

# THRESHFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### Headteacher's Message

It is a very busy time in school. We are rapidly approaching our SATs assessments and the school is focused on its studies.

There are lots of exciting activities planned for the summer term two, so keep an eye on the blue column below. All dates will be added as they approach.

### **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**

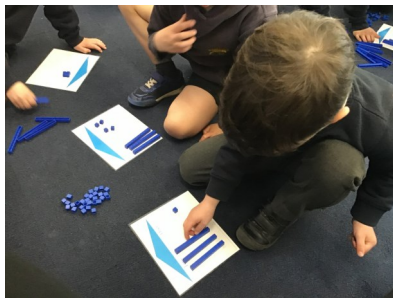
Tues 21st May to Fri 24th May

#### **Yr 4/5 Netherside Residential**

Wed 12th June to Fri 14th June

### The Acorns

This week in Acorns we have had a fabulous week all about life cycles and growing. We have started to write our own very hungry books all about ourselves and our favourite foods. I wonder what will happen to us at the end, will we become butterflies? We have also planted our bottle potatoes, we love this experiment, we get to see what happens underground whilst the potatoes are growing. Reception have finished off the week making symmetrical vegetable butterflies in wraps and then folding them into a cocoon.



### The Seedlings

This week the Seedlings have been busy recreating their experience of Florence Nightingale at the Thackeray Museum, learning about our heroes in healthcare.

We have explored the UK's countries, capital cities and surrounding seas, creating our own labelled map of the UK.

Our new topic in PSHE focuses on positive relationships with our friends, family, classmates, and most importantly ourselves. We have a new greetings chart on Seedlings class door where our classmates can choose how they want to be greeted each day. It has been lovely to see the children continue working their way up on the reading chart, and some have nearly reached 100 reads! Well done Seedlings, a brilliant week!



### The Saplings

This week we are continuing to read a range of stories told through letters whilst we explore the text features. We also received a letter through the post asking us about our Friday Celebration Assembly!

We had a super Geography lesson exploring the world map and we had some lovely discussions about countries we would love to visit.

We are exploring the practices of the Hindu faith in RE and in computing the children were adding sound effects to their animations.

### The Oaks

The Year 6 children have begun their countdown to SATs. In this three week period leading up to SATs, the year 6 children complete revision tasks. This is a very important period of school because it prepares them for the assessments but also gives them a knowledge of how to prepare for tests.

The Year 5 children have continued with their normal lessons. They have been studying shape in mathematics; descriptive character writing in English and building games in computing.

## 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
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					
Week Five					

**This week our overall attendance: 97.4%**