# Northmoor News



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## Mrs. Coleman's News

We have certainly had an action-packed week at Northmoor with an inspiring Year 5 author visit, Science workshop and visits to Oldham Library. The Year 4 and Year 5 pupils were able to meet and work alongside amazing authors and illustrators as part of the Children's Literature Festival on Thursday. Please look out for photographs and more information about this fantastic event on the school website and Twitter. Please note, school closes on **Thursday 25th May** for the half term holiday and will re-open at 8:30am on **Monday 5th June**.

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



## Digital Stars



We have made a fantastic start to the fifth Harmony Trust Sumdog competition. The contest opened on Friday 19th May and closes on Thursday 25th May. Good luck everyone!

### Word of the Week

This week we have been busy discussing the word 'Coping' and what we can do to support ourselves and each other when we experience different emotions such as feeling lonely.

#### Mr. Dunn Says...

As the warm weather approaches please ensure children are suitably dressed. The classrooms can get very warm so the children will be encouraged to remove their jumpers to cool down and also to drink plenty of water. When the sun is shining, 1 would advise that children come to school with a sunhat and suncream applied.

# What's been happening this week?





This week in Nursery we a have been reading 'We're Going on a Lion Hunt'. We used our phonic knowledge to sort objects. In Maths we have been talking about 2D shape, we used the shapes to make a lion picture.

We have been looking at 3D

named the shapes and

discussed their properties

before hunting for real life

In English, we have been

shapes around the classroom!

learning all about Africa ready

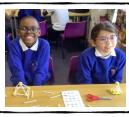
to write our fact file next week!

shapes in Year 1 this week! We

### Year 1



Year 3



This week in Year 3, we have been exploring the Ancient Egyptian Gods and Goddesses in readiness for writing our non-chronological reports next week! Why not ask us to tell you a fascinating fact? In Maths we have been investigating 3D shapes and their properties, creating shape museums and have even constructed our very own 3D shapes!



This week Year Five have been very busy with a fantastic visit from the Science Shed where we learnt all about air pollution. We also really enjoyed our poetry event and author visit this week too. Why don't you ask us to tell you about it?

### Reception









This week Reception we have been learning about the life cycle of a frog. We have been carefully observing our tadpoles and looking for changes and writing lots of facts about frogs in English In maths we have been learning about sharing and halving.

In Year 2 we have been learning how to write an information holiday leaflet about the all the different holiday destinations you can go to. In maths we have been learning how to tell the time. We learned o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past. We have also worked very hard with our SAT's. Year 2 teachers are very proud of the children these past few weeks!

Year 4 have been on a wonderful visit to Oldham Library this week where they met poet and rapper Donovan Christopher. They had a fantastic time!



Year 6 have been writing a SATs survival guide to help next years, Year 6 children. They thought of five tips that helped them have a successful SAT's week.

# Stars of the Week

Reception Ruby - Ayana for super sharing and halving.

Year 1 Sapphire – Harun for being an amazing role model!

Year I Jade - Zidan for his super independent learning!

Year 2 Pearl – Aahil for being a super learner this week!

Year 2 Topaz – <u>ALL</u> of Topaz Class for excellent effort in their special learning!!!

Year 3 Coral – Lutfur for his amazing improvement in both his phonics and his all-round attitude to learning. We are so proud of him!

Year 3/4 Garnet – Anesra for being a star and always trying her best!

Year 4 Amethyst – Dawud for a huge effort with the presentation of his work.

Year 4 Citrine – Emna for her resilient attitude towards line graphs!

Year 5 Jet – Estera for her confidence reading aloud at the poetry event.

Year 5 Zircon – Nadia for great work with Spheros.

Year 5/6 Tourmaline – Sarah for helping Miss Moore settle into Year 5!

Year 6 Onyx – Muhammed for writing excellent "top tips" in his SATs Survival Guide!

Year 6 Aquamarine – Elirisjon who shows brilliant behaviour in every single lesson.