

# Northmoor News



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## Ms Beesley's News

Thank you to all of the parents who attended our Welcome Meetings this week. I hope that you found the opportunity to meet your child's teachers and find out important information about what they will be learning this year helpful. It is so important that we work together to give your every child the very best opportunity to succeed.

After school clubs started this week, please speak to your child's teacher about the many activities available. Please remember that if your child has signed up to an after-school activity then they must attend weekly unless there is a valid reason for not attending, for example, a medical appointment in which case we ask that you notify school in advance. All children who attend a club **must** be collected from school at 4:15pm.



### Attendance



Our attendance target is **96%**

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

EYFS/KS1 - Attendance Owl –

Mrs Baddeley Award Owl –

KS2 - Attendance Owl –

Mrs Baddeley Award Owl –

**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE &  
PUNCTUALITY  
EVERY DAY COUNTS**

### Digital Stars

Thank you to all the children who have completed their AR quiz this week. Please encourage your child to complete an AR quiz after completing their reading book.

### Word of the Week

Our word of the week has been 'behaviour'. We have discussed rules and the importance of them in school and at home to keep people safe, fair and to protect the environment.

**At home, talk to your child about how rules and laws help in their lives.**



### Reminders...

**Punctuality matters.** Please ensure that your child has plenty of time to get settled in their classrooms ready **before** the register is taken at **9am**.

Should your child arrive after 9am then we ask that a parent brings them into the main office to sign them in.

# What's been happening this week?



## Nursery



This week in Nursery we have been learning to play in the new areas and making friends. We have started to join in with carpet times and have enjoyed listening to some of our teachers' favourite stories, joining in with actions and key phrases.

## Reception



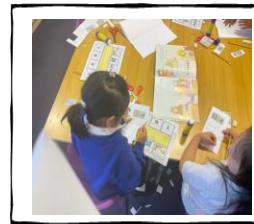
This week we have been reading Supertato. We have been busy making our own Supertato to help rescue the carrots from the Evil pea.

## Year 1



In Sapphire class this week we have been retelling the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. In Maths we have been finding missing numbers. We enjoyed going on a living things hunt around school.

## Years 1 /2 and 2



In English we have been writing a retell of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. In maths, the year 1 children have been finding missing numbers on a number line and the year 2 children have been partitioning numbers.

## Year 3



Exciting times this week in Year 3, we have been whizzing our way through our iPad lessons, signing our pupil agreements and learning where our iPads could take our learning. We have also been writing an alternative re-tell about the terrible Twits and securing our place value knowledge!

## Year 4



In English we have been writing a setting description of Medusa's lair. We have used expanded noun phrases and prepositional phrases. We have also been getting used to reading on MYON and using AR again..

## Year 5



Year 5 have been impressing their teachers this week with their wonderful writing of the story of Romeo and Juliet. In maths, they have been equally impressive with their place value knowledge.

## Year 6



This week, Year 6 enjoyed making electrical circuits. We were given a sheet with different diagrams, and our challenge was to make different circuits by following different instructions.

# Stars of the Week



Reception Ruby- Najifa for showing resilience when settling into her new Ruby class.

Year 1 Sapphire – Aleena for excellent number writing in Maths

Star Reader – Aminah for reading lots at home

Year 1/2 Pearl – Jack for always doing super listening and trying his best.

Star Reader – Hassam for answering lots of questions during shared reading sessions.

Year 2 Topaz – Hafsa for being a super friend to everyone and always trying her best in class.

Star Reader- Edridge for practising at home and trying hard to use expression when reading.

Year 3 Coral – Aaron for being such a breath of fresh air starting his first week at Northmoor like he's always been here! So happy to have you, Aaron!

Star Reader - Ayah for always completing her reading at home and filling her reading record out so beautifully.

Year 3 Garnet – Nusaibah for trying to use a range of sentences types in her writing this week!

Star Reader- David for reading at home every day this week!

Year 4 Amethyst – For completing all of his homework

Star Reader- Zainab for reading a variety of texts this week.

Year 4 Citrine – Resa for trying hard with her work even when it got tricky.

Star Reader- Rifatul for joining in with class reading.

Year 5 Jet – Suleiman for fantastic effort in his writing this week.

Star Reader- All of jet for fantastic reading this week!

Year 5 Zircon – Elijah for always doing the right thing and a great attitude to learning.

Star Reader- Samaa for super reading.

Year 6 Onyx – Humaira for a brilliant, mature attitude to all her learning in Year 6.

Star Reader - Diesta for excellent reading and AR quizzing at home this week.