

THRESHFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher's Message

The weeks are flying by and we are forever edging towards our summer holidays. Please remember that at this time of year, we like to spend a lot of time outside and the weather doesn't seem to be able to make up its mind what to do.

Therefore, if your children can please have a light waterproof coat as well as lots of sun cream on, each day.

Dates for your Diary

Year 6 Liverpool Residential
Tuesday 5th July to Friday 8th July.

Year 3/4 Tag Rugby Festival
Tues 5th July 1-3pm
Sandylands, Skipton

Year 5 Bikeability
Tues 5th & Wed 6th July.

The Jungle Book Performance
Wednesday 13th July
4pm - 6pm at the Grassington Institute.

Transition Day
Thursday 14th July 2022
All children will spend a day in their new class with their new teacher (including The Seedlings)

Tea and cakes with Miss Knox
Thursday 14th July
3.30pm—4.30pm

Film Night
The PTA are holding a film night on Friday 15th July.
Details to follow.

School closes for summer

The Oaks

Our play is really coming together now, although we are getting worried about the limited time we have left.

- Costume ✓
- Scenery ✓
- Songs ✓

The play is a brilliant learning tool for developing children's public speaking, confidence, memory, creativity and definitely their resilience - just look at our costumes!

We hope to see lots of parents at the performance.

The Acorns

We have been busy as usual in the Acorns classroom. Reception have been working hard in maths grouping, sharing and halving numbers. We were feeling very proud after our lovely class assembly where we shared the Creation Story and sang to the whole school. A magic moment in pre-school was an incredible block play creation by Tommy and John - their train station filled the entire inside outside area!

The Seedlings

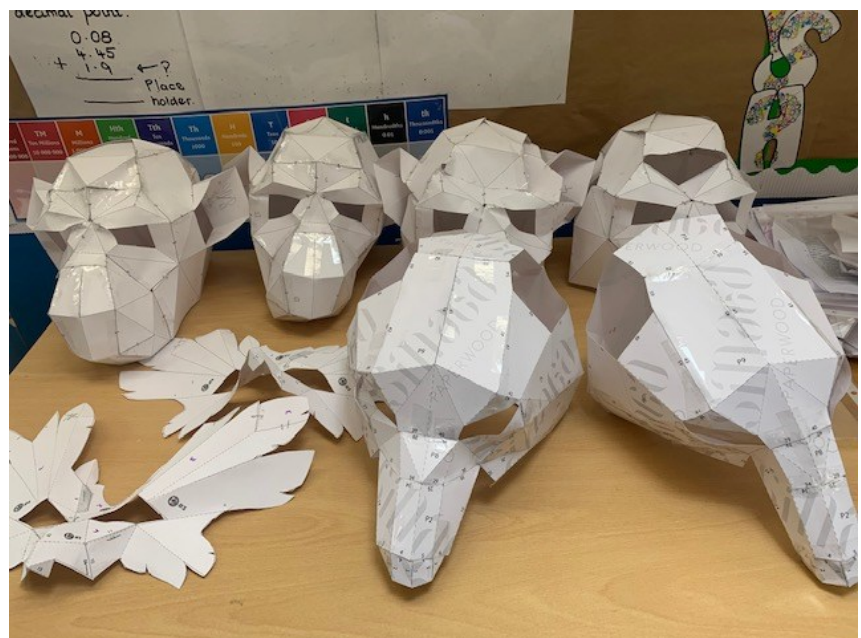
We have had another fantastic week of learning in Seedlings Class. The children have been really enjoying our English topic based on the book 'An Interview with a Tiger' and have been busy thinking of their own interview questions. The children have been loving our new laptops and have been fully immersing themselves in their computing learning. It has been fantastic to see the Y2 children growing in confidence during our swimming lessons and to see how well the Year 1 children have been getting on with their new classmates from Acorns on a Thursday afternoon too.



The Saplings

This week in the Saplings Class we have been exploring angles and triangles through various practical activities. We are continuing to enjoy our explanation text 'Until I Met Dudley' and the children are learning to show how something works using explanation language features.

In RE we are enjoying how Christians worship through song and we had a visit from Joe yesterday to help the children navigate their way around the Bible.



Ilkley Literature Festival

Many of the children in school entered the Ilkley writing competition and we have a winner!

Darcy, in The Oaks, won the entire Year 5 and 6 class with her poem called: The Outside World.

Amazing Darcy!



Family Praise

There will be a Family Praise Service

'All things Benedict' at St Michael's, Linton on Sunday 10th July at 11.00am.

Everyone welcome.

Local Historian

Last week, we were privileged to have a historian visit to support our learning about the impact of the wars on Threshfield.

I am always so pleased when I receive messages like this afterwards.

I just wanted to reiterate my thanks for being invited in to work with you yesterday. The children were, without exception, engaged and enthusiastic and clearly had been guided and supported into building a really positive attitude to learning.

I was also very impressed with their prior knowledge and their First World War 'scrapbooks' were fascinating.

They were a great credit to themselves and to all of your hard work.

Week	Acorns	Seedlings	Saplings	Oaks	Whole School
Week One	97.1%	95.5%	93.7%	93.7%	95.0%
Week Two	97.0%	96.3%	93.6%	98.8%	96.4%
Week Three	96.2%	98.5%	95%	98.8%	97.1%
Week Four	96.5%	97.8%	98.6%	100%	98.2%
Week Five					
Week Six					
Week Seven					

This week our overall attendance: 98.2%