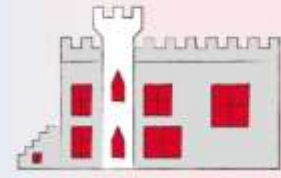




The Federation of North and South Cowton Community and Melsonby Methodist Primary Schools



Melsonby Methodist Primary School
Live Life in all its Fullness



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

Friday 13th May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been an action packed week for our Year 6 children this week. Enjoying a scrumptious breakfast together and sharing words of encouragement before the papers really gave them the right mindset to tackle their tests.

Throughout the week, they have all shown real resilience and determination in their attitude towards the SATS and we couldn't be more proud of them.

We would like to say a huge well done to everyone for the incredible effort they have put into their learning!



To thank the Year 6 children for their hard work, they were taken off to Hollywood Bowl on Friday afternoon to let their hair down and celebrate together.

We hope you all have a very relaxing weekend, especially our Year 6 children!

Mrs Robinson

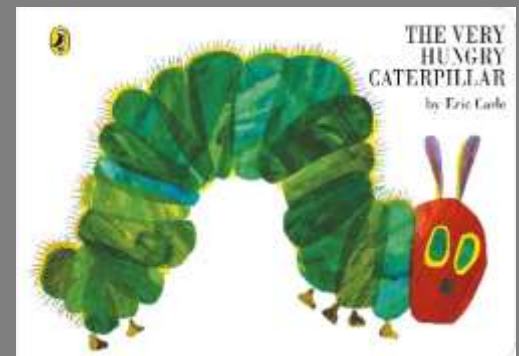
Federation Notices and Dates

Jubilee Celebrations

On Friday 27th May, we will be asking all children to come into school dressed in red, white or blue (or all three colours) to celebrate the upcoming Jubilee. We are planning a royal banquet/street party in each of our school's playgrounds on this day. The school's catering company are also adapting their menu for this day to tie in with the celebrations.

Book Recommendation

Reception children at Melsonby have been really enjoying their focus text this week, 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle.





News from Melsonby

Whilst the Year 6 children have been busy tackling maths papers, Class 1 have been building a solid foundation for their understanding of fractions using pizzas! They were exploring equal and unequal parts, making halves and quarters. And they even enjoyed tucking into their equal parts at the end of the session!



Achievement

Class 2- Florence, Tom, Patsy, Leo and Ella

For working incredibly hard in the lead up to and during their SATS. A huge well done from all of us. We are so proud!

Values

Class 2 – After receiving last week’s Achievement award, Melody has blown us away with an act of kindness that we must share. A child in her class ‘looked lonely’ in the lunch hall so Melody gave up her seat for them. We are very proud!

Deadlines and Reminders

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.

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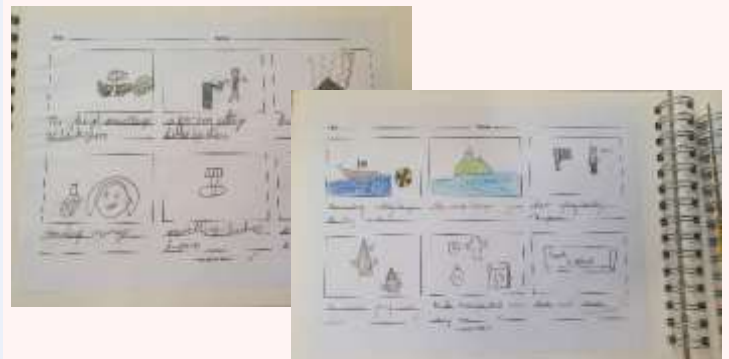
Dates for your Diaries

Sunday 22nd May – Duck Race
Thursday 26th May – Class 2 & Y2 trip
Friday 27th May – School closes for half term
Monday 6th June – SCHOOL CLOSED – STAFF TRAINING DAY
Tuesday 7th June – School re-opens to pupils



News from North and South Cowton

Class 2 have been looking at using art to tell a story. They have been learning about the Bayeux Tapestry and the Viking raids on Lindisfarne. They chose different images that were symbolic of the raids and used them to retell the story. They will eventually construct their own tapestry using symbols to tell a story.



Achievement and Values

Class 2 – Paige, Toby, Wilf, Aiden, Taylor, Leo and Nicholas

We have been so impressed by your dedication to achieving your very best and the way in which you have approached this week. A huge well done to you all!

Values

Class 2 – Sophia

For going above and beyond. Sophia decided to find out a number of interesting facts about Edinburgh, in her own time, ahead of the residential. Well done!

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A gentle reminder that the school closes at 3.15pm. If you are going to be late collecting your child, please could you telephone to let us know in advance.

Dates for your Diaries

Thursday 26th May – Visit from Dogs Trust
Friday 27th May – Jubilee tea party & school closes for half term – back to school Tuesday 7th June
Monday 13th – Wednesday 16th June – KS2 residential