



'Sowing Seeds – Bearing Fruit – Harvesting Potential'

Hustwaite CE Primary School and Apple Tree Nursery Newsletter

Your fortnightly note from your Headteacher...

Last week we celebrated 'Odd Socks Day' and marked Antibullying week 'Reach Out' with our PSHE enrichment day. The whole school had a Fire Safety Talk led by the North Yorkshire Fire Service, about... thank you to Mrs Jackson for organising this visit.

Class 3 have been to 'Crucial Crew' a North Yorkshire Police organised event coordinated by our PCSO Sharon Wilson. The Crucial Crew event is vital in encouraging good citizenship to assist in reducing accidents, injuries, anti-social behaviour and crime, as well as protecting young people through education and awareness. The event is designed to educate students in North Yorkshire to make informed decisions when faced with stressful, emotional, dangerous and/ or 'risky' situations. The event was very much enjoyed by all.

Last Friday we supported Children In Need and many children came to school in their pyjamas / something spotty and enjoyed a spotty cake at playtime. Thank you to our 'Moneymakers' pupil voice group and Miss Wilkie for organising this event we raised a fantastic £71 to help children less fortunate than ourselves.



Thank you to all for wearing non-uniform today and bringing in a Christmas Hamper item – we will be selling Christmas Raffle Tickets at the Hustwaite Christmas Market this Sunday amongst other school made Christmas gifts and will be drawing the raffle at our Mini Christmas Fair on Friday 2nd December.

Your fortnightly class summary from..

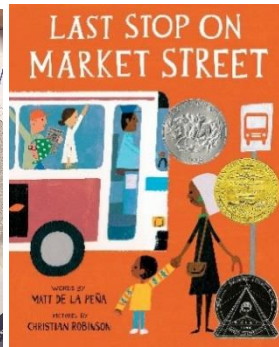
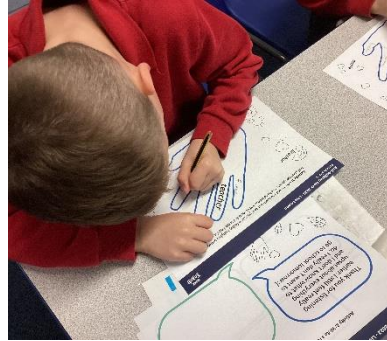
Class 1, Mrs Jackson.



We all enjoyed the fire safety talk from the North Yorkshire Fire Service. Through the story 'No Dragons for Tea' the children learnt what to do in the event of a fire. The NYFS explained that they can come to anyone's home and fit smoke alarms for free. As part of the topic of the Great Fire of London, we now have Pudding Lane Bakery in our outdoor house, where children can engage in bakery role play, among other things! Children in EYFS have enjoyed our 'dark space' using and exploring different sources of light. This has linked to stories 'Can't you sleep little bear' and 'The owl who was afraid of the dark'.

Class 2, Miss Goodchild

Last week we all enjoyed our PSHE curriculum enrichment day linked to Anti-bullying week. The children watched a BBC Live Lesson all based on the 'Reach Out' theme and completed various activities throughout the day. They especially enjoyed some drama work. This week Class 2 enjoyed beginning a new class text and exploring the main characters in depth. They also enjoyed looking at the diversity of all the characters including minor characters in the story. In maths Y2 have been working really hard at 2-digit addition and subtraction, over the last fortnight they are beginning to learn about exchanging.



Class 3, Mr Chapman.



This week, Class 3 went to Carlton Lodge to take part in Crucial Crew. We learnt about: water safety, the dangers of drugs and alcohol, fire, road safety and internet safety. This was followed the next day by a fire talk and what to do if there was a fire in the house. Much of this learning about keeping safe linked to our PSHE and Science units. We have been writing double page spreads to showcase our learning about keeping healthy.

We have continued our waltz development, adding in more steps (such as the 'twinkle').

Friday 18 November Awards

Class 1, Mrs Jackson.

Bird Award – We are so proud of George. He has tackled tasks in number all by himself and has also made recent progress in phonics. Keep trying hard George!

Headteacher's sticker – Evie for her super work in maths. Evie has enjoyed number challenges in subtraction.

Writer of the week – Robert for writing 3 letter words independently during phonics.

Class 2, Miss Goodchild.

Bird Award – Wilf for working brilliantly with his partner and completing his science investigation independently.

Headteacher's sticker – Heidi for excellent effort and achievement in swimming lessons.

Writer of the week – Rufus for consistently neat handwriting in all his books.

Class 3, Mr Chapman.

