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NEWSLETTER

Important Messages this week

School will be closed to all students on **Friday 4th October** as it is an INSET day.

We would like to say a huge thank you to our Holgate community for your ongoing support with fundraising which has enabled us to have a trim trail for the children to enjoy.



European Day of Languages - 26th September

We are inviting our children to either dress in the colours which represent the country or countries who speak that particular language, or should they wish to, dress in a traditional costume.

6AW Library Visit - 26th September

6AW are visiting the library in the morning. Don't forget to send your child with a library card if they would like to take a book out. If you are able to volunteer to help with the visit please let us know.

Flu Vaccinations - 28th November

If you would like your child to receive the flu vaccine in school this year, please follow this link to complete an online consent form. If you would like to decline, please complete a no consent form on the attached link. The link will close on the 13/11/2024

<https://nhslmms.azurewebsites.net/session/d9051fc4>



Primary and Nursery School

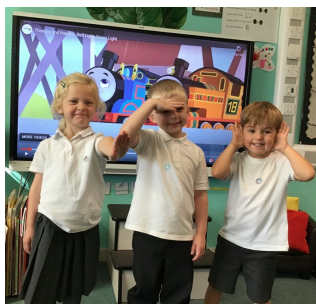
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Head of School - Samantha Sheridan

HERE'S THE NEWS

The children in **nursery** have watched a Thomas the Tank video about safety on the railways, the key words to remember are:- STOP LOOK LISTEN.

The children acted out the three words.



This week in **F2** we have been talking about our families and sharing pictures of when we were babies. We thought about the differences of what we did when we were babies compared to what we can do now that we are 4 years old. Can you work out who these children are in f2 when they were babies from their photographs?



EYFS

Years 1 and 2

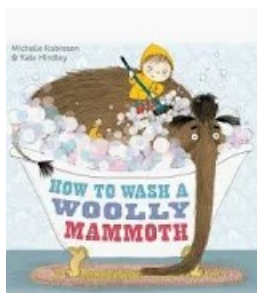
As part of our 'Save Our Oceans' Vehicle, **Year 2** completed a litter pick around school. We were shocked at the amount of litter we found around our school grounds. We felt so cross we wrote a letter to Mr Walker to discuss how we can help to keep our school clean.



HERE'S THE NEWS

Years 3 and 4

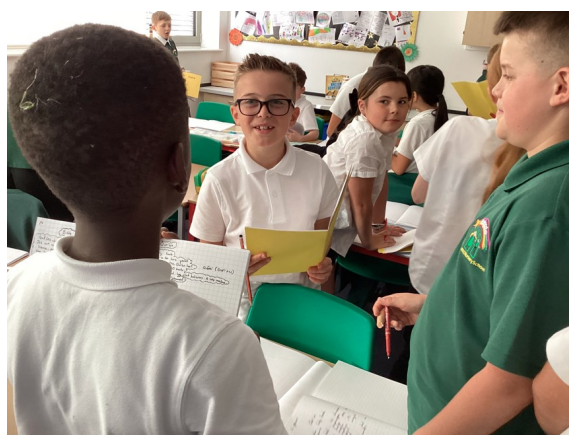
Year 3 have read lots of new texts since we started in September. How to wash a woolly mammoth is full of instructions. Ask your child to give you an instruction. Are they using rich and interesting vocabulary?



Year 4 have been looking at how important for our maths learning it is to know your times tables. We have logged onto Times Tables Rockstars and completed some heat maps so we know which times tables we need to focus on. You can help practice times tables at home on TTRS - <https://trockstars.com/>



Year 6 started their new science lesson with a “walk around the classroom” sharing ideas and swapping information about everything they know about what the body needs to live. They soon collected many facts.



Years 5 and 6

Message from the Children's

Parliament and Children's Forums

This week the forum members who were elected in the Summer term have been meeting to vote which Year 6 member will represent their forum. These Year 6s will form the Pupil Voice Committee and they will meet Miss Davies and our Children Parliamentarians Jack and Poppy once a half term to look at whole school priorities and to share what their forum has been up to. Our first Pupil Voice Committee meeting is next week, so keep your eyes peeled for updates!





