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Message from Mrs Hird

This week, we have been focussing on one of the six principles of nurture, recognising 'the importance of transition in children's lives'. Our Year 6 pupils have been meeting their new teachers and classmates at Caedmon; our Year 3 children have been spending time with Mr Sellers in Oak class; and our new starters have enjoyed their time in Acorn class with Mrs Barber and Miss Clay.

Next week, we will welcome our Year 6 pupils back for their leaving visit, assembly and lots more activities.

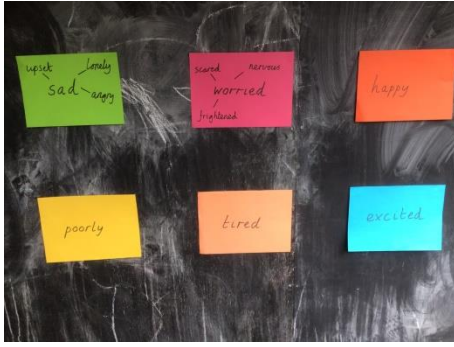
Mrs Hird

Attendance: This week's attendance was **95.85%**, so below our target of at least **97%**.

News from the Classes

Last Friday, the whole school enjoyed a trip up to Blakey for a fantastic day of learning at 'Let's Learn Moor 22,' hosted by the North York Moors Moorland Organisation in partnership with BASC and supported by Countryside Learning. They learnt all about how to look after our beautiful moorland by taking part in a carousel of upland related activities run by Gamekeepers, the National Park and Mountain Rescue. Everyone commented on how knowledgeable our children are and how much they care about the environment.





On Tuesday we had a whole school assembly in one of our outdoor areas looking at how to recognise and talk about our feelings.



Oak

Last week, the Y3 and Y4 pupils took part in the First Mathematics Challenge, run by the Mathematical Association. The pupils had to answer twenty multiple choice questions on their ipads, using their maths knowledge and problem-solving skills. All the children who took part received a certificate in school. There were quite a few bronze awards and two silver awards, which went to Jocelyn and Philomena. The top scorer was Philomena who was just a couple of points off a gold award. Well done to all for taking part!



Stars of the Week

Acorn Star of the week is **Alfie F-T** for listening so carefully to instructions and for being 'ready' for learning.



Star of the Week in **Oak** Class is **Matthew N**, who is a good self-manager and is always ready to learn. He has shown quiet determination in all his work over the last few weeks of term.



Music Lessons in September

Music Lessons with Alix Lillie will continue on Tuesdays. Parents of current music pupils have been given information today, which includes a slip to complete and return (**at the beginning of next week please**) if they wish to continue with lessons. We can then check how much availability Alix will have - please note that there is already a long waiting list for lessons and priority will be given to Oak pupils.

Events next week

Monday - Sports Day is now at 9.30am

A message was sent out yesterday via MCAS and email that a decision had been made to move sports day from the afternoon to 9.30 am, due to the very hot weather forecast. We apologise for this late change to our plans and arrangements you may have already put in place, but believe it is in the best interests of the children.

You child should arrive at school on Monday in their school P.E. kit, wearing a t-shirt in a colour representing their team, if they have one, if not they will wear a bib or band in the correct colour:

Spring: Green
Summer: Yellow
Autumn: Red
Winter: Blue

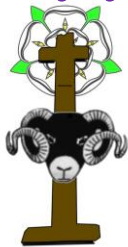
Please make sure your child has had suncream applied and is wearing their hat. They should bring a waterbottle, which can be refilled at the cricket field if needed.

Thursday - Year 6 Leavers Assembly. 10am

Year 6 parents/family only, are invited to school for the leavers assembly.



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Thursday - Summer Fair, 2.30 to 4.30pm

Children are allowed to bring party clothes to change into, with a summer vibe, if they wish!

Various stalls and games, tombola, face painting and refreshments including ice cream, cakes and barbecue. Also musical performances by the children and maypole dancing!

We would be very grateful for donations of tombola prizes please, which should be brought into school on Monday and cakes which should be brought in on Thursday morning. Thank you.

Friday - 'Seaside Dinner' of Fish and Chips

On the last day of term, Gaby will cook a special 'Seaside' lunch of fish and chips, followed by ice cream cone. If your child usually has packed lunch, please let Mrs Blacklock know on Monday if they would like school lunch on Friday.

Payments

Please make sure that all outstanding payments for Dinner Money, Breakfast Club, Music Lessons etc. are made before we break up and email Mrs Blacklock if you need to check anything.

Next Week

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| Monday | Sports Day , 9.30am at Cricket Field. |
| Tuesday | Year 6 trip to Middlesbrough.
Music Lessons with Alix Lillie. Please remember instruments. |
| Wednesday | All pupils Outdoor learning. Children to come to school dressed in appropriate clothing. |
| Thursday | Year 6 Leavers Assembly (for their parents and family only) at School, 10am.
Summer Fair , 2.30 to 4.30pm. |
| Friday | Break up for Summer |

Children return to school on Wednesday, 7th September