



THORESBY PRIMARY SCHOOL



Newsletter

Friday 3rd May 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

Year 2 textiles workshop - Tuesday 7th May - 2.00pm to 3.15pm
 SATs week (Year 6) - 13th May - 17th May
 Kaleidoscope celebration - 20th May - 24th May, 5th June - 7th June
 Half term - school closes Friday 24th May, reopens Wednesday 5th June
 Kaleidoscope finale – 7th June (see next page for times)
 Tuesday 18th June - 9am to 11am - NHS Mental Health Support Team, Parent Workshop
 Celebration of music event – Wednesday 3rd July, 5.30pm at Church On The Way
 Year 5 Magic Flute performance – Friday 5th July, 9.30am at Church On The Way
 Year 6 Leavers' assembly – Wednesday 17th July, 5.30pm at Church On The Way

REMINDER

Thoresby Street will be closed for parking on Tuesday 7th May and Wednesday 8th May.
 This is for resurfacing work by Hull City Council .

We are hosting another **SEND coffee morning** on Wednesday 8th May 9:30AM-10:30AM.
 KIDS, SENDIASS, Aim Higher and Northcott Outreach will be there to offer advice and support



Calendar of Character Focus for week beginning 6th May Determination

What is determination

Having a firm goal and working towards it—even if it's difficult

Continuing to try and not giving up.

Ideas from 5T

I was scared to go to the deep end of the swimming pool but I saw some younger children do it and it made me want to do it too so I pushed myself to give it a go and I loved it! By Maryam.

I really wanted to go on the high diving board on holiday but I was scared to do it. On the last day I did it and I was cross with myself for not doing it sooner because it was so fun. By Nora.

I knew I wanted to write a really good story but I was finding it hard to do my opening. Some of my friends read theirs to me and it helped me get started and I ended up writing a really good story. By Ophelia.

In my final piece of writing I had a headache and it was making it hard to concentrate but I wanted to write my quest narrative. It took me a bit longer but I managed to write three paragraphs. By Reggie

When we did the audition for the singing, I wanted to do the solo but I was nervous to do it. One of my friends did it and it gave me the confidence to do it too. By Hayat.

Discussion points / questions to consider:

We often have to show determination when something isn't going to plan or when something is tricky - how does it feel when you have to be determined?

Have you shown determination in something? Think of someone you know who has shown determination.

What other character skills can help us show determination?

Did you know approximately 2.5 billion disposable cups are used in the UK each year? That's approximately 7 million cups being discarded every single day – a lot of these end up on landfills or in the ocean! At Thoresby, we want to do our bit to help the environment and be good global citizens. That is why we are kindly asking that each child brings to school an appropriate, refillable water bottle each day, so we can do our bit to stop plastic pollution.



School uniform

Please can you ensure that your child is coming to school with the correct school uniform:

- Navy jumper
- Red T-shirt
- Black or grey trousers/skirts/shorts
- Blue or red gingham dresses
- Black shoes



We are taking donations of spare uniform. We especially need jumpers/trousers/skirts that would fit older children.

COUNTDOWN TO KALEIDOSCOPE

16 DAYS!

Don't forget to add our Kaleidoscope finale times to your diary!

Our showstopping Kaleidoscope finale will be taking place on Friday 7th June at the following times:

FS1/2 – 9.30am – 10.00am

Y1/2 – 10.30am – 11.30am

Y3/4 – 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Y5/6 – 2.00pm – 3.00pm

Please remember that we strive to be a **NUT FREE** school, so please make sure you check the ingredients in your child's packed lunch.

Thank you.



Week Commencing: 8th April, 22nd April, 6th May, 20th May, 3rd June, 17th June, 1st July, 15th July, 2nd Sept, 16th Sept, 30th Sept, 14th Oct

