



All Things Thurlby

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Dear Parents

Welcome Back

It has been great to see and hear the children's enthusiasm towards their learning since their return to school this week. They have settled down well and have been really pleased to see their teachers, supporting staff and most importantly, their friends.

We would also like to say a big 'Thank You' to you as parents for the guidance and encouragement you have provided your children during the lockdown period. As a school, we are very thankful for the support you have shown the teachers, and many of you have expressed your thanks and admiration for the work they have done over the past few months. We continue to believe that a strong partnership between home and school nurtures the very best in our children.

Mrs Joyce

Congratulations

Tim Certificate Winners

We would like to congratulate our Tim certificate winners for achieving their very best in a particular area of learning or for exemplary behaviour this week. Our Tim winners are:

- Reception** - Clara Griffiths and Maddox Hetherington
- Year 1** - Lily-Rose Marshall and Ryan Stevenson
- Year 2** - Freya Craggs and Alfie Phillips
- Year 3** - Martha Blake and Fletcher Norfolk
- Year 4** - William Fensom and Logan Greenwood
- Year 5** - Mya Jenkins and Noah Styles
- Year 6** - Myah Hailey and Mia Blignaut

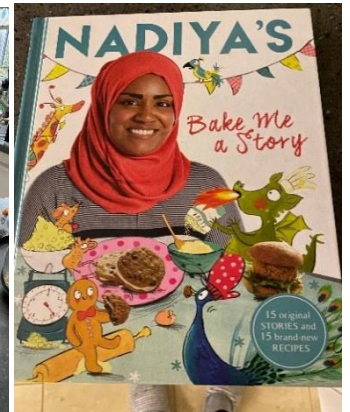
Attendance

Our average attendance figure for the week beginning 8th March 2021, was 96.6%. Well done to our Year 3 children for achieving 100% attendance this week. Super stars!

Recommended Reads



To celebrate World Book Day at home, Zara and Oscar used Nadiya's book 'Bake Me a Story'. They baked some very delicious carrot cookies - what a great idea!



Empathy is our ability to understand and share someone else's feelings. It builds stronger, kinder communities. It's a crucial life skill that children need to learn, thrive and contribute.

We're not born with a fixed quantity of empathy - it's a skill we can all learn. Excitingly, research shows that books are a powerful tool to develop it. When children identify with book characters, they learn to see things from others' points of view. As they read, they are building their empathy skills.

An expert panel has chosen thirty wonderful books for children aged 4-11. Each one does a specific empathy-building job, like helping children develop new perspectives or recognise and name emotions. They offer powerful insights into different ways of life and how it might feel to be a refugee, or disabled, or homeless. Please use them to inspire children to turn feelings of empathy into action - in their homes, schools and communities.

<https://www.empathylab.uk/2021-read-for-empathy-collections>



Premier Education

Please see the flyers for information regarding the Premier Education Easter Holiday Camps.



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Location	Booking Option	Price
WERRINGTON, PETERBOROUGH.	Monday 29th March to Thursday 1st April (4 Days)	£72.00
	Monday 29th March to Tuesday 30th March (2 Days)	£40.00
	Wednesday 31st March & Thursday 1st April	£40.00
BARNACK, STAMFORD.	Monday 29th March to Wednesday 31st March (3 Days)	£60.00
	Monday 29th March to Tuesday 30th March (2 Days)	£40.00
CASTOR CE PRIMARY SCHOOL, PETERBOROUGH.	Monday 29th March to Thursday 1st April (4 Days)	£72.00
	Monday 29th March to Tuesday 30th March (2 Days)	£40.00
	Wednesday 31st March & Thursday 1st April	£40.00
LAWRANCE PARK, THURLBY.	Monday 12th April to Friday 16th April (5 Days)	£85.00
	Monday 12th April to Wednesday 14th April (3 Days)	£60.00
	Thursday 15th April & Friday 16th April (2 Days)	£40.00

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TIMES - 8am-5pm
(Flexible drop off from 8am-9am and flexible pick up from 4pm-5pm)

Taking every precaution
Our Activity Professionals have been undergoing additional training in order to provide the best care to the children under their supervision, specifically the Transcend Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention, Mitigation and Management.

They will need

- A packed lunch
- Plenty of water
- Suitable clothing for the weather
- Loads of energy!

Premier Education Promise:
In the event these courses are cancelled, we will issue a full refund within 7 days.

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Year 1 - Forest School

Year 1 really enjoyed their first session on Thursday this week. They played a warm up game and then continued their learning about materials in the outdoor environment. Their enthusiasm for working as a team to make a house of sticks was great to see. They planned and found the natural resources they needed and then found ways to improve their houses, before explaining to the rest of the class what they had achieved.



SEND

With regards to Lincolnshire's Social Communication support pathway, the Community Paediatricians are now working in close collaboration with Lincolnshire Partnership Foundation Trust (LPFT) 'Clinical Psychology Team' and Lincolnshire Community Health Services (LCHS) 'Speech and Language Therapy Service'.

At Thurlby, we are fortunate enough to we work closely with the Working Together Team and we have access to Speech and Language Therapists and an Educational Psychologist to support pupils with Social Communication Needs.

PTFA

The leaflets below give details regarding the PTFA Dress Down day and create an Easter bonnet/hat on Thursday 1st April, plus information regarding donations of any unwanted gifts for their forthcoming events. The box can be found in the school entrance foyer. Thank you.



IT'S A PTFA EASTER DRESS DOWN DAY!

There's no need for uniforms on **Thursday 1st April**, just come dressed in Spring and Easter colours!

For a donation of **£1** you'll also receive an **Easter treat** too!

WHY NOT ENTER OUR...
Create an Easter bonnet or hat competition!

Bring in your design on Thursday 1st April to enter and for your chance to win one of these prizes!

£1 to enter competition!

1st PRIZE

2nd PRIZE

3rd PRIZE

THURLBY PTFA



Gift Amnesty

Parents, staff and friends!

Can you help us raise funds for the school this year?

If you received any gifts at Christmas or on a birthday that aren't quite to your taste (or you got two of the same thing) we'd love any donations that can be used as prizes or at future events.

Where to drop off

Please bring your donations to the foyer near reception and place them in the PTFA box or give to any member of the PTFA.

Thank you!

THURLBY PTFA

K. Finch

Mrs K Finch
Head of School

H. Joyce

Mrs H Joyce
Acting Head of School

Upcoming Calendar Dates

Friday 19th March -
Thursday 1st April -
Monday 19th April -

Year 6 deadline to return SRE reply slips
PTFA Dress Down and Easter Bonnet/Hat Day/Last Day of Term 4
Start of Term 5