

THRESHFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher's Message

Exciting news!

After putting our school name into a ballot, we have secured tickets for Wimbledon, 2024! Eight children will be able to attend the prestigious event.

Obviously, it is going to be very difficult choosing 8 children in school. We have made the decision that only children in key stage 2 will be able to attend due to the distance.

When we return from half-term, teachers will be observing the children around school. Children who are seen to be promoting our values of: confidence, perseverance, empathy, respect and resilience.

Will have their name put into a jar.

Then, 8 names will be pulled from the jar, in the last week of June, will attend Wimbledon as a reward for their positive behaviour :)

Dates for your Diary

Please check the calendar on the school website for future events

SATs Booster Classes for year 6

Monday's 3:30-4:30 for the next 4 weeks

Liverpool Residential Parents Meeting

Thursday 25th April at 6pm via Zoom

Coffee Morning at Church House

Saturday 11th May

KS2 SATS week

13th to 17th May

Yr 6 Liverpool Residential

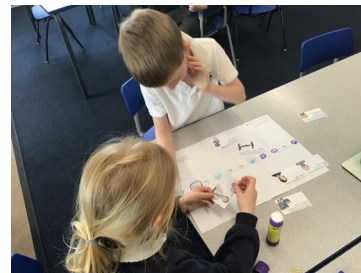
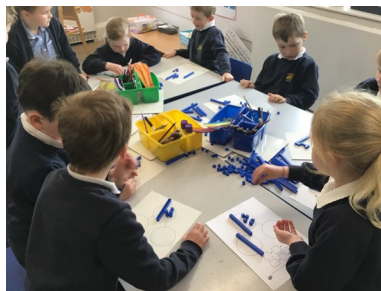
Tues 21st May to Fri 24th May

Yr 4/5 Netherside Residential

Wed 12th June to Fri 14th June

The Acorns

Today we have completed our life cycle DT food technology project that we have been working on. Over the last 3 weeks we have made hungry caterpillar fruit kebabs, vegetable wrap cocoons and finished off with butterfly buns. We have developed lots of physical skills during this project: bridge hold, cutting, slicing, peeling, grating, spreading, mixing, weighing, sharing, rolling, cracking and pouring. We also got to use our maths skills to create repeating patterns, symmetry, measuring, sharing and doubling. Our favourite bit was definitely the taste testing at the very end though.

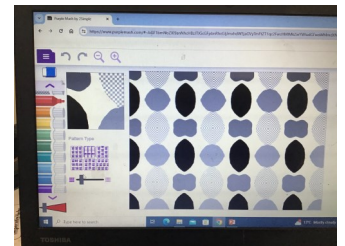


The Seedlings

This week, the Seedlings have embarked on a fascinating journey through history, creating timelines that explore the impactful lives of Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell. Our PSHE discussions have been equally insightful, focusing on personal strengths and what makes each of us unique and incredible.

We've also been getting to know our local area better, identifying both human and physical features on maps.

Meanwhile, we have completed an exciting art project, diving into the world of printmaking. The Seedlings have created vibrant artwork using simple print techniques, leaf rubbings, and Styrofoam templates inspired by William Morris.



The Saplings

This children have worked hard this week particularly in Maths as the Year Fours have been mastering decimals and the Year Three's have been using practical resources to find fractions of amounts. We have been exploring our local area in Geography through maps with a focus on towns, cities, rivers and mountains. We had a lively discussion during PSHE about friendships and how we can solve conflicts with our friends.



The Oaks

Our Year 6s are busy working hard, hard, hard for their SATs and doing a fantastic job. We are so proud of them all.

Meanwhile, Year 5 have been learning about Newspaper reports in Literacy: creating some super headlines and learning about direct and indirect speech. The children have been enjoying the start of a new topic in Maths (position and direction) at which they have all been complete superstars with a clear understanding of co-ordinates.

Well done Oaks— keep it up!

Music Festival

Well done to the children in school who receive lessons from Harry Hinchcliffe, our music teacher.

On Saturday evening, 20th April, they took part in the Craven Accordion Orchestra festival event at St Peter's Church.



| Week | Acorns | Seedlings | Saplings | Oaks | Whole School |
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| Week One | 100% | 100% | 98.21% | 100% | 99.6% |
| Week Two | 97.3% | 97.4% | 99.3% | 97.5% | 97.9% |
| Week Three | 100% | 93.9% | 98.2% | 97.5% | 97.4% |
| Week Four | 99.1% | 93.0% | 97.9% | 99.2% | 97.3% |
| Week Five | | | | | |
| Week Six | | | | | |
| Week Seven | | | | | |

This week our overall attendance: 97.3%