



Weekly News Friday 17th March 2023

Week 4 Spring Term 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a difference a week makes! It felt like Spring today, which was very welcome here at school.

We welcomed a visit from the Outwood Hub today, who are working with us to develop our teaching of early reading and phonics. Mr. Cliffe, our English Leader and Mrs. Gotts, our Early Reading and Phonics Leader, spent time showing our visitor round EYFS and KS1 and sharing some of our teaching and learning. As always, the children impressed us with their engagement and enthusiasm, and we could see the wonderful progress that they are making. We will continue to work with Outwood as we are always keen to learn and develop our own work as practitioners - we look forward to exciting times ahead!

Have a lovely weekend,

Jo Hall



Tuesday 28th March – Bag 2 School

To support the work we do with the children in school about the importance of recycling and helping the environment we will be enhancing this learning by helping to divert unwanted textiles away from landfill. This is also a fantastic way of raising vitally needed funds for our school. Click [here](#) for full details.

Safeguarding

If you are worried about any safeguarding situations, or you feel a child is being harmed you should contact Mrs Jo Hall (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Judith Hollywood (Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) to share your information.

If you want to remain anonymous you can report concerns through the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership website click [here](#).

Or phone 01609 780780

It's everyone's responsibility to work together to keep children safe.

Twitter



Did you know that we are on Twitter? Follow us at [@SaltergateSchs](#). Feel free to share our posts and connect with us on there, if you have a local business/community group, please

follow us and say hello! Keep an eye on there for events, classroom activities etc.

Y2 PE sessions next week, will be on Monday and Friday.

Spotlight - Family Support Hub

Autism Awareness Coffee Morning

Please join us to spend time with other parents where we can share experiences, celebrate successes and help each other with difficulties.

Please let us know if you're planning to attend this event - <https://forms.office.com/e/Jif5CiMJur>

Dogs

Please can we remind you that dogs are not permitted on any part of the school site.

Saltergate PTA

I am delighted to invite you to a meeting of our Saltergate PTA on Tuesday 18th April at 5pm.

Please enter the school via the Infant reception. This is an opportunity for everyone who is interested to come along and discuss ways that we can fundraise for our schools and build up our community.

Please come along, even if you have never been part of a PTA before – you can listen to ideas from others and will not be under any pressure to say anything or to commit to a role!

It would be wonderful to welcome lots of parents and carers to this meeting!

Thank you!

Year 3 Harlow Carr Trip

We wanted to say a huge thank you to the parent helpers that joined us on our school trip this week. The children had a fantastic time learning about how plants grow, and we even squeezed in some exploring of the beautiful gardens after our workshops!

A great day for all!



The poster features a central graphic of a coffee cup with a colorful autism awareness ribbon. The text reads: 'SALTERGATE FAMILY SUPPORT COFFEE MORNING', 'AUTISM AWARENESS', and 'Wednesday 22nd March 9am - 10am'. Below this, it says: 'Come in and join other parents and learn more about support available in our community for those who find aspects of everyday life challenging due to diagnosed or suspected autism.' It lists activities: 'Share experiences', 'Discuss difficulties', and 'Celebrate successes'. A puzzle piece graphic contains the following categories: 'Clothing', 'Sleep', 'Going out', 'Support', 'Pets', 'Toys & Equipment', and 'Routine'. At the bottom, there are icons of five diverse people and contact information: '01423 508552', 'www.saltergateschools.co.uk', and 'familysupport@saltergateschools.co.uk'.

Red Nose Day 2023

The children have had lots of fun today learning to understand the importance of charity whilst taking part in some red themed activities such as a red treasure hunt and a red balloon 'keepy uppy' challenge.

The children have also brought in a joke each and have submitted these to the School Council who will be creating a Saltergate Red Nose joke book.

We are immensely proud of the children and their understanding of charity. If you would also like to support this cause, please make your donation by clicking [here](#). So far we have raised £72. I hope we are able to raise even more in support of this charity.

