



All Things

Thurlby

Dear Parents

Behaviour Update and Competitions

We are in the process of updating our Behaviour and Relationships Policy, incorporating feedback from our staff and children. As part of this, we are changing our Friday 'Tim Certificates' to 'Thurlby Stars certificates'. I led an assembly, this morning, for the whole school, introducing the increased focus on our Thurlby values. Every 2 weeks, we will concentrate on 1 value and the children who have demonstrated this the most, during this time, will receive the 'Thurlby Stars certificate'.

Competition 1

What is even more exciting is we would like the children to design the new A4 certificate! The winning entry will become the template for the new Thurlby Stars certificate. There will be one winner for KS1 and another for KS2. As told today, the children need to include the following:

- Name
- Reason
- Date
- Class
- Signature



Competition 2

Our second competition is to design an A6 (4x6") postcard, also linked to the Thurlby Values, which will be called 'Positive Post'. Each week, any adult in school can select a child who has demonstrated the Thurlby Values. Postcards will be posted to home addresses, on a Thursday evening, ready to be received as a surprise for the individual children over the weekend.

The Thurlby Values are:

Teamwork
Hardworking
Upbeat
Respectful
Love Learning
Brave
You are Unique

Well Done Mrs Sewell

Mrs Sewell has successfully passed her National Professional Qualification in Senior Leadership (NPQSL). Her project (which started in September 2020) focused on the development of PSHE (Jigsaw) across the school. We are very proud of Mrs Sewell's achievements - well done!



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 - Nancy and Hattie
- Year 1 - Kavan and Daisy
- Year 2 - Olivia and Amelia
- Year 3 - Arabella and Ruben
- Year 4 - Romulo and Archie
- Year 5 - Amelia and Fred
- Year 6 - Ellie and Chloe R

Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 10th January 2022, was 97.1%. This is a super result and includes 3 classes all achieving 99% this week. Well done children!

Recommended Reads



Books for Topics

SCAN ME

If you like...
Horrible Histories
try these...

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If you like...
Michael Morpurgo
try these...



Books for Topics have created a list of books they feel were the best of 2021. You can find the list, with a synopsis of each book, here: <https://www.booksfortopics.com/books-of-the-year>

Year 2

For our DT topic this term, Year 2 are going to be creating a healthy salad for a Chinese New Year celebration. Over the coming weeks, we will be tasting and evaluating a variety of prepared salads, dressings and vegetables before designing and making our own dishes.

Please notify school via enquiries@thurlby.lincs.sch.uk if your child has any allergies. Thank you.

Rocksteady Music School

We have received the following information from Rocksteady:

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Rocksteady in-school band lessons are the perfect opportunity for your child to learn new skills, develop friendships and have the time of their life. Watch this short video to see what learning in a band could do for your child's well-being:

<https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/watch-video/>

If you would like to sign your child up for lessons then please follow the link to our website <https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/>



PTFA

'Wear What You Love Day' - Friday 11th February

Please see the leaflet opposite regarding our non-uniform day on the last day of this term.

Canvas Bags

We still have a supply of our Thurlby Academy Canvas Bags, with the children's own portrait on them, available for £8 each.

To purchase please email thurlbyptfa@gmail.com.

Payment can be made by cash, cheque, PayPal or bank transfer.

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**Wear
what you
LOVE
day**

Friday 11th February 2022

**Come to school dressed in clothes
that you love to wear!**

£2 donation
Heart shaped shortbread biscuit included



Year 6

Aylmerton Residential Trip

Just a reminder that the final balance of **£105.00** is due by next **Thursday 20th January 2022** at the latest please. To make the payment please click on the Payment Section, followed by 'Shop'. You then need to click on the relevant trip and tick Instalment 3 followed by 'Pay Now'. Thank you.



Sex and Relationships Education (SRE) - Monday 7th and Thursday 10th February

Permission forms to be returned by Friday 21st January. Link below:

<https://forms.gle/Qtm7heeu5TMtbar99>

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "K Finch".

Mrs K Finch
Head of School

Upcoming Calendar Dates

Thursday 20 th January -	Year 6 deadline for final Aylmerton residential payment - £105.00
Friday 21 st January -	Deadline for Year 6 SRE permission forms to be submitted
Monday 7 th February-	Year 6 SRE session am
Thursday 10 th February -	Year 6 SRE session am
Friday 11 th February -	PTFA - Non-uniform day 'Wear What You Love Day'
	End of Term 3