



Newsletter

Autumn 2 – Week 7

Week beginning – 12/12/2022



Library Visits Next Week

There will be no library visits next week. Library visits will continue after the Christmas break with classes **F2SB** and **2RV** visiting on **Thursday 12th January**. **F2SB** will be visiting in the morning and **2RV** in the afternoon. If your child has a library card, they are welcome to bring this on the day to withdraw books.



Mentions:

Nursery: Emelia H, Rosie-Mae P.

Reception: All children in reception.

Year 1: Layla C, Daniel M, Raneev G, Myla S-S.

Year 2: Axel O, Jacob C-Y, Sydney S, Ruby C.

Year 3: Harvey M, Darcy C, Aseel N, Leon D.

Year 4: Oliver C, Henry B, Faizah-Lee T, Freddie J.

Year 5: Alesha W, Olivia B, Mia S, Molly B.

Year 6: Emma A, Finley Q, Jacob R, Tahera B.

Attendance:

Whole School attendance: 89.97 %

Winning Classes: F2WS – 97.65 %

Time 2 Chat:

This week we have seen a big change to the weather and it has started to get really cold. We would like you this week to talk to your child about winter. Maybe you could ask them questions such as:

How has the weather changed since Autumn?
What has happened to the leaves on the trees?
Have the clothes we wear changed?
What might it be like when you get up in the morning?
What might you do to keep warm?

The picture below might give you a few ideas to talk about.



Sign of the week:



Christmas Tree



Present



Happy/Merry



Christmas

happy



We wish you a merry Christmas.

Christmas Tree

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=thgCBbYChf0>

Present

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uqkX_hWIhao

We wish you a merry Christmas – can you sign along?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a-PBixyD_GU



Events Next Week

- Monday 19th December**
Choir and Glee Club performance to parents.
- Tuesday 20th December**
EYFS Parent Christmas Forest School Session
Y1/2 Christmas Party
Y3/4 Christmas Party
Y5/6 Christmas Movies
KS2 Christmas Carol Concert (St Mary’s Church)
- Wednesday 21st December**
EYFS Christmas Party
Last day of term.



There will be no newsletter next week as it is the last day of term on Wednesday 21st December, therefore we would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing the children back in school on Wednesday 4th January.

This Week’s Golden Table Children



F2	F2SB Aliza C & Olivier W	F2WS Toby M & Olivia-Mae D
Year 1	1HO Gracie J & Felicity B	1RW Connor Y & Scarlet Purdy
Year 2	2EB Ruby C & Joshua W-K	2RV Malakai M & Elsie W-L
Year 3	3NW Harley-Jack H & Kacey P	3JB Ruby W & Freddie B
Year 4	4AW Mila N & Lexi F-M	4AR Oscar M and Otis M
Year 5	5DG Riley B & Ewan L	5GS Alfie I & Joshua S
Year 6	6AW Karam S & Reece	6IR Noah B & Connor H



Please remember to order and pay for any school meals in advance using ParentMail. The price for a school meal is £2.41.

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.

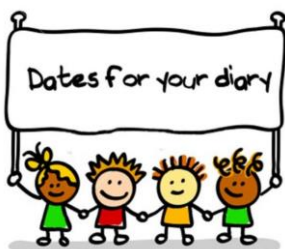
Inset Day – Friday 20th January.

School closed to children due to staff training.

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



There will be no after school clubs next week. Please look out for after school clubs in the new year!



EYFS

F1 enjoyed another lovely visit from Mrs Turner who works for St Mary Magdalene Church in Hucknall. She came into nursery to tell us the Nativity story. She used some lovely puppets to re-tell the story and all the children showed excellent listening skills and developed their knowledge of this special story. Some comments from the children included - "Mary was married to Joseph" and "Jesus was a special baby".



KS1 (Years 1 and 2)

Thank you to all the families who attended our Y2 Christmas Quiz and cookie decorating sessions. We will announce the winner of the Christmas Hamper on Tuesday.