Infants	
Who is on the Golden Bench this week?	
Coelho (Y2)	Imogen and Oscar
Percival (Y2)	Harrison and Ava
Jeffers (Y1)	Charlie and Miller
Bright (Y1)	Elle and Theo
Donaldson (R)	Evelyn and Jake
Adeola (R)	Alice and Jasper

Juniors			
Who are the 'work stars' of the week?			
Kipling (Y6)	Bailey	Pullman (Y6)	Leonie
Cowell (Y6)	Layton		
Tolkien (Y5)	Reuben	Potter (Y5)	Amy
Morpurgo (Y4)	Riley	Rowling (Y4)	Harrison
Walliams (Y3)	Leo	Dahl (Y3)	Leo



Saltergate Superstars

Reception



Donaldson Class - These super extra mile entries are fantastic. Evelyn has painted her favourite book characters 'The Smeds and The Smoos' and Jake has painted his favourite book 'What the Ladybird Heard'. Both stories are written by Julia Donaldson – very fitting as our class is now named after Julia! Well done Evelyn and Jake, brilliant effort.

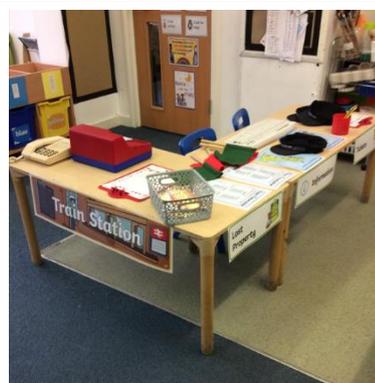


Adeola Class – William has started off our new Maths Knowledge Organiser with some brilliant 'extra mile' work of some number blocks! Well done William, these are fantastic! Super job, well done!

Year 1



Bright Class – The children have continued to bring in lots of amazing maths work for their 'Extra Mile'. Evie has also made a wonderful, box packed with healthy foods for the PE knowledge organiser. Well done!

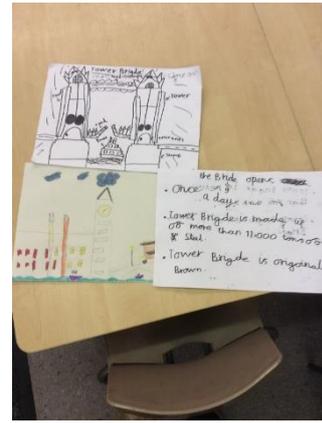


Jeffers Class – We still have out extra mile from last week after our snow day! This week we have been learning about George Stephenson. The children have enjoyed the role play train station.

Year 2



Percival Class – This week we have so much Extra Mile work from our lovely Percival class. They have continued to really enjoy our work on the Great Fire of London. Well done Percival



Coelho Class – We still have our super 'Extra Mile Learning' from last week to celebrate in our Together Time. This week, we've also had some fascinating facts about London Bridge with a very detailed drawing, as well as a beautiful drawing of some of London's landmarks. Well done everybody!

Year 3



Dahl Class – What beautiful colours! Inspired by American artist Georgia O'Keefe, gorgeous petals and flowers can clearly be seen. A truly lovely creation! Well done!



Walliams Class – Some fantastic investigating of plants took place at Harlow Carr on Monday and one of our brilliant pupils even dressed up and gave a great performance as a 'Buzzy Bee'!

Year 4



Morpurgo Class – No extra mile work this week due to the snow day so here is one of our class creations from that snowy day – we love it!



Rowling Class – Wow! Look at this amazing maths work demonstrating fabulous knowledge about coordinates! The attention to detail is wonderful! Well done!

