



Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018

## WINNERS THIS WEEK

**Class1:** Frankie for great sentence work.

**Class2:** Aliyah for excellent concentration all week.

**Class 3:** Upper Junior: All of Y6 for their brilliant, mature attitudes during their SATs exams.

**Lower Junior:** Keely for her brilliant thought provoking questions whilst on the trip.

**Class 1** The reception children have been continuing their number bond work, unscrambling simple sentences and have paraphrased Farmer Duck in to sentences they can write. Year1 have been recapping time with more emphasis on 'half past' the hour and learning how to write it correctly- ask your child the time at various intervals over the weekend .In English they have also been un- scrambling more complex sentences and re-writing them to make sense using simple grammar.

**Class 2** We have been trying to include lots of description in our stories this week as well as punctuating our sentences correctly. In maths we have been measuring capacity and reading scales with "jumps" of 100 and with 20. We also enjoyed a tree tour: identifying leaf types and collecting them in a paper wallet. We then made block graphs of the trees in the school garden.

**CLASS 3** On Friday the juniors had a wonderful trip with Chris from The National Trust. We planted 300 heather plants to help develop a heath area on the cliff tops. We also walked around the old Marchon site (which is soon to become an extension to the coastal path) looking at wildlife and plant development. The year 6's showed very mature attitudes during SATs. All were enthusiastic and happy during the whole process. Well done to you all.



-Studying the plant life whilst out on Friday

SATs  
Celebration  
Party-



## General Reminders

Play Park: To clarify.... the play equipment in the yard is only supervised by a school member of staff during play times. **At other times, please note, they are not supervised by school staff.** It is the parents' decision to either supervise their child or decide that their child can play independent of adult supervision.

## Stamps

The school has been asked if we could help collect used stamps in aid of the North Air Ambulance. If you could save any you get and send them in to school and then we can pass them on. Thank you for your support.

**SCHOOL DINNER MENU- W/B 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018- Week 3. Please remember to check your child's/children's order on the Lunchshop website.**

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## DIARY DATES 2018

- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May      1.15pm-2.00pm    School Library Bus visit
- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May      KS2 Rivers Workshop afternoon. (Within school premises)
- Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May      KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5, 6,) Visit to Braithwaite for a 'Rivers' workshop.  
**PUPILS WILL NEED A PACKED LUNCH**
- Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May      Break up for half term-school day finishes at normal time of 3.15pm,  
re-open Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 8.50a.m.
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June      'Jobs in our Community' –Y6 only, details to follow.
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June      St. Joseph's transition day.
- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June      Cockermouth School transition day
- Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June    Cockermouth School transition day
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June      Year 6 Newcastle trip- staying over
- Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June      Year 6 return from Newcastle
- Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July      St. Benedict's transition day
- Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July      Whitehaven School transition day, also on Thursday and Friday of  
this week (3 days in total)
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July      Sports Day-probably in the afternoon, details to follow
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July    Provisional school performance date-TBC.
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