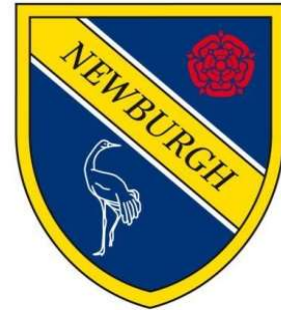


Newburgh CE School & Nursery



Newsletter

28/05/2021

Dear Parents, Carers & Children

It's been a wonderful, productive half term at Newburgh. Children have settled back into our school routines and enjoyed a full half term of school teaching allowing us to see progress across all areas of the curriculum. Thank you so much to you all for following the guidelines and helping us to stay open to all.

It's been wonderful to welcome Victoria Hough back to school to work with children on a new piece of art work. We can't wait to show you what we've produced. As you can see the children have worked really hard on their individual contributions. To help fund Victoria's work we are holding a Father's Day raffle to win Taylor's Farm vouchers some beer or chocolates. Please see Parent Pay to buy your ticket. Winners will be drawn on Friday 18th June.

We've made an amazing start to our reading challenge with 5025 minutes reading time in the last week – well done to everyone – that's an average of 42 minutes per child - keep up the good work!

Governors have decided that there will be no school run holiday clubs this academic year. It was a difficult decision to make but the school staff are in desperate need of a full break this year. We hope to run a holiday club again in the Easter holidays (subject to interest).

We are starting to prepare for our Leaver's Assembly. If Year 6 parents have any favourite photos from birth to present day they would like including in our celebrations please send them in to school by 25.06.21. You can email them to bursar@newburgh.lancs.sch.uk or send hard copies in with children.

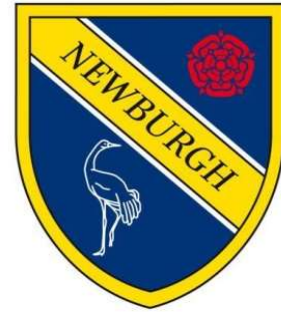
We will be contact tracing again over half term if children develop Covid symptoms and test positive within 2 days of being in school. If this happens please email bursar@newburgh.lancs.sch.uk to let us know so we can ensure all affected can follow isolation guidelines.

Finally I hope you have a well deserved, restful half term.

Warmest Regards,



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What new words/vocabulary have you learned this week?

Police Officer, Vet, Fire Engine, Doctor, Pilot, Pirate – Team Nursery have been thinking about what they would like to be when they grow up.

Lungs, heart, ribs, small intestines - Team Crane have been learning about the body.

Delicious, powerful, scurried, scrumptious – Literacy vocabulary from Team Halton.

Chronological & abstract – Literacy and Art vocabulary from Team Lucas.

Style, stigma, carpel, roots, decade, tortoise formation, spear - Team Rigby have been studying parts of plants, units of time & the Romans.

Quadrants, co-ordinates, mirror line, metamorphosis – mathematical & scientific vocabulary from Team Venables

Headteacher's Roll of Honour

Those children who have demonstrated both effort in school and the Gospel Value of Friendship are:-

Team Crane

Julia

Team Halton

Dan

Team Lucas

Rory

Team Rigby

All of Year 3

All of Year 4

Team Venables

All of Year 5

All of Year 6

Times Tables Rock Stars

The children who's accuracy has improved the most this week are:-

Year 3 – Grace

Year 4 – Macey

Year 5 – Will

Year 6 – Clayton

Keep up the good work!

Wilton House Farm Shop

We are thrilled to be entering into a collaboration with Wilton House Farm Shop (opposite school). The grand opening has unfortunately been delayed. Once the shop fully opens we will send home a card with each child. If you show the card at checkout a 5% donation will be made to school.

Birthday Shout Outs:

For those children who have had a birthday since the last Newsletter:-

Lara

Arthur

We hope you managed to have a lovely celebration!

Next Week at Newburgh:-

Dinners – Week 2

Monday 14th June – Return to school.

Wednesday 16th June – Nursery and Class Photos

Thursday 17th June – Mini Wheelers – Reception & Year 1

We are Newburgh:

Our aim is to provide a rich and engaging educational experience in a caring Christian environment in which each individual is valued and respected so that all are enabled to reach their full potential.



Team Rigby Roman Day

Team Rigby will be having a whole class themed day focussing upon the Romans and Celts on Monday 28th June. The activities will include a Roman Banquet in the afternoon, making Roman mosaics, learning all about Roman numerals in Mathematics and also a fun and informative Zoom workshop with a Roman expert in the morning. This workshop will focus upon why the Romans invaded Britain and also the Revolt of Queen Boudicca.

We would like to invite the children to dress up for this day if they wish to do so. They may want to dress up as a Roman soldier, a Celtic warrior, a Roman slave, a rich person or even an emperor! These costumes do not need to be costly – a bed sheet could be used for a Roman tunic, a shