

# Terrington C of E Primary School Bulletin

30th June 2023



## Cake donations needed for the school play on 11th July

Please can you let school or FOTS know what you can donate for the event. There will be a cafe so it would be great to have cakes to sell at the event.



## Transition Days

On Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July and Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July, we will be holding transition days in school, where the children will have a day in their new classes, and for some, their new teachers. The teachers will be leading fun 'get to know you' activities.

## Upcoming strike days

Letter concerning Strike Action at Terrington Primary School on **5th July** and **7th July** (please see attachment)

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

Transition Days	Monday 3rd July and Thursday 6th July
Welcome To Reception Talk	Monday 3rd July 3.30pm
Sports Day	Tuesday 4th July 1pm Start (reserve 6th July)
KS2 Swimming	Thursday 6th July
KS2 Rocking Romans Play	Tuesday 11th July (doors open 5.45pm starts at 6.00pm)
Askham Bryan Trip (EYFS) (Nursery and Reception)	Wednesday 12th July
Dalby Forest Trip (KS1 Years 1 & 2)	Friday 14th July
Quidditch	Tuesday 18th July

# INFORMATION

## **Welcome to Reception Talk**

**On Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, at 3:30pm**, Miss Birdsall will be holding a 'Welcome to Reception' talk which will discuss the very important transition from Nursery to Reception for **all parents of children starting Reception in September 2023. We strongly encourage all parents to attend, even if your child already attends the nursery to ensure both school and home can support their child's Reception learning.** This will provide usual information of what to expect in the Reception Year.

## **Total Sports Summer Activities (see attached posters)**

"Total Sports' amazing Summer Holiday Camps start on Monday 24th July and we can't wait for an action packed 6 weeks. If your child loves being active, making friends, playing on inflatable assault courses, having water fights and eating marshmallows by camp fires then our camps are for them!

Children and parents love our camps, we've been running for 17 years now and know how to make summers special. Make sure you book on ASAP to save your place as camps are filling up quickly especially with the offers we currently have on;

- Book on by July 10th to access our 10% early bird discount, using the discount code **EARLYSUMMER**
- Refer a friend and save £20 on your booking

First day free for any new child when they book in for more than 2 days! - email us at [enquiries@totalsportslimited.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@totalsportslimited.co.uk) for further details on how to receive this!

We can't wait to see you and your child at our York, Pocklington, Harrogate and Knaresborough venues for what promises to be an action packed Summer!!"



# INFORMATION

## **Sports Day**

On Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, we will be holding our sports day at Stillington Sports centre. Parents are welcome to join us from 1pm. All pupils require to come to school on their PE kit and bring a packed lunch, if not already ordered from school. We are aware that the Malton transition morning for year 4 and 5 is also taking place on this day. Pupils are welcome to attend the transition event with parents but can we please ask that they are returned to Stillington Sports centre upon return to school. Please can you inform the class teacher if you wish for your child to attend the transition event.

## **Quidditch Day**

On Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July, children in years 1-6 will be taking a trip to Hogwarts for our Quidditch day.

This will take place at Terrington Village Hall. Children from Stillington and Foston will be taken across by bus, which will depart at 9:15am and they will return before the end of the school day.

All children are required to come in their PE kit: white t-shirt, black shorts or jogging bottoms and trainers. Children should also wear their school jumper/cardigan and bring their own, clearly named water bottle. Please can we also ask that pupils bring a sun hat and sun cream is applied before school (a labelled bottle can also be brought with them).

On this day, pupils are required to bring a packed lunch from home or order one from the school office by **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June**. The sandwich options are: ham, cheese and tuna.

**Children in Nursery and Reception will eat at school as usual.**

If anyone has any questions, please direct them to the school office to be passed on to Miss Tordoff.

## **Bat Survey**

This week, we were very lucky to have members of the local community join us to talk about different bat species. We explored the different aspects of Bat life including their habitats and food. Here is what one of our children had to say:

On Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2023 we had a talk on what bats and how they communicate, then we went to meadow to plant a device that has a microphone and listens for bat noises which records what species of bat there is in the area. We plan to use this data as part of our curriculum learning of statistics.





# PASTORAL LEAD



I had the pleasure of being in one of our schools last week where the children were talking about kindness, and I was blown away with the things they were saying that it got me thinking about the little things in life. It costs nothing to be kind. A smile, a thank you, a word of appreciation can spark happiness that even money can't buy and it does not only work wonders for the receiver but the giver as well. I used to think that kindness is genetic. You are either born with it or not, but what if we can teach ourselves to be kinder?

