



NEWSLETTER
24th September 2020



HEADTEACHER'S AWARD
PUPILS OF THE WEEK

Attendance Winners

Year 2

Nursery also got 100%

Well done!



Last week the pupils of the week were :

Nur: Esme Wormald

Rec: Blake Hughes

Yr 1: Amie Maude

Yr 2: Riley Doran

Yr 3: Harper-Louise Biddlecombe

Yr 4: Macaulay White

Yr 5: Taylor Auty

Yr 6: Summer Hanson

Last week the Wow Work of the week were :-

Yr 1: Ronnie Murray

Yr 2: Remy Birkby

Yr 3: Nainika Joseph

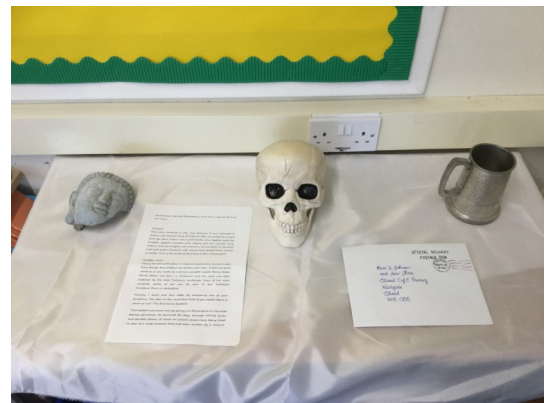
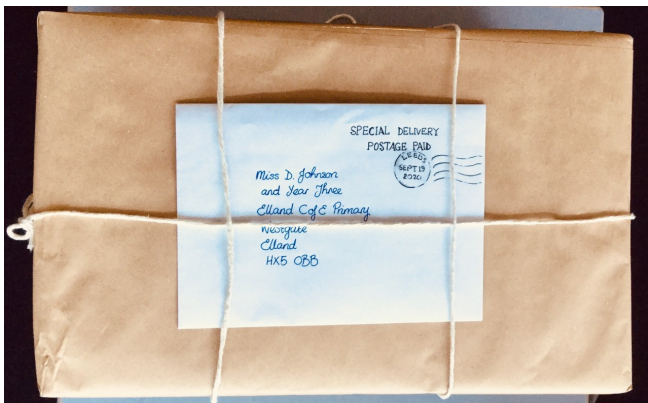
Yr 4: Lucas Schofield

Yr 5: Elisha Thornton

Yr 6: Dylan Pritchard

Year 3 News

On Friday Year Three entered a competition to visit the Brownstone family vault. On Monday we received a very special letter and delivery addressed to us all. The letter explained how we are all worthy winners but unfortunately, due to current circumstances, we cannot enter the vault. However, Professor Brownstone has very kindly sent us three artefacts to observe and his letter told us the history of each one.



Medical Information

As the children have moved classes we are currently updating our medical information. We are in the process of sending out the data collections forms for checking which holds this information. If you need to make us aware of something new please contact the office for a medical form.

Arrival Times

Thank you for respecting social distancing in and outside of our school grounds. A reminder to arrive at your allocated time to ease any congestion on the playground:

KS2 8:35-8:45am

EYFS and KS1 8:45-8:55am (Families with children across both Key Stages to arrive together at the earlier time slot).

Church Links

This week in Collective Worship the children learnt about Endurance and Resilience.

Health Update

- * Children with simple cold symptoms such as runny noses or sore throats **without fever** should not be tested for COVID-19, and can attend school if they feel well enough to do so.
- * COVID-19 Symptoms

Anyone with any of the three main symptoms of COVID-19 should stay at home and arrange testing.

These symptoms are:

 - high temperature **and/or**
 - new continuous cough **and/or**
 - loss or change to sense of taste or smell

Please contact school to advise us of any absence.
- * If children with COVID-19 symptoms are being turned away from local test sites as they struggle to cope with demand, the advice from Public Health is to keep trying to book a test for your child, as more tests do become available through the day.
- * Please note that unless advised otherwise, only people who present with **any of the three main symptoms of COVID-19 should be tested**. Testing must be conducted within the first 5 days of the onset of symptoms.

If someone is being tested in your household, **ALL** family members will need to isolate until a negative test is returned.

When you receive your test result, **please email admin@elland.calderdale.sch.uk** with details before your child returns to school. Children can return to school as soon as a negative test is received.
- * If your child develops any of the key symptoms for COVID-19 in school, we will contact parents and carers and ask for you to arrange a test. This is in line with Government guidelines.

Distance Learning Courses

We have been told about a number of Distance Learning Courses. They are all Level 2 short courses designed to raise awareness and confidence in each subject area, and **fully funded through an Adult Education Budget**. They are available in September, October, November and December as follows:

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| * Mental Health First Aid | * Equality & Diversity |
| * Understanding Children & Young People's Mental Health | * Safeguarding & Prevent |
| * Understanding Health & Nutrition | * LGBT Inclusion |
| * Understanding the Care & Management of Diabetes | * Infection Control |
| * Understanding the Safe Handling of Medication | |

Courses will be delivered over 1 month

X 2/3 2 hour virtual classroom sessions with your fully qualified & experienced Skills Tutor via Teams

Online study books to complete, materials and resources

Completed workbooks emailed back to the Tutor for feedback & marking

Additional support sessions via email / phone / Teams

Eligibility criteria:

- **Learners must be aged 19+**
- **Not on another Government funded training programme, i.e. an Apprenticeship**
- **Learners must not live in a 'devolved postcode area' – postcodes include Manchester, Rochdale, Oldham, Tameside, Stockport, Bolton, Bury, West Midlands, London (if you are unsure if someone is eligible for the funding please contact Amanda Swales with their postcode and she will check for you).**

For more information, contact Woodspeen Training—07538 292 373 Andrea.swales@woodspeentraining.co.uk