

Friday 10th February 2023



THE
WOLDS & VALE
FEDERATION



Sherburn News

A Message from Mrs Mould....

Dear Parents and Carers

Another half term done! It has been so lovely to see the sun shining this week and there is definitely a feeling of Spring in the air! The Key Stage 2 children in both schools have enjoyed toasting marshmallows in Forest Schools this week with Mrs Fry - it was lovely to see them heading out in the sunshine.

I have seen some really kind behaviour from the children this week - children paying each other complements and being really encouraging to each other as well as being helpful to each other in the classroom and the playground. All the adults in both schools have commented on this and are really proud of them.

I wish you all a happy and safe half term.

Best wishes

Mrs Mould

Attendance News

Whole School Attendance News

Our Federation Target is 97%

This week's whole school attendance was:

93.94%

Class Attendance News

Class 1: 88.07%

Class 2: 96.85%

Class 3: 94%

Well done to Class 2 who will be enjoying their extra playtime next week!

Individual Attendance News

Well done to all the children who achieved 100% Attendance this week.

Congratulations to our certificate winner:



Stars of the Week:

Class 1
Alayah
For being considerate of other children

And
Scarlett:
For super effort when reading a story with an adult.

Class 2
Harry
For a detailed explanation for the water cycle.

And
Riley
For being extra methodical when adding using the column method.

Class 3
Brooke
For being so well mannered and a good friend.

And
Ruby
For extending her learning at home with the recycling project.

Forests School Stars of the Week:

Class 1

Tiana

For great listening and participation in forest school.

Lower Key Stage 2

The whole of class 3

For showing great resilience when learning new skills and showing good listening when working with fire and toasting marshmallows

Upper Key Stage 2

Note from Mrs Fry..... It has been a pleasure to watch the children grow in confidence during forest school and she wishes you all a lovely half term.

Notes from the Headteacher:

Class 1

Regan
For being kind and helpful

And

Mabel
For being a leader in the classroom

Class 2
George

For an incredible explanation text about the water cycle.

And

Lily-Mae
For always trying her very best in everything she does.

Class 3
Izzy

For always giving 100% effort and great attitude to learning.

And

Phoebe
For showing pride in her work at all times



Key Dates:



School Closes: Friday February 10th at 3.15pm

Half Term: Monday February 13th -Friday February 17th

School Opens: Monday February 20th

Term Ends for Easter: Friday March 31st.

Our Learning This Week.....Nursery

This week we have held a vote each day to determine which story we focus our daily activities on. We enjoyed casting our vote then counting out, sorting and comparing the jewels to see which story won. We then enjoyed lots of themed activities throughout the week. We have enjoyed forest school, water play, painting and imaginative play.



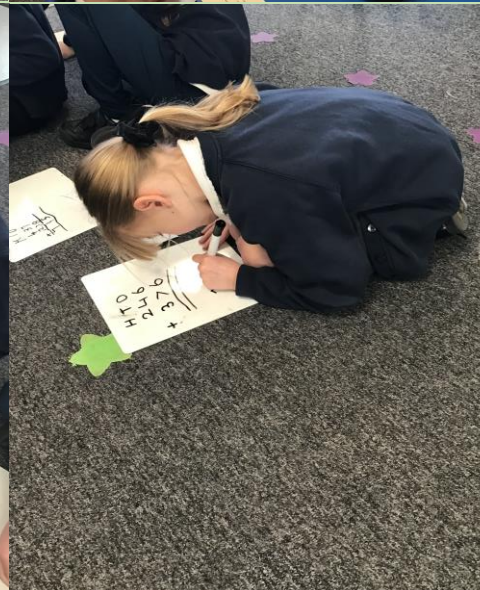
Our Learning This Week.....Class 1

This week we have been practising travelling and balancing in gymnastics with Mr Ellis.



Our Learning This Week.....Class 2

This week class 2 really enjoyed their music session with Mrs Maxwell this week. They were using the drums to beat out different patterns and were really good at it! In maths, we have had a week brushing up on our fluency skills. We have looked at column addition in lots of detail. Friday morning we finished the week with a round robin of different maths activities.



Our Learning This Week.....Class 3

Drama/ history- we became Egyptians, travelled back in time 4000 years. We dodged the crocodile that was in the River Nile and mummified our friends. English- this week we have created our own posters linked to stopping litter and saving our oceans. Maths- year 4/5 have looked at fractions and year 6 have looked at area and perimeter of shapes. DT- we are looking at pulleys and levers in DT. This week we identified the difference and looked around school at the different types of levers and pulleys we have.



Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.....

If you have any concerns about a child's safety, please contact the Safeguarding Team at school.

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Mould (Head)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Walker (Deputy Head)

Please contact them via the school office:

01944 710282

admin@woldsandvalefederation.co.uk



If your concerns are out of school hours or in the holidays, please phone

**North Yorkshire Multi Agency Screening Team
(MAST)**

01609 780780

Or for urgent assistance call the Police on 999.