



Newsletter

Autumn 2 – Week 4

Week beginning – 21/11/2022



Library Visits Next Week

A quick reminder that classes **3NW** and **4AW** will be visiting the library on **Thursday 1st December**; **3NW** will be going in the morning and **4AW** will be going in the afternoon. If your child has a library card, they are welcome to bring this on the day to withdraw books.



Mentions:

Nursery: Adefolake B, Halima G.

Reception: Hailee S-C, Archie W-L, Dexter L, Sophia A.

Year 1: Evie G, Kian B, Grace L, Ava H.

Year 2: Isabelle C, Alanna E, Illiyen I, Ruby C.

Year 3: Sophia B, Jake B, Harvey E, Amy M.

Year 4: Archie R, Charlotte N, Azalea A, Jacob C.

Year 5: Layla M, Tyeshia A, Ronnie-Lee H, Kai S.

Year 6: Amy D, Amelia S. 6AW in workshop.

Attendance:

Whole School attendance: 93.88 %

Winning Classes: 1RW – 96.9 %
4AR – 97.5 %

Time 2 Chat:

For this weeks time to talk imagine you are the astronaut in the picture below and are in outer space. Talk about what you think you might see, hear, smell, touch etc. Use your imagination as no one really knows what is out there 😊

Do you think you will see any life? If so what may you see?
Will you land on any planets? What might they be like?
Will there be anything on them?
What do the stars look like close up?
How do you feel bobbing about in space? Scared?
Excited?

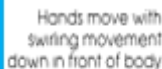
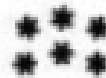
If you are feeling creative why not share stories about your space adventure.



Sign of the week:



Snow



Snowman

Snow

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

Snowman

<https://www.facebook.com/2138611176458442/videos/321719998464549/>

Christmas Choir Dates

Holgate school choir have been busy for weeks learning their festive songs. We will be performing at several events over the next few weeks. Here are the dates for your calendar. Please come and see us if you can.

Wednesday 30th November

Hucknall Christmas Festival - Time TBC - all welcome.

Tuesday 13th December

Buddleia House – 10am.

Friday 16th December

Tesco – 1pm – Pop and support.

Monday 19th December

Holgate Christmas concert – 2pm – parents of Glee and Choir.



This Week's Golden Table Children



Year 3	3JB Sonny F & Harley K	3NW Moses M-C & Noah W
Year 4	4AR Daisy G & Ellie-Mae A	4AW Henry B & Jack H
Year 5	5DG Evie H & Ruby G	5GS Evie B & Abigail O
Year 6	6AW Jake H & Chloe R	6IR Logan A & Blase H



We are aware that school meals are currently incorrect on ParentMail. This will be corrected in due course and we apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused. Please see the correct menu's on Facebook or in the school foyer.

Term Dates:

Please see below for the Nottinghamshire County Council School holiday dates for 2022/23.

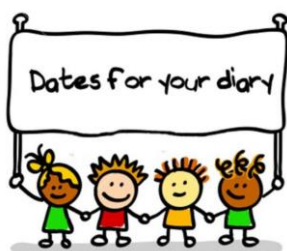
Last Day of Autumn Term – Wednesday 21st December.

Return to school – Wednesday 4th January.

Class Emails:

Nursery (Miss Taylor/Mrs Dixon)	HPF1@holgateprimary.org
F2SB (Mrs Bacon)	F2SB@holgateprimary.org
F2WS (Mr Smith)	F2WS@holgateprimary.org
1HO (Mrs O' Kane)	1HO@holgateprimary.org
1RW (Miss Symington)	1RW@holgateprimary.org
2EB (Miss Baker)	2EB@holgateprimary.org
2RV (Miss Wragg)	2RV@holgateprimary.org
3JB (Mrs Bardgett)	3JB@holgateprimary.org
3NW (Mrs Wilkinson)	3NW@holgateprimary.org
4AR (Mr Rathe)	4AR@holgateprimary.org
4AW (Miss Wood)	4AW@holgateprimary.org
5DG (Mr Gleave)	5DG@holgateprimary.org
5GS (Mr Smith)	5GS@holgateprimary.org
6AW (Mrs Woodhead)	6AW@holgateprimary.org
6IR (Miss Roe)	6IR@holgateprimary.org

After school clubs



Day	Club	Year Group
Monday	Choir	KS2
Monday	Dance	KS1
Monday	Football	KS2
Monday	Pen Pal	KS2
Wednesday	Dodgeball	KS2
Wednesday	Dough	Y1-5
Thursday	Film Club	Whole School
Thursday	Glee	KS1 & KS2
Friday	Football	KS1



EYFS

This week was our first reading morning in **nursery**. We enjoyed lots of lovely stories with our grown ups and even had some yummy snacks and juice. Thank you to everyone who came to read with our children they all loved it and hope to see lots of you again next week.



KS1 (Years 1 and 2)

To support our vehicle called "The Deep" **Year 2** will be visiting The Deep on **Thursday 15th December 2022**. This trip will include having a workshop. Thank you to all parents/carers that have given consent and made a contribution for their child to attend the trip to The Deep. A reminder that if you have not already done so, please give consent for your child and make a contribution via ParentMail.



