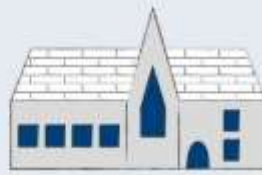
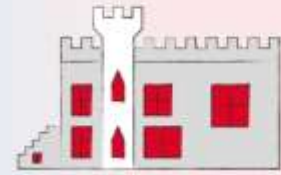




The Federation of North and South Cowton Community and Melsonby Methodist Primary Schools



Melsonby Methodist Primary School  
Live Life in all its Fullness



North and South Cowton Community Primary School  
Aspire, Inspire, Enquire

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

After the beautiful weather last week, we were all a little surprised by the snow that fell on our doorsteps this week, however we made the most of it whilst it lasted!



Despite the significant drop in temperature this week, children across both schools have continued to engage in and enjoy their P.E sessions with our sports coaches and dance teacher.

This term, as part of their dance unit of learning, each class have been building up to a performance, which we are hoping to film.

They have further developed their skills of teamwork and resilience during Tckoukball and netball. As the warmer weather approaches, we look forward to making the most of the outdoors to develop our skills in Athletics and are hopeful that we will see an increase in the number of face to face competitions running again. Hopefully there will be more medals to come this year!

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Robinson

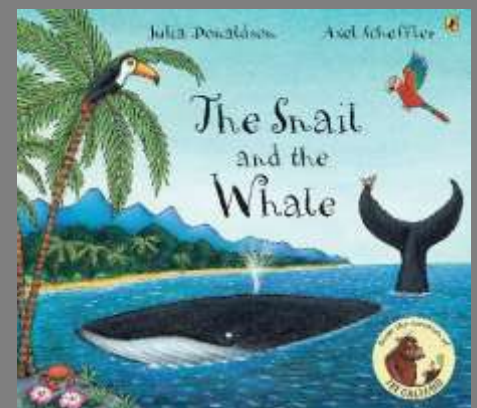
## Federation Notices and Dates

A reminder to please follow us on Twitter to find out what your child has been learning in school. Each week, we will upload photos from across the Federation so that you can find out more about what has been going on in each of the classes.

[FedofNorthandSouthCowtonandMelsonby \(@FedNSCMelsonby\) / Twitter](https://twitter.com/FedNSCMelsonby)

## Book Recommendations

This week, we are recommending a favourite book of ours by Julia Donaldson for Class 1. This will be their focus text next half term.





## News from Melsonby

On Monday, we had a visit from the Open the Book team, who came in to lead Collective Worship and perform a story from the Bible. We really value these opportunities and find that the children take so much away from participating in these sessions.



### Achievement Class 1 – Leo

For sharing his fantastic knowledge of landmarks this week in Geography. We were so impressed Leo. Well done!

### Class 2 – Laurence

Laurence consistently puts his best effort into all of his learning and in recent weeks we have been so impressed by his outcomes in maths as part of the early morning work with Year 6. Well done!

### Values

#### Class 1 – Lily

Lily has made great progress with her resilience towards learning and we couldn't be more proud! Her engagement and progress in her phonics and reading is fantastic! Well done Lily!

## Deadlines and Reminders

Please remember to bring £2 on Thursday to buy a cake and a drink at the Church.

Our updated school logo will be put onto any school uniform ordered for September. As there isn't a huge change to this, any uniform with the current logo can still be worn.

To launch our updated logo, the school will pay for one new jumper or cardigan per child for September. We will gather information on size orders from you next term.

## Dates for your Diaries

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April** – FOMS Easter Coffee Morning at St James' Church 9.30 -11.30

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April** – Easter Service at St James' Church, 2.00  
End of Term. **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April** – School re-opens



## News from North and South Cowton

This week, Class 1 have been learning all about democracy as part of their PSHE learning. The children decided to each take on a job role within their own class, collectively taking responsibility for their surroundings.



Following this, Class 1 have been busy recalling their knowledge of Mary Anning as part of their History learning. Ask them all about her at home!

### Achievement and Values

#### Class 2 – Aiden, Taylor and Wilf

This week, our Values and Achievement awards are going to Aiden, Taylor and Wilf for their amazing perseverance and resilience with some really challenging maths. We are so impressed by their consistently positive attitude towards tackling challenging problems and the way in which they coach each other through these. Well done boys!

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**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April** – Northallerton School staff in to speak to year 5 pupils

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April** – KS2 children to Hullabaloo Theatre to watch Baba Yaga

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April** – Easter egg Hunt & break up for Easter