This week at Holgate we are celebrat-

PRIDE AWARDS

This week we are very proud of the following children who have received **PRIDE** awards from Mrs Sheridan for demonstrating that they are taking **P**ersonal **R**esponsibility **I**n **D**elivering **E**xcellence:

Francesca C - F2	Isabelle C - Y4	Jake B - Y5
Toby M - Y2	Elsie WL - Y4	Nikkiah H - Y6
Sophia A - Y2	Freddie B - Y5	Josh M - Y6
Raneev G - Y3	Xander E - Y5	Charlotte N - Y6
Athulya P - Y3	Harper L - Y5	Daisy G - Y6
Layla S - Y3	Charlie B - Y5	

Whole School
Attendance:
93.88%

Winning Classes:
1/2EB—96.47
3NK—97.24%

Special Mentions

This week our assembly special mention is for: **Someone who helps others when working as a team**

We are pleased to announce that the following children received a nomination from their year group team in assembly this week:

Nursery: Jakson— Joe c, Woods M.

Reception: Kendall-Grace W, Elora S, Florence R, Laraya M.

Year 1: Jayden B, Joseph CY, Sofiya S.

Year 2: Tayla-Grace M, Olivia C, Matthew H.

Year 3: Suzanna C, Georgia E, Scarlett M, Max H.

Year 4: Stanley H, Ada E, Preston-Joe C, Sarah-Jane D.

Year 5: Josh T, Freddie B, George P, Izzy W.

Year 6: Lexi FM, Oliver C, Jacob C, Taylor-Grace P.



Celebrate

This week at Holgate we are celebrating ...

Golden Table



Each week we have a special Golden Table set up in our school dinner hall. This table is for those "always" children who always make the right choices, always follow our school rules and uphold the Transform Trust Values of *Respect, Kindness, Equity and Creativity*. This week the following children were celebrated on our Golden Table.:

F2	F2SB - Hunter-Jak C, Albie M	F2WS - Eliza H, Amelia B
Year 1	1HO - Amirah B, Lola B	1/2EB - Briar-Rose A, Jania O
Year 2	2DG - Mia W, Hailee SC	



Reading is such an important life skill and as a school we actively encourage regular reading alone and with others.

Using our Boom Reader Records we can see which children are recording their reading regularly.



210/415 parents signed up. Year 1 has 83.7% of parents signed up.

The overall class with the highest sign-up is 2DG 84.6% of parents are signed up

If you have yet to sign up, please contact the school office who will support you in accessing the Boom Reader app





Signs of the Week

This week our school signs of the week are:



Dinner



Sandwiches



Dinner

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2n-RvOXF8Bc>

Sandwiches

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YdrJW6KSPrA>

Musician of the Month

This month's Musician of the Month is:

Bob Marley



More information can be found on the school's website: [Hol-](#)

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After-school Enrichment

Clubs this week are:

Monday: Football, Pen Pal, Dance (all KS2)

Tuesday: Glee (KS1 & KS2)

Wednesday: Cricket/Rounders (KS2), Dough KS1 & KS2).

Thursday: Cinema Night (F2 –Y6)

Friday: Gardening/Welly Club (F2—Y6)

Please contact the school office for booking

Time 2 Chat

This week's topic for chatter time at home is ...

If you could eat lunch with your favourite book character, who would it be, where would you go and what would you eat?





Nottinghamshire School Holidays 2024-25

August 2024 to July 2025

2024/2025

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School Holidays



Public Holidays



Administration Day

Autumn Term

2 September - 18 October **7 weeks**

4 November - 20 December **7 weeks**

Spring Term

6 January - 14 February **6 weeks**

24 February - 4 April **6 weeks**

Summer Term

22 April - 23 May **4 weeks 3 days**

2 June - 29 July **8 weeks 2 days**