



East Riding of Yorkshire Council

# Anlaby Primary School

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### This Week's Data Whole School Attendance

96% - Satisfactory.  
Well done to Morpurgo and Ahlberg who had an attendance of 100%. They will get an extra five minutes playtime.  
Well done them!

This week's Anlabe challenge was won by the Blue Team.  
Well done them!

The Athletics Trophy was won by Potter in KS1 and Walliams in KS2.  
We were able to hand out 44 Bronze and 12 Silver and 1 gold certificates.

### Christingle

Although the rain stopped us going to the church, we still had a delightful Christingle service with Reverend Telford.

It is always nice at this time of year to remind children of the true meaning of Christmas before all we think about is presents and fun!

## NEWSLETTER

### 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018

### This Week

It's that time of year so Inkpen and Rosen have been writing letters to Father Christmas. They have also been writing some new lyrics for an 80s pop tune. Come along to the nativity and see if you can spot it!

Sharratt and Donaldson have been labelling and describing the functions of parts of the body. In art they have been using their team work skills to create a fabulous picture of a tiger.

Potter and Ahlberg have been carrying out some scientific investigations using fair testing to find the strongest bridge design. In PE they have been developing their hockey skills.

Murphy and Dahl have been finding out about rocks, soils and fossils. They have discovered how they were made and what different properties they have.

Morpurgo and Kinney have been looking at the art work of Antony Gormley as an inspiration to create their own. They have also been doing some rather interesting under the water selfies ready for their Blue Abyss display next week.

Herge and Walliams have been writing stories inspired by a movie they watched from Literacy Shed. They have been using watercolours to create images inspired by aerial photography as part of their Alchemy Island topic.

Shakespeare and Rowling have been learning about the different parts of the heart and their functions. They have also found time to make Christmas buns and biscuits for the fair.

Have a great weekend.

### The Hive Out of School Club

This week at the Hive our activities have been linked to the Year 3 topic 'Tremors'.

We have made a papier-mache volcano and experimented with colour mixing to create the perfect shades to add our finishing touches to it. We also created lemon volcanoes, looking at the reaction between citric acid and baking powder.

At our last French club of the year we recorded our Christmas carol before producing our own music video, which can be found on our Facebook and Twitter pages. The children are hoping for Christmas number one!

We were all excited when Santa sent Bumble the Elf to join us. So far he has made snowflakes, built a Lego Father Christmas and was caught hanging from a swing on the table tennis table!

### Lunch Menu W/C: 10<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Lasagne OR Vegetable Lasagne (V) Garlic Bread Mixed Vegetables Baby Sweetcorn --- Chocolate Crackle Milkshake Fruit OR Yoghurt	Sausages OR Quorn Sausages (V) Yorkshire Pudding Roast Potatoes Carrots + Cauliflower --- Chocolate Mousse Mandarins	Chicken Wrap OR Quorn Wrap (V) Rice Peas + Sweetcorn --- Iced Lemon Sponge + Custard Fruit OR Yoghurt	Cottage Pie OR Vegetable Cottage Pie (V) Broccoli Carrots Crusty Bread --- Strawberry Ice Cream + Fruit Fruit OR Yoghurt	Chicken Nuggets OR Vegetable Nuggets (V) Chips Beans OR Peas --- Chocolate Crunch + Pink Custard Fruit OR Yoghurt
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### Inter-House Benchball

On our recent PE questionnaire that Mrs Allen and Miss Inglis sent to parents, one of the big issues was getting more competition in to school.

We agree that healthy competition is a good thing and have started to add more to our PE sessions.

Year 1 and Year 4 have been looking at invasion games through playing benchball. This is a fun and exciting game which uses many of the skills that are required in basketball and netball. After learning the skills the children have had a round robin competition within their year groups.

All the children competed with enthusiasm and they all received a certificate for taking part. Some children received certificates for being the best thrower, catcher or something else. The most important thing was it was fun for all!

### Date for your Diary

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Y1 Sam Safari  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper Day  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – FS Nativity to parents 2:15 pm  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – FS Nativity to parents 10:30am  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Y6 Theatre Visit  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunch  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December – KS2 Christmas Service at St Mark's  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 – School closes for Christmas holidays

A calendar for events is now available on the school website in the News section. The address is <http://anlaby.sites.schooljotter2.com/news/anlaby-primary-school-calendar>

This will be updated regularly so please keep checking.

### View From the Classroom Floor

If you are reading this on your way home and haven't been to the Christmas Fair then turn around now!!!

It is on from 3:25pm until everybody leaves the hall; there are lots of things to win such as: chocolate, games and drinks. If that is not enough there is our fantastic school choir as well.

Make sure you check out the Year 6 glass jars that are perfect Christmas decorations to set the mood!

Take your time to look around and find that perfect Christmas present for the special people in your life.

Have a great weekend!

Ana and Annelise

### Lates

We have made a slight change to our Attendance Policy regarding late arrival at school.

From Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December all children arriving at school after 9:15am and 1:25pm will be regarded as having arrived after the register is closed and will be recorded as such.

If children are recorded as late after the register closes at 9:15am or 1:25pm without a valid reason a fine may be imposed.

We know this will not apply to the vast majority of our children who are always on time and attend regularly and thank you for that.

If there is a genuine reason for being late please let us know and we can record this against any lates and take this in to account when monitoring attendance.

If you are a parent who attended Anlaby Junior School you may be interested to know that the 'Winged Lion' has been returned to school (by an anonymous source) and has resumed its role as a trophy for the class with the best attendance!

I would like Mr May to know...