So the children inspired me to have a look at some posters that we could display around our schools, here are a couple along with one of our KS2 children's own words on kindness. So if you're standing in a queue in the supermarket or even in the playground, just remember a simple smile or hello can work wonders, we never know what someone is going through. Between us we can help our children to show kindness and treat others how we would want to be treated.

Vicki Allon - Pastoral Lead 😊



It only takes a split second to  
smile and forget,  
yet to someone that needed it,  
it can last a lifetime

- Steve Maraboli

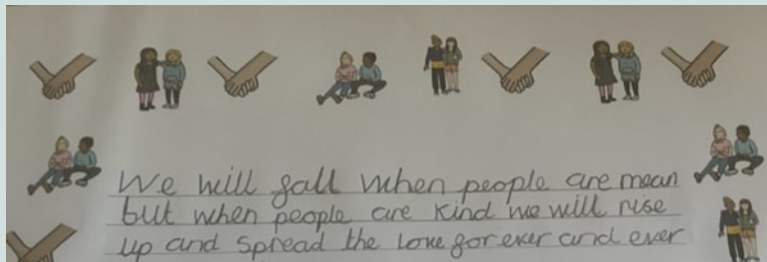
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Be an encourager  
Scatter sunshine  
Who knows whose life  
you might touch with something  
as simple as a **kind word**

Debbie Macomber

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# EYFS/KS1 WOW WORK

## Fun in the Mud Kitchen!

We would like to say thank you FOTS for supporting us with finding a lovely new mud kitchen and a massive THANK YOU to Kerry and John for creating a fantastic mud kitchen for all the Early Years children to enjoy. We have had so much fun already!



## EYFS

We have had so much fun exploring sinking and floating this week! Reception make their own recordings on a chart as we conducted our investigation.



## KS1

The Year 1 and Year 2 children have been exploring sculptures in art by challenging themselves with joining techniques.

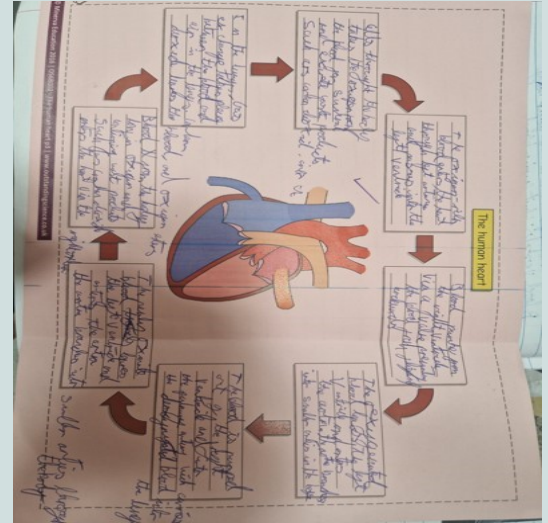
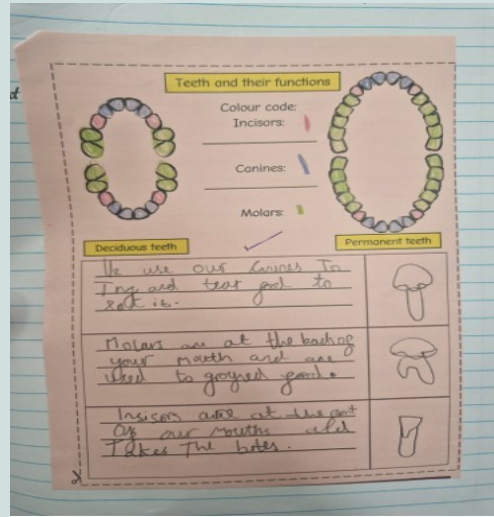






# KS2 WOW WORK

This week in KS2, we have been exploring the intricacies of the circulatory and digestive systems unveils the remarkable mechanisms that sustain life within the human body. The circulatory system, with its vast network of blood vessels, pumps oxygenated blood to every organ and tissue, while simultaneously removing waste products. Similarly, investigating the digestive system exposes the remarkable journey of food and its transformation into essential nutrients. Here are examples of work which we conducted in order to share our learning.



## ROCKING ROMANS

Please see below the poster made by the KS2 children for our end of year production on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm at the Terrington Village Hall. Tickets are available from the school office.