Bird Award – Enes for his dedication in maths to complete our trickiest challenges and his determination to solve them.

Headteacher's sticker – Felix for problem solving, giving others solutions to their problems.

Writer of the week – Lucas for sustaining precision over an extended piece of writing.

Miss Goodchild's Superstars!

Class 2 Eliza M

Class 3 Esme and Evelyn

Friday 25 November Awards

Class 1, Mrs Jackson.

Bird Award – Dotty for her excellent progress in number. For recognising numbers and showing fingers to match.

Headteacher's sticker – Shaday for fantastic provision time, making independent choices to design and make.

Writer of the week – Eliza for her fire safety writing, recalling important information, and using her phonics.

Class 2, Miss Goodchild.

Bird Award – Millie for consistently challenging herself in maths and persevering to find answers.

Headteacher's sticker – Daisy for focusing well and working hard in all her lessons. Alfie for a fantastic Ho Ho Ho rap with all the actions.

Writer of the week – William H for working really hard at his Little Wandle sentences.

Class 3, Mr Chapman.

Bird Award – Jess H for her enjoyment in music when mastering the sequence of notes on the glockenspiel.

Headteacher's sticker – Evelyn for making her science work jam-packed with technical vocabulary.

Writer of the week – Enes for persistence in trying to master a letter join, much improved.

Miss Goodchild's Superstars!

Class 1 Robert

Class 2 Heidi and Timmy

This afternoon you are warmly welcome to **Friday Celebration assembly** in the school hall at 2.45pm, this half term hosted by myself.

Have a lovely weekend.

NOTICES:

- HOOSC – Husthwaite Out Of School Club. We wish Mrs Turner all the very best as today is her last day as she goes on maternity leave. We welcome Mrs Throup to the HOOSC team, Miss Wilkie is the HOOSC supervisor in Mrs Turner's absence. As of Monday 28th November our HOOSC hours will be 8-8.45am and 3.20 - 5pm.
- Class 1. Mrs Mulligan will be sadly leaving us on Friday 2nd December due to unforeseen circumstances. She has thoroughly enjoyed her short time at Husthwaite, working with all our fabulous children, staff and parents. We look forward to welcoming Mrs Gears to the Class 1 team who will join us at the start of next term. Current school staff will be supporting in Class 1 until Mrs Gears arrival.
- **Sweets-filled jam jars wanted.** The school Christmas fair is only a couple of weeks away. Traditionally we have run a stall of jam jars filled with sweets for the children to win. Please give generously. Thank you for your support. Mr Chapman.
- Thank you to all Year 4, 5 and 6 parents who attended or requested the recording of our parent 'Online safety and Cyber bullying' workshop. We hope you found it informative and supportive in providing information about keeping your child safe online. We have recently added an 'Apps' Information document to our parent section on our school's website for your reference.
- As you know our Ofsted report has been published this week. Thank you to all parents who attended our parent session on Monday / have emailed school feedback.
- Please note we are a **NUT FREE SCHOOL**. Due to an individual allergy, it is important no food containing nuts is brought into school under any circumstances.
- Please can we remind all parents not to park on the yellow zig zag lines or on the school drive when dropping off or picking up. These areas are for school buses and taxis only.
- Why not combine your online Christmas shopping with raising funds for the school without it costing you an extra penny! Just visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/husthwaitecoe/ or download the app. Most major stores are included (Amazon, Tesco, Asda etc) and every time you buy from one of them going through the easyfundraising site, the school receives a percentage donation. Please see the attached flyer for further information.
- Take a look at our new Facebook page: www.facebook.com/HusthwaiteCofEPrimary . Please add us as a Facebook friend.

DIARY DATES:

27 November 11-2pm	Hustwaite Village Christmas Market, Hustwaite Village Hall. We have a school Christmas stall!
28 November	Return of all sold and unsold Christmas Hamper Raffle tickets Healthy Schools pupil voice group educational visit to Harlow Carr with Mrs Jackson. 5.00pm zoom Year 6 SATs Federation Parent Meeting.
2 December 3- 4.30pm	School Christmas Mini Fair. Please let FoHS organiser – Holly Fawcett know if you are able to help with the refreshments.
6 December	Christmas Disco Please let FoHS organiser – Nicky McCalmont know if you are able to help supervise.
8 December	Class 1 Parents – Christmas Nativity
13 December	School Christmas Lunch
15 December	Christmas Cinema Treat / Nursery Film in school
16 December 9.30am 2.30pm	Christingle Service at St Nicholas' Church Break up for Christmas holidays