

Northmoor News



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Friday 24th January 2025

Ms Beesley's News

We have had a very busy couple of weeks here at Northmoor with many of our children going on educational visits. These provide our children with exciting opportunities to explore new environments, gain new knowledge and develop important skills. I would like to extend our thanks to parents for your cooperation and support, without your contributions these visits would not be possible.



Believe, Achieve, Succeed Awards

Ruby- Mafkira

Sapphire – Aaima and Sara

Y1/2 Pearl- Adonai

Y2 Topaz- Damilola

Y3 Coral – Jahdiel

Y3 Garnet -Aman

Y4 Amethyst – Emanuel

Y4 Citrine- Rumaisah

Y5 Jet- Sofia

Y5 Zircon-Eshaal

Y6 Aquamarine - Maryam

Y6 Onyx- Joel

Snapchat Awareness

Pupils continue to report using Snapchat. I recently shared a letter with parents highlighting the risks that children are exposed to when using the APP. The **minimum age** to use snapchat is **13 years old**. Common risks include:

- Connecting with potentially harmful strangers
- Seeing inappropriate content
- Sharing location with others in real-time
- Excessive use
- Online pressures

We would encourage all parents to be vigilant and monitor children's device-use.



Dates for your Diary

Thursday 30th January- Jet Class Assembly,

Thursday 7th February- Aquamarine Class Assembly

Parents invited to attend, arrive at 2:30 for 2:35pm start.

Please be punctual when attending events, arriving late is disruptive for the children.

Due to parents' meetings there will be no after school activities on the week beginning 3rd February so all children must be collected at 3:20pm daily.

What's been happening this week?



Nursery



This week in Nursery we have been learning about the police. We have been pretending to be a police officer in the role play area, mark making our own fingerprints with chalk and using different materials to collage police vehicles with the junk modelling.

Reception



This week we have been reading 'Room on the Broom' and have been using new vocabulary to think of magic spells. In Maths we have been learning how to add using different objects. We have also had lots of fun making our own magic potions.

Year 1



This week, in maths year 1 have been subtracting using a part whole model. In Science we thought about the effect exercise has on our bodies. In Geography we learnt about the continents and where they are located.

Years 1 / 2 & 2



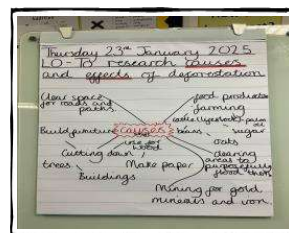
This week, in maths year 2 have been subtracting 2-digit numbers and year 1 have been solving missing number problems. The children are enjoying their computing lessons. They have inputted algorithms into blue bots.

Year 3



This week Year 3 have been on their trip to the science museum Magna! We had a fantastic day learning and rocks and volcanos! We explored and learned about the different elements. What fun we had!

Year 4



This week, Year 4 have been looking at writing an explanation on how we can prevent deforestation in the Amazon. We have been researching the causes (reasons why) deforestation is happening.

Year 5



Year 5 have been on a fantastic trip to Castleshaw over the past two weeks and have been loving learning all about rivers. They managed to find the source of the river, the valley and identified tributaries.

Year 6



This week, Year 6 have been looking at a short narrative about a character who travels to Buenos Aires but finds themselves lost in the Amazon Rainforest. We produced a 'Story Whoosh' drama scene of the story.