



# Lingdale Letterbox



Friday 4th March 2022

Working together to be the best we can be

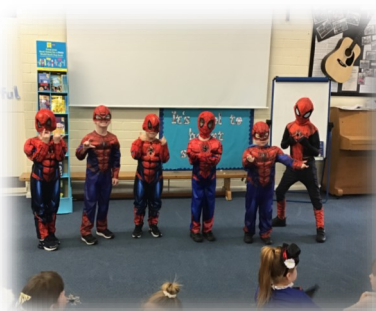
Dear Parents/Carers,

Wow! What a fantastic week. Yesterday we celebrated 'World Book Day' and the children looked fabulous. From princesses to superheroes, from Harry Potter characters to Dorothy and the Scarecrow....the list was endless. Costumes were showcased in a special assembly followed by a visit to the school library where children chose a FREE book. Thanks to Mrs Stephenson for collecting these over the last few weeks. We also received a visit from Mandy, who works at Morrisons in Guisborough. She very kindly donated a fantastic hamper of books for our book draw. We continue to stress the importance of daily reading at home and, where possible, for parents to sign their child's reading diary every night. Every child who reads at least 3 times a week is entered into a prize draw to win a book of their choice. Keep up the hard work everyone as reading at home makes all the difference.



## LOST WORDS EXHIBITION

All the children in KS2 had the privilege of visiting Kirkleatham museum yesterday. They spent the day participating in activities which culminated in designing their own front cover for a book. Please see our Facebook page for lots of fabulous photographs.



Year 5/6: 92.5% Below  
Year 3/4: 86.4% Well Below  
Year 1/2: 92% Below  
Reception: 94.7% Below  
Nursery: 78.8% Well Below

**This week's whole school attendance 90.9%**

**Yearly school attendance to date: 93.4%**

**Target 96.6%**

**This is the expected standard for all schools.**

## Dates for the diary

Thursday 10th March 22—Girls Y5/6 Netball competition @Eston

Friday 11th March —Y5/6 trip to Riverside Stadium

Friday 18th March 2022—Red Nose Day

Monday 4th April—Bring 2 boiled eggs to school for our egg decorating competition

Break up for Easter (2 weeks) - Thursday 7th April (Please note Nursery and Little Explorer children finish on Wednesday 6th April)

Y6 SATS WEEK—Monday 9th May-Friday 13th May

Platinum Jubilee celebration week—Monday 23rd May—Friday 27th May

Break up for May half term—Friday 27th May 22

Break up for summer—Wednesday 20th July

Please remember holidays taken in term time will NOT be authorised.

## Head Teacher's Awards—

### Showing Respect

Sofia T -Miss Schumm

Davidjohn -Miss Bussey

Alyssa O -Mrs Jones

Anna B -Mr Fairbridge

Riley B-Mrs Norris

Jack W-Breakfast club star



### Nursery and 2 Year old (Little Explorers) Attendance

There is a very clear link between attendance and achievement and the simple fact is that children who attend more, achieve more and have an increased chance of reaching their potential. We want our children to develop a pride in their attendance and appreciate how important being in school is. In full time school we celebrate and reward good attendance weekly, half termly, termly and annually.



As a school, we would like to start rewarding good attendance in Nursery/Little Explorers too. After half term, any Nursery/Little Explorer child that attends all week will be entered into a weekly draw to **win a Play Factory voucher**. In the event of your Nursery child being ill please follow normal school procedure if your child is unable to attend. The school procedure for Nursery/Little Explorers is to phone school on the morning before 9am (where possible) stating reasons for their absence. The school number is 01287 651723.

Thank you for your support.

### After school club update

The numbers in after school clubs are inconsistent. We need children to commit to stay EVERY week or we may lose the FREE provision we offer. Please see below for what we offer at Lingdale Primary

**Monday**—Art club 3-4pm (FREE) all ages or KS2 sports club 3-4pm (FREE)

**Tuesday**—No club

**Wednesday**—Dance club FREE (3-4pm) all ages

**Thursday**—Rec/KS1 Multi sports club FREE (3-4pm) Y6 Booster sessions 3-4pm

If you are a working parent and need your child to stay after school, please speak to the school office where we will be happy to help. CHILDREN STAYING FOR SPORTS CLUBS **MUST BRING A PE KIT TO SCHOOL**.

### Signage

Have you noticed our new signs around school? Can we take this opportunity to remind parents we are a mobile free school. Please keep your phones concealed whilst dropping off and collecting your children. Please also remember we are a **NO SMOKING/VAPING** site. The NO SMOKING starts at the grey gates not the green ones.

### **Beat the Street!**

Have you registered your cards for this fun way of keeping fit while collecting points for school?

***Have a lovely weekend everyone! Be Safe, Be Ready, Be Respectful!***