Week 1

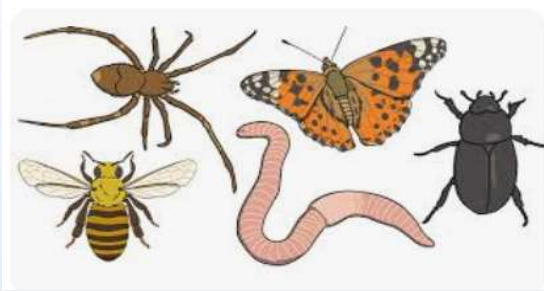
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
OPTION 1	Chicken Goujons (2) served with potato wedges (2) and seasonal vegetables	Sausages (2,13) served with Yorkshire pudding (2,4,7), mashed potato, seasonal vegetables and gravy	Chilli con Carne served with rice, nacho's (2) and seasonal vegetables	Carvery, served with Yorkshire pudding (2,4,7), roast potatoes (13,14), seasonal vegetables and gravy	Fish Friday (2,5,9) served with chips (13), peas, beans and bread (2) and butter (7)
OPTION 2 (vegetarian)	Vegetable nuggets (2) served with potato wedges (2) and seasonal vegetables	Vegetarian Sausages (2) served with Yorkshire pudding (2,4,7), mashed potato, seasonal vegetables and gravy	Vegetable chilli (2) served with rice seasonal vegetables and garlic bread (2,4,7, 13)	Quorn fillet (2), served with Yorkshire pudding (2,4,7), roast potatoes (13,14), seasonal vegetables and gravy	Mediterranean quiche (2,4,7) served with chips (13) and salad
OPTION 3	Sandwich (2,7,12): ham, cheese (7) or tuna (4,5,7,9) served with Crisps vegetable sticks & a side Salad .	Sandwich (2,7,12): ham, cheese (7) or tuna (4,5,7,9) served with crisps, vegetable sticks & a side salad.	Sandwich (2,7,12): ham, cheese (7) or tuna (4,5,7,9) served with crisps, vegetable sticks & a side salad	Sandwich (2,7,12): ham, cheese (7) or tuna (4,5,7,9) served with Crisps, vegetable sticks & a side salad	Sandwich (2,7,12): ham, cheese (7) or tuna (4,5,7,9) served with crisps vegetable sticks & a side salad
OPTION 4	Jacket Potato served with a choice of beans, cheese (7) or tuna mayo (4,5,7,9) and a side salad	Jacket Potato served with a choice of beans, cheese (7) or tuna mayo (4,5,7,9) and a side salad	Jacket Potato served with a choice of beans, cheese (7) or tuna mayo (4,5,7,9) and a side salad	Jacket Potato served with a choice of beans, cheese (7) or tuna mayo (4,5,7,9) and a side salad	Jacket Potato served with a choice of beans, cheese (7) or tuna mayo (4,5,7,9) and a side salad
DESSERT	Chocolate crunch (2,4) served with custard (2,4,7,13)	Cherry biscuits (2,14) or sticky toffee biscuit (2,14)	Orange jaffa cake (2,4,7,13) served with custard (2,4,7,13)	Fruit and Ice cream (7)	Melting moments (2,4,7,13,14) Crispy buns Devonshire Splits

*Fresh bread (2,4,7,13), water, juice (14), milk (7), jelly, yoghurts (7), cheese (7) and crackers (2) and fresh fruit is available daily

**Allergen free options on the above menu are also available

Allergens





Bug Hotel

This week we had our very own Bug Hotel delivered as part of a competition we have entered. As you can see it is looking rather empty!

We need your help to fill it by sending any donations that could be used inside. Please only send in small items as we will not be able to cut pieces of wood. These can be dropped off into a box that will be in the playground from next week.

See below for ideas:



Filling the gaps in your bug mansion:

- **Dead wood.** Dead wood is an increasingly rare habitat and is essential for the larvae of wood-boring beetles. It also supports many fungi, which help to break down the woody material. Crevices under the bark hold centipedes and woodlice.
- **Hollow stems.** Hollow stems, such as old bamboo canes, or holes drilled into blocks of wood, make good nesting sites for solitary bees.
- **Stones and tiles.** Amphibians need a frost-free place to spend the winter. Provide stones and tiles in the centre of your habitat to give amphibians the cool, damp conditions they need.
- **Straw and hay.** These provide many opportunities for invertebrates to burrow in and find safe hibernation sites.
- **Dry Leaves.** Dry leaves offer homes for a variety of invertebrates by mimicking the litter on the forest floor.
- **Loose bark.** Beetles, centipedes, spiders and woodlice all lurk beneath decaying wood and bark.
- **Corrugated cardboard.** Roll up a piece of corrugated cardboard and put it in a waterproof cylinder to create a home for lacewings.
- **Dry sticks.** Dry sticks are perfect for ladybirds to hibernate in.
- **Nectar-producing plants.** Plant some nectar-rich flowers in and around your new bug mansion to provide food for butterflies and bees.