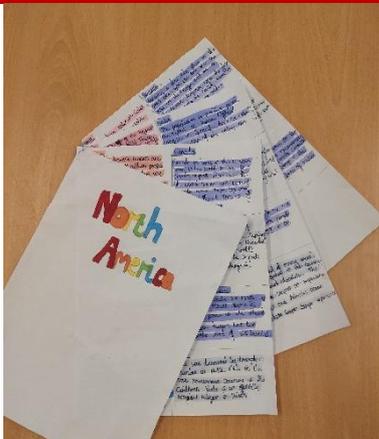
Year 5



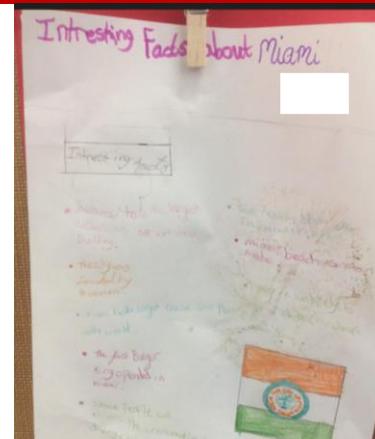
Potter Class – Amy made this great presentation on converting between fractions, decimals and percentages.

Tolkien Class – Look at these wonderful posters about converting fractions, decimals and percentages: well done for your fabulous work! Super maths, organisation and presentation!

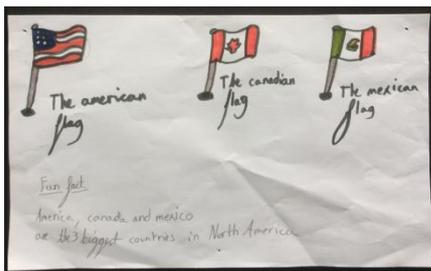
Year 6



Kipling Class – Well done to Nevaeh for producing such a lovely fact file about the countries of North America.



Pullman Class – Ella made a lovely information poster about Miami! Some great facts I didn't know about! Well done!



Cowell Class – Thank you to Bella for bringing in her extra mile work linked to our North America knowledge organiser – great work, well done!

Important Information/links

Bad weather arrangements	Click here
Important Information regarding School Gates	Click here
Year 1 Reading books	Click here
Summer 2023 Lunch menu	Summer Menu available here Price increase letter
Monday 20 th March	Year 5 - local history tour of Harrogate and visiting the library Click here for details
Tuesday 21 st March	Springtime Stay & Play (Nursery)
Wednesday 22 nd March	Autism Awareness coffee morning Please register here
Tuesday 28 th March	Bag2School – Charity clothes collection to raise funds for school Click here for details
Wednesday 29 th March	Year 3 & 4 Cross Country event at Ashville School Click here for details
Monday 17 th April 2023	National Offer Day Announcement of Reception places Announcement of Year 3 places
Monday 8 th May 2023	Additional Bank Holiday in celebration of the King's Coronation
Operation Encompass (Domestic Abuse support)	Click here for details
Year 4 – Multiplication tables check Information for parents	Information for parents click here
Children with special dietary requirements	Please complete the form by clicking here
CEOP helping 4–7-year-olds be safer online	www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/
Pupil Premium – Applying for additional support for your child (this is NOT Universal Infant Free School Meals UIFSM)	Click here to apply
Permission to attend school trips	https://forms.office.com/r/G9VzHbj95A
Permission to have photos taken	https://forms.office.com/r/egMpHwrQnQ
Permission to walk home (Year 5 & 6 ONLY)	https://bit.ly/3wn01U1
Absences from school exceptional circumstances (one off event which is unavoidable)	Pupil Leave of Absence Request Saltergate Schools
If your child needs to have regular medication such as an asthma inhaler, please complete this form	https://forms.office.com/r/zScm8baXvE
Staffing List: 2022-2023 UPDATE	https://bit.ly/3uKoT86
Term Dates: 2022-2023	https://bit.ly/3MOqZdG
Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) - This is different to Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM) that children Reception to Year 2 receive	<div style="border: 2px solid orange; padding: 10px;"> <p style="font-size: small; color: white; background-color: #003366; padding: 5px;">Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here:</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; color: white; background-color: #003366; padding: 2px 5px;">www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals</p>  <p style="text-align: right; font-weight: bold; font-size: large; color: #003366;">NYES</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small; color: #003366;">Catering</p> </div>

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