

Northmoor News



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Mrs. Coleman's News

A huge WELL DONE to our Year 6 pupils, who have really excelled themselves during their adventures at Robinwood this week. The boys and girls should feel proud of their many achievements and exemplary behaviour. They have gained so many new skills and developed their character competencies especially being adventurous and resilient. Highlights of the visit include....wiggling through some very tight spaces whilst caving, smashing through the icy waters, working in teams to navigate their rafts during early morning canoeing, the dreaded zip wire, and completing the evening team challenges. Please remember, fabulous photographs of the visit can be found on the school website.

Attendance

Please ensure your child arrives punctually to school each morning.

School opens at 8:30a.m. each morning. The children who attend school early regularly benefit from an additional 2 and a half hours of learning each week. Early morning activities and reading with a teacher, really does make an enormous difference to your child's overall success.



Digital Stars

This week, we'd like to point parents to our class pages on our website. Following the link below, click on your child's class and look towards the bottom of the page, you will find pictures of children enjoying their learning.

<https://www.northmoor.theharmonytrust.org/classes>



Mr. Dunn Says...

Hi everybody, it's been a very busy week here at Northmoor! Can you please ensure that during this cold weather, your child comes to school with their coat, hat and gloves to keep them warm. We do not want anyone catching a cough or cold. On PE days, please make sure your child comes to school dressed appropriately such as track suits, trainers and a warm sweatshirt. Some children have worn jeans, dresses and boots which is inappropriate for PE lessons due to health and safety. Have a lovely weekend, see you bright and early Monday morning.

Word of the Week

This week we have been busy discussing the word 'Styles' and thinking about the different styles of learning. The children have been asked to consider their preferred style: auditory, visual or kinaesthetic.

What's been happening this week?



Nursery



In Nursery this week we have been learning all about the Police and how they help us. We have been pretending to be Policemen and women to investigate 'crimes' in Nursery

Reception



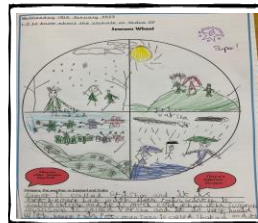
We have been reading 'Room on the Broom' and have been writing magic potions. In maths we have been learning how to add using different objects. We have also been having lots of fun making our own magic potions.

Year 1



This week Year 1 have been reading 'Paddington at the Palace.' They have been sorted verbs from the story into past and present tense to prepare them for their big write next week.

Year 2



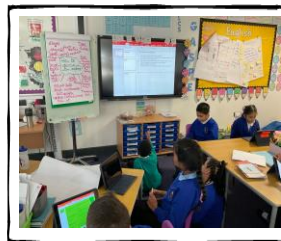
This week we have been reading the Tiger who Came to Tea in English and building up to writing our own retell. In Maths we have been subtracting using the semi-formal method and in Topic we have continued to learn about India looking at the climate and how it differs to ours.

Year 3



This week, Year 3 have been looking at the explosive story, 'Escape from Pompeii' and learning all about the terrible disaster. Ask us to tell you what happened to the poor citizens of Pompeii! We have also studied how volcanoes erupt in our Geography and erupted our very own ones!

Year 4



This week in Year 4, we have been researching "How to Survive in the Amazon Rainforest" in preparation for recording a survival video next week. In maths, we have impressed our teachers with our fraction work.

Year 5



This week in year five we have been polishing off our dividing skills. We are now getting quite good at it. We have also been retelling the story of how Mr Toad escaped from prison and the adventures he went on.

Year 6



At the beginning of this week, Year 6 went on their residential to Robinwood. They had a brilliant time on the Zipwire, giant swing, canoeing in the snow, solving puzzles in the dungeons and climbing to the top of the trapeze,

Stars of the Week



Reception Ruby – Yusuf. A for super adding up to 5.

Year 1 Sapphire – Bryan for his effort in his learning!

Year 1 Jade – Muhammad-Isa for his amazing maths work!

Year 2 Pearl – Aysha for always trying her absolute best in her learning!

Year 2 Topaz – Maahir for a super effort in reading

Year 3 Coral – Mikayeel for being himself – a simple ray of sunshine!

Year 3/4 Garnet – Sofia for being a TT Rockstar!

Year 4 Amethyst – Salman for channelling his energy so positively!

Year 4 Citrine – Zeeshan for his participation!

Year 5 Jet – Darin for a massive improvement in his maths skills this week

Year 5 Zircon – Humayra for wonderful group work during our river Topic.

Year 5/6 Tourmaline – Beta for always making the right decision.

Year 6 Onyx – David for excellent enthusiasm and leadership at Robinwood.

Year 6 Aquamarine – Ayman for brilliant teamwork at Robinwood.