and what to do with any surplus plants etc.

Have a great Easter break guys,
Mrs Otty and Miss Ashby



Friends of Worlaby School

Have you taken a look at the new FOWS website? It looks fantastic – thank you to Mr Tozer for setting it up.

Also a huge thank you to Mrs Otty and Ms Carnaby for organizing an Easter Egg hunt for all children in school. They all thoroughly enjoyed it.

Thank you FOWS – we appreciate all that you do for the children and the support you give the school.

Sporting News

CONGRATULATIONS!

To Sophie, from Class 3, who competed in the Humber Games cross country event. Despite being knocked down, she showed a real resilient and determined attitude at the event. Well done, we are really proud of you.



GOOD LUCK MRS CLARK - She will be running the London Marathon with her sister in law in aid of the Brain Tumor charity. We all wish Mrs Clark the best in her marathon run. If you would to donate to support the charity Mrs Clark is running for, please go to:

www.uk.virginmoneygiving.com/claire-and-nic-run-for-shaun