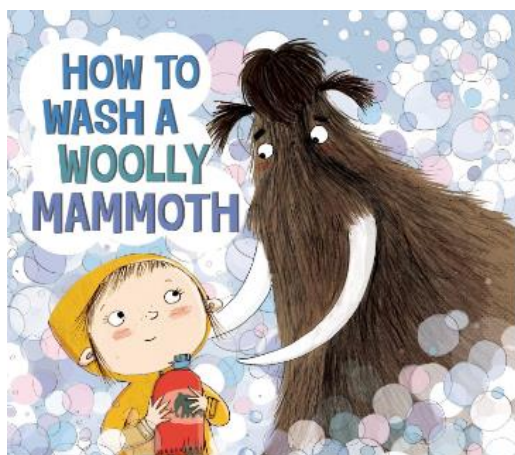
In **F2** this week we worked together to make our own castle!! We even have a working drawbridge!!



KS2 (Years 3 and 4)

This week in English **Year 3** have started a new text; 'How to wash your woolly mammoth.' This is a great book for teaching instructions as there are lots of grammar features: linking adverbs, imperative verbs and the need to sequence. It has been interesting and funny to hear the children give each other instructions in the wrong order and watch them try to problem solve their way to correcting it. Here is a read aloud link to the text.

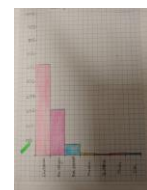
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KPDUI3XYSJU>



KS2 (Years 5 and 6)

In **Year 5** this week, we have had a focus on Design & Technology. The children worked in groups to work out the nutritional values of their Christmas dinner and started to consider if this was a healthy or unhealthy meal. In English, we have continued to look at the text 'Way Home' which links to our vehicle around homelessness. For this vehicle, we are asking for donation of food and other items, which we can pass on to a local homeless charity. A Parentail was sent out about this last week and we have already started to receive donations. Thank you to everyone who has donated so far!

As part of our RE topic this term, **Year 6** have been looking at some of the different faiths in our communities. We have found out information about the differences in religions, that are followed in Hucknall and Mansfield, by completing and understanding data in bar charts. The children have enjoyed discussing what it means to be part of a diverse community and how sharing different ideas, faiths, food, traditions, language skills can promote a more respectful and tolerant society.



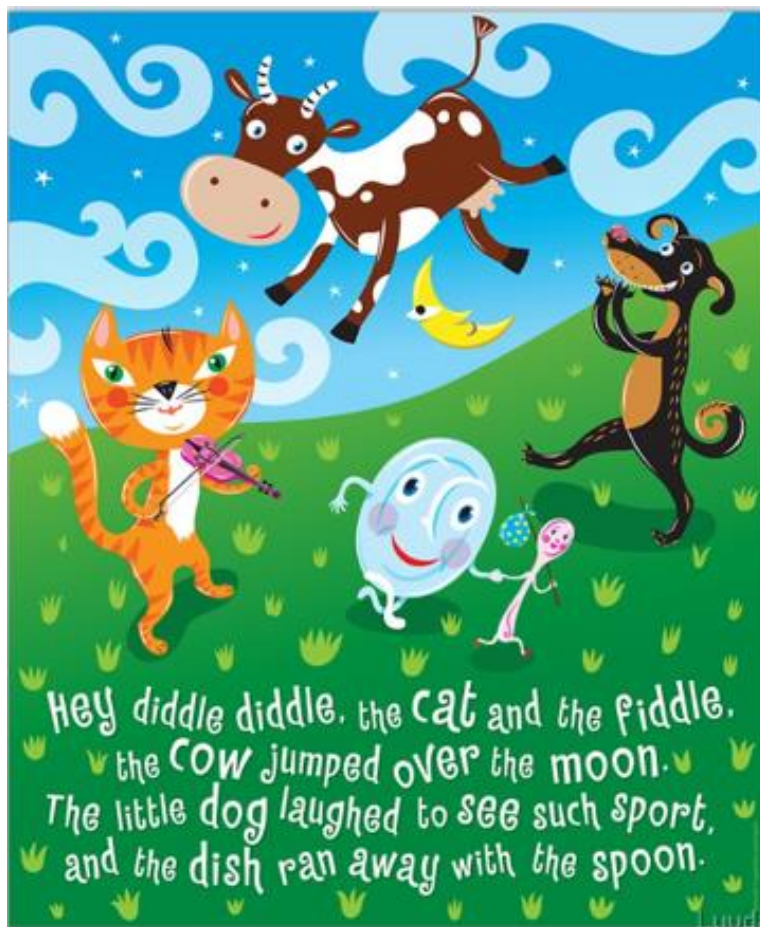
Nursery Rhymes at Holgate

In EYFS and Key Stage 1, the children will be having a weekly nursery rhyme focus.

This will be practised in each class throughout the week as well as during assemblies.

Every Friday, this will be put on the newsletter in preparation for the upcoming week. This will give you chance to engage with the nursery rhyme with your child at home too.

The nursery rhyme for the upcoming week is ...



Nottinghamshire School Holidays 2022-23

September 2022 to July 2023



September 2022

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April 2023

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May 2023

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June 2023

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July 2023

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August 2023

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	School Holidays		Public Holidays		Administration Day
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Autumn Term

Schools Open - morning Wednesday 31 August 2022
 Half Term - Monday 17 October 2022 - Friday 28 October
 Schools close - evening Wednesday 21 December 2022

Spring Term

Schools Open - morning Wednesday 4 January 2023
 Half Term - Monday 13 February 2023 - Friday 17 February 2023
 Spring Break - Monday 3 April 2023 - Friday 14 April 2023

Summer Term

Schools Open - morning Tuesday 17 April 2023
 May Day Bank Holiday - Monday 1 May 2023
 Half Term - Monday 29 May 2023 - Friday 2 June 2023
 Schools Close - evening Tuesday 25 July 2023

*Return date for August/September 2023 TBC