



East Riding of Yorkshire Council

Anlaby Primary School

'Ambitious, Proud, Successful'



This Week's Data
Whole School
Attendance

96% - Good

Well done to Inkpen, who had an attendance of 99% and Murphy who had an attendance of 100%.

They will get an extra five minutes playtime.

This week's winners of the Anlabee Challenge were **Team Johnson (the Green Team)**.

Morning Snacks

We appreciate that the morning session is quite a long one and we are happy for children to have a morning snack at playtime.

However, as we are trying to promote healthy eating in school, this needs to be fruit.

If children bring other snacks these will be taken from them and returned to them at home time.

NEWSLETTER

31st January 2020

This Week

Simmons have been creating their own interpretations of the story of 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' by drawing pictures to represent each stage of the hunt.

Inkpen and Rosen were excited this week when they received a letter from the bear they have been hunting! They are now writing their own letters in reply. They have also been designing and building boats to get across the river in the story.

Sharratt and Donaldson have been creating dinosaur eggs from papier mâché. They have been comparing the world now and in the past using appropriate vocabulary.

Potter and Ahlberg have been exploring different materials in Science and trying to use a range of scientific vocabulary to describe their properties.

Murphy and Dahl have been writing a letter to Francesca Simon, the author of the book they are reading for pleasure. They have been so impressed and enjoyed it so much they felt the need to write to her and tell her how good it is.

Morpurgo and Kinney have been using their mathematical knowledge of symmetry to design and make Roman mosaics. They have also been learning how to use persuasive writing to convince Emperor May to choose their mosaic as the best in the year!

Hergé and Walliams tested the clay pots they designed and made last week to see if they could hold water. The children's were very good – Mrs Grout's on the other hand was not so good!!!

Shakespeare and Rowling have been finishing off their Day of the Dead mask. They have been writing a letter home from Stanley, the hero of their class novel, 'Holes'.

Governors' Meeting

The Governors of the Progress and Improvement Committee were in school this week working as a critical friend to the school.

They looked at some of our internal data and asked lots of difficult questions about how we are improving the school.

If you think that is something you might like to do, we still have vacancies on the Governing Body.

If you really want to know how the school operates and want to have a say on the way policies are put together, being on the Governing Body is the best way to do this.

We have a very welcoming team of Governors and if you want to know a little more before committing, call in at the office and arrange to have a chat with Mr May or one of the Governors. Finding out more doesn't mean you have to join straight away!

Lunch Menu W/C: 3rd February 2020

Cheese Pizza Garlic Wedges +++ Sweetcorn & Coleslaw +++ Strawberry Mousse & Fruit Cocktail Fruit OR Yoghurt	Meatballs Quorn Balls (V) +++ Rice +++ Salad Crusty Bread +++ Chocolate Cake & Custard Fruit OR Yoghurt	Bolognaise Pasta Bake +++ Garlic Bread +++ Broccoli +++ Flapjack & Ice Cream Fruit OR Yoghurt	Roast Pork Quorn Fillet (V) +++ Stuffing +++ Roast Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli +++ Melting Moment Fruit OR Yoghurt	Jumbo Fish Finger Wrap Vegetable Wrap (V) +++ Chips Beans OR Sweetcorn +++ Wellington Fudge & Custard Fruit OR Yoghurt
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View from the Classroom Floor

This week the Year 3 children have been revising their colours in French – bien joué. They have now started to learn the names of animals as well. It is very hard and some Year 6 children still struggle with it now! Keep it up Year 3 you will be bilingual soon!!!

There has been lots of clay work going on around school over the last week or two with Year 2 and Year 5 both getting to grips with it.

This week Year 6 have completed their fantastic Day of the Dead masks. They have all now got their revision packs and are starting to revise. Well done everyone.

Keep up the good work.

Have a great weekend.

Honey, Lola, Joe, Sophie B and Betsy.

Scooters and Bikes

For everybody's safety we will be monitoring the use of scooters and bikes on the school site.

Children who continue to ride them on the site after a warning will be banned from coming to school with their scooters or bikes for a half term.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 9am each week – New Whole School Celebration Assembly. Look out for your text invite on a Thursday morning.

Tuesday 4th February – Parents' Afternoon Tea 1:30 – 3:00 pm. Another chance for a chat and a visit to classrooms. Governors will be available to talk too.

Monday 17th – Friday 21st – Half Term

Tuesday 25th February – Parents' Evening

Thursday 27th February – Parents' Evening

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day

Thursday 26th March – Spring Term Disco (Details to follow)

More dates, times and details to follow.

School Uniform, PE Kit and Equipment

At school we feel that school uniform is very important in ensuring that the children look smart and are ready for their learning. So just a few reminders about what we expect with regard to our school uniform and P.E. Kit.

For girls, the uniform consists of: blue shirts/polo shirts, navy sweatshirts, jumpers or cardigans; navy, black or grey trousers, skirts and pinafores. In warmer weather, blue and white checked dresses are also permitted.

Boys can wear: blue shirts/polo shirts, navy sweatshirts, jumpers or cardigans; navy, black or grey trousers. Navy, black or grey shorts in a smart, tailored style may also be worn during hot spells.

All children must wear either smart black school shoes or black trainers. The only exception to this rule is that white or coloured trainers/sporting footwear may be worn on days when children have P.E. If children wear lace up shoes, they must be able to tie them independently.

When the children have their P.E. kit on this is not a non-school uniform day and children should still be smartly dressed in their school P.E. kit.

P.E. kit is to consist of a plain blue/white t-shirt and blue or black shorts. As the children will be in their P.E. kit all day, they should cover up with a plain blue or black track suit, or their school jumper and jogging bottoms, which can be easily removed.

Please remember jewellery that is permitted i.e. watch and stud earrings must be removed or earrings covered with tape. This should be applied at home or by the child with tape from home.

The Hive Out of School Club

This week our activities have linked to the Year 1 topic 'Dinosaurs'. We have made dinosaur skeletons using pasta, excavated dinosaurs from ice and used salt dough to create our own fossils to take home.

We had fun creating our own species of dinosaurs using playdough, playing bingo, learning new card games and practising simple rhythms on the xylophone. It was a very noisy place this week but the children had great fun experimenting with their own rhythms.

Table tennis has proved popular again this week and we have our first table tennis champion of the year - Archie. Well done and keep it up.

The deadline for booking for February half term is the 7th February.

Please email for further details.

Have a great weekend.

Miss Stanley

I would like Mr May to know...