KS2 (Years 3 and 4)

This week in maths Y3 have been very busy learning to tell the time. It has been a mixture of recapping their previous knowledge and then challenging them further. Year 3 are now VERY good at O'clock, half past and quarter past BUT calculating the time to the next hour has been tricky. Here is a teaching clock we have been using in class for you to help your child further.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/time/teaching-clock>



KS2 (Years 5 and 6)

Every week, Y6 have a French lesson. Over the years in KS2, we have increased our French vocabulary, learning phrases for home, school, weather, clothes, greetings etc. Now in Year 6, we have moved on to forming regular verbs. It's tricky at times but everyone is trying really hard. It will be good preparation for our transition to senior school. Au revoir.



Can you fill in the correct STEM and ENDINGS for the verb: TOURER

Personal Pronoun	Stem	Endings
Je	tour	e
Tu	tour	es
Il	tour	e
Elle	tour	e
Nous	tour	ons
Vous	tour	ez
Ils	tour	ent
Elles	tour	ent

Moonster Phonics

For the remainder of Autumn 2, in our phonics lessons, we will be re-visiting all of the new phonemes we have been learning this term.



You can find the phonemes each year group will be re-visiting below

Reception

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5	WEEK 6	WEEK 7	WEEK 8	WEEK 9	WEEK 10	WEEK 11	WEEK 12
satp	in	mdg	ockck	eur	hb	f f l l ss	j v w x	y z zz qu	ch sh th th ng	long oo	ur

Year 1

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5	WEEK 6	WEEK 7	WEEK 8	WEEK 9	WEEK 10	WEEK 11	WEEK 12
ff ss zz ll ck nk	tch ve ai	ai ay ou	ouffle a/es contains i a_e	e-e l-e o-e	u-e u-e ar	ee ouffle a/es ee	ouffle a/es ee ou	er ur	oo oo oo	ouffle a/es ou ouffle a/es	ou ow ow

Year 2

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5	WEEK 6	WEEK 7	WEEK 8	WEEK 9	WEEK 10	WEEK 11	WEEK 12
dge g	ch kn	gn wr	le ai u	ai homophone	ee homophone	ee Y to i	y ai	ey ey	ee ee	ee ee	ai ai

You can help your child with their phonics at home by reading and writing words containing these phonemes.

Don't forget to read as often as you can and record this in your child's reading diary too!

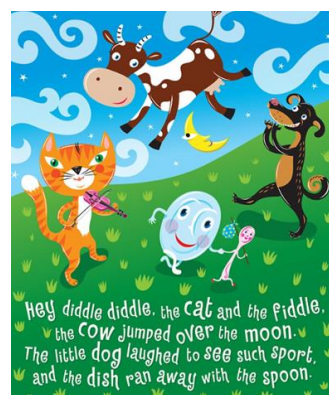
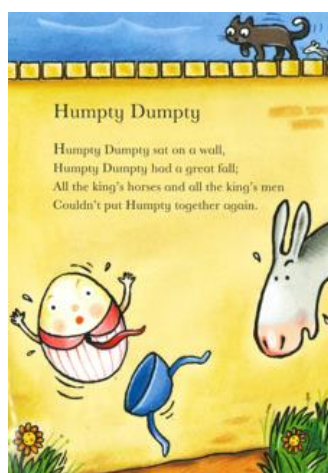
Nursery Rhymes at Holgate

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.

There is no new rhyme for next week so please keep on practising the previous ones we have looked at this term. There will be a new rhyme in the New Year.



Nottinghamshire School Holidays 2022-23

September 2022 to July 2023



September 2022

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

October 2022

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
					1	2
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

November 2022

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

December 2022

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

January 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

February 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

March 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

May 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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June 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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July 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

August 2023

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31*			

School Holidays
 Public Holidays
 Administration Day

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