

# Northmoor News



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## Mrs Nash's News

*#be a fundraiser*

Thank you for your support in donating to the Poppy Appeal when buying the poppies, wrist bands and slap bands that the children have bought over the last 2 weeks. Next Monday, as part of Anti-bullying week we have asked the children to come into school wearing Odd Socks which is a wonderful way to celebrate what makes us all unique. Please bring a donation of £1 on Monday which we will donate to Children in Need. The children in KS2 will also have a special Anti-bullying assembly led by a member of the community police team.



### Attendance



Our attendance target is **96%**  
Our whole school attendance total to date is **94%**

**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY EVERY DAY COUNTS**

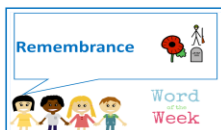
### Digital Stars

The Purple Mash Festive card competition has launched and several children have already submitted their entries. Details are all on the homepage on Purple Mash. This is a lovely way for children to show off their digital art skills.



### Word of the Week

During our assembly this week we talked about Remembrance day. We talked about what the word remembrance means and what the poppy symbolises. We also held a 2 minutes silence in our classes on Friday.



### Reminders...

On **Friday 17th November**, school is **closed** to the pupils for teacher training.

A date for your diaries!  
The school photographer will be in school on **Friday 30th November**.

# What's been happening this week?



## Nursery



This week in Nursery we have been pretending to be shop workers and customers in our shop, we have been writing shopping lists to use when shopping. In maths we have been practicing our counting and recognising numbers.

## Reception



This week in Reception we have been learning all about night animals. We have been using the word nocturnal. In Maths we have been ordering by size. We have also been busy making some hedgehog bread and Diva lamps for Diwali.

## Year 1



This week in Year 1 we have been pretending to be news reporters reporting on the Great Fire of London. We thought of questions and answers. In maths we have been learning our number bonds to 10.

## Year 2



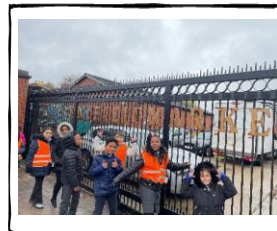
This week in English the children have been describing Bob. The children chose adjectives to describe his personality and acted them out. In maths the children have been adding numbers. In science we have been making bug hotels.

## Year 3



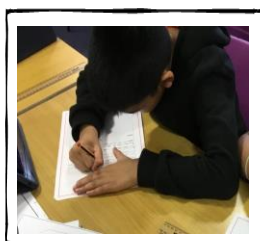
This week Year 3 have been marvellous mathematicians multiplying by 10 and 100. We have also been wonderful writers creating a new version of the text 'Cave Baby' that would be more suitable for KS2. In Science we have been looking at how shadows are formed.

## Year 4



Year 4 have been on a super local area walk, exploring Oldham town centre and looking at all the sights such as Tommyfield Market, the playground and the shopping centre. We will be using our adventures to help with our writing next week for "Last Stop on Market Street."

## Year 5



This week Year 5 have been writing their own alternative endings to the Pirate Queen text. We have also been researching how the lives of the rich and poor were different in Tudor times.

## Year 6



This week in Year 6, we completed a short narrative about the 'Battle of Dunkirk'. In Maths, we have been adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing fractions. In History, we sketched a contrasting portrait of Winston Churchill and Adolf Hitler.

# Stars of the Week



Reception Ruby- Aleena for always being excited to try new activities.

Year 1 Sapphire – Junior for answering lots of questions about the Great Fire of London.  
myON Champion- Victoria for reading for 106 minutes

Year 1/2 Pearl – Harim for always being a super role model  
myON Champion- Ayat for reading for 1 hour and 20 minutes.

Year 2 Topaz – Anaabia for her perseverance in maths this week!  
myON Champion- Musa for reading for 2 hours and 38 minutes!

Year 3 Coral – Shadrach for writing a wonderful alternative re-tell of 'Cave Baby'.  
myON Champion- Kristela for reading for 4 hours and 33 minutes last week!

Year 3 Garnet – Haim for his superb passion for learning!  
myON Champion- Michale for her improved effort!

Year 4 Amethyst – Eshaal J for a super attitude  
myON Champion- Treasure for her excellent improvement!

Year 4 Citrine – for fantastic science work  
myON Champion- Menaal for an excellent effort

Year 5 Jet – Wisdom for amazing maths work  
myON Champion- Klevita for reading 4 hours and 8 minutes.

Year 5 Zircon – Daisy for being a fantastic role model  
myON Champion- Rosie for a super reading time of over 2 hours!

Year 6 Onyx – Shamima for excellent organisation skills, always being ready to learn!  
myON Champion – Omotola for reading for 1 hour 43 minutes!

Year 6 Aquamarine – Iamin for his amazing progress in maths!  
myON Champion- Daniel for reading for 1 hour 33 minutes.