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Mrs. Coleman's News

Next week is a very important week as the children in Year Two and Year Six will be completing their SATs tests. The boys and girls have been working very hard and this is their chance to show how much they have learned. Encourage your child to do some revision over the weekend and each night please send them to bed early for a good, long sleep. All Year Six children must be in school, wearing their uniform (no PE Kits) before 8:45a.m. each day next week. We will be providing breakfast and a drink so that all children are ready to do their very best. I am positive the children

will truly shine! Attendance

Our attendance target is 96% Our whole school attendance total to date is 92% SCHOOL ATTENDANCE & <u>PUNCTUALITY</u> EVERY DAY COUNTS





Digital Stars

Year 3 and Year 4 Code Club has begun again at Northmoor Library. Well done to our new set of children who conducted themselves beautifully!

Word of the Week

This week we have been busy discussing the word 'Communication' and what it means. The children have been asked to think about the different ways they can communicate effectively.

Mr. Dunn Says...

What an exciting day we have had here at Northmoor, marking the Coronation of His Majesty ahead of the Bank Holiday weekend. How wonderful it has been to see the children wearing red, white and blue to mark the historic celebration. Please remember that we **return to school on Tuesday 9th May** following the bank holiday. Have a wonderful weekend!



What's been happening this week?





This week in Nursery we have been reading 'We all went on Safari'. We thought about the noises the animals made and even made our own African jewellery. In Maths we have been using the words more and less to describe quantity.

Reception



This week we have been learning about the life cycle of a butterfly. We were very excited to watch some of the butterflies emerge from their cocoons. In Maths we have been measuring weight.



Year 3





This week in year 1, we have been learning about Africa! We had a go at some African dancing, tried on some African patterned clothing and learnt about the climate, places and animals across the continent.

In Year 3 this week, we have been writing a Story Opener for Egyptian Cinderella. Ask us how the story is similar and different to the fairy-tale version of Cinderella version we all know! We have also been spectacular subtractors, mastering the column method! Why not test us at home?

This week year five have received a letter from Queen Victoria asking for advice. We have worked hard to find a way to persuade her to stop children from having to work as chimney sweeps and factory workers.



Year 2











In Year 2 this week we have been learning how to write a setting description using expanded noun phrases. Ask your child to describe something using their noun phrases. In Maths we have been learning how to use semi formal method to find the answer in subtraction. We have also been learning about capital cities in Geography.

This week, year 4 have been learning about how life was for Roman slaves. We focused on the lournal of lliona to write our own diary entries. In maths, we have been looking at converting time from 12h clocks to 24h clocks so become fabulous time tellers!

Year 6 have been using this week to revise for their SATs, which start next week. We also had a wonderful afternoon outside, playing sports to end the week.

Stars of the Week

Reception Ruby - Yamin for amazing independent writing about butterflies!

Year 1 Sapphire – Patrick for super independent Maths and times tables!

Year 1 Jade - Sara for excellent effort this week.

Year 2 Pearl – Safa for setting a great example in Pearl class with her great attitude to learning.

Year 2 Topaz – Sarah for working hard to improve her Maths

Year 3 Coral – Hibba for blossoming beautifully this year.

Year 3/4 Garnet - Aminata for her excellent speech about Egyptian Cinderella

Year 4 Amethyst – Riley for a super return to Northmoor.

Year 4 Citrine – Muqtadir for his super work with time!

Year 5 Jet – Moayed for super research in English this week.

Year 5 Zircon – Zakariya Ali for always doing his best.

Year 5/6 Tourmaline – Aryan for settling back into school.

Year 6 Onyx – Danyal for excellent enthusiasm and commitment to his maths learning!

Year 6 Aquamarine – Azaan for a brilliant attitude in every lesson.