

Northmoor News



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Mrs. Nash's News



In Curriculum week, the children have been inspired by the text *Mother Earth is weeping*. They have thought about how we need to care for planet Earth and learned about recycling and pollution. Each year group has focused on a different genre of writing, from persuasive letters and diaries to poems and writing playscripts. We break up today for half term and look forward to seeing you on **Monday 30th October at 8.30am** for breakfast club. **Year 6 Secondary School Applications:** If you have a child in Year 6, please make sure you have completed the online form to apply for secondary school places. Please ensure you press submit at the end of the application. The deadline is **Tuesday 31st October 2022 at 5pm**.

Attendance



Digital Stars

Our attendance target is **96%**

Our whole school attendance total to date is **93%**

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY EVERY DAY COUNTS

Our parents are our digital stars this week. Thank you to them and the police officers from Oldham, who took part in a super online safety workshop this week.

Word of the Week

During assembly this week we talked about the meaning of the word **inspirational**. We discussed how we can be inspired by people and their actions, as well as the world around us. We were inspired by the Y5/6 football team who came back from their mini-league competition with 2 trophies. How inspirational they are!



Reminders...

Please remember that children remain the responsibility of their parents until school starts, so please ensure that they are appropriately supervised when arriving before **school starts at 8.30am**.

Our Academy day begins with Breakfast Club at **8:30am** every day. All children are welcome to attend and enjoy a bagel or toast and a choice of cereal. It's an opportunity to settle into the school day and catch up with friends before children go to classes at **8:45am**. Children should arrive at school no later than **8:55am** so that they are in class and ready to start their learning by 9am. Thank you for your ongoing support with this.

What's been happening this week?



Nursery



Nursery this week, have been learning all about polar bears. We have been talking about where polar bears live and what they look like. We enjoyed exploring the 'snow' and our ice tent.

Reception



This week in Reception we have been reading the book 'Mother Earth is weeping'. We have been learning all about how we can save the planet and especially how we can stop the ice melting in the Arctic to save the polar bears.

Year 1



This week Year 1 have been thinking about all the rubbish in our oceans and how it got there. We made posters to encourage people to put litter in the bin. We used oil pastels to create pictures of our favourite ocean creatures.

Year 2



This week Year 2 received a letter from Mother Earth explaining that she was really upset. We have written back to Mother Earth telling her that we will look after Earth. In maths we have been reading and writing times.

Year 3



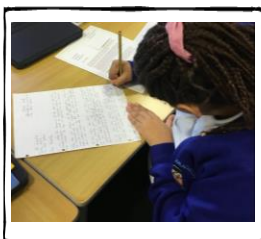
This week, Year 3 have been writing and performing unbelievable acrostic poems all about Mother Earth so we can save the planet! We have also been excellent engineers whilst making brilliant bridges for King Charles III. Ask us what type we made!

Year 4



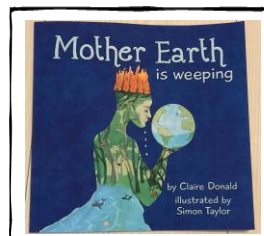
This week in Year 4 we have been learning about time. We had great fun learning about the relationship between time. In English we have been inspired by the book "Mother Earth is Weeping" and have been busy creating a playscript.

Year 5



This week Year 5 have been writing persuasive letters from Mother Earth to mankind, encouraging them to look after the planet. It has been great fun! In Maths we have explored multiples and factors.

Year 6



This week, Year 6 have been writing a diary entry based on the story 'Mother Earth is weeping'. We explored the different ways humans are impacting the world and the potential solutions. In Maths, we have been looking at multiples and factors.

Stars of the Week



Reception Ruby- Hashim for trying really hard to write his name!

Year 1 Sapphire – Rayan for trying hard to use his phonics in his writing.

myON Champion- Joshua for reading for 43 minutes

Year 1/2 Pearl – Harun for wonderful creative writing!

myON Champion- Idrees for reading for 2 hours and 19 minutes.

Year 2 Topaz – Andreea for excellent effort.

myON Champion- Ori for reading lots on myON.

Year 3 Coral – Kareem for a wonderful Earth poem.

myON Champion- Rifatul for reading for 1 hour and 8 minutes

Year 3 Garnet – Emmanuel for being an excellent engineer.

myON Champion- Renas for reading for 1 hour and 10 minutes.

Year 4 Amethyst – Samaa for her amazing contributions at the Hindu temple

myON Champion- Chloe for reading more than last week,

Year 4 Citrine – Darius for his enthusiasm towards any new learning.

myON Champion- Sofia for trying her best to read as many books as she can.

Year 5 Jet – Mutaman for some excellent writing over the past few weeks

myON Champion- Tamema for reading the most in the class this week

Year 5 Zircon – Andrei for really impressing me with his knowledge about the environment.

myON Champion- Haneefa for reading more this week than last week. A great improvement!

Year 6 Onyx – The whole class for making Ms Langan proud!

myON Champion – Massa for reading for almost 2 hours!

Year 6 Aquamarine – Hiba for her amazing writing!

myON Champion - Mahrab for reading for almost 2 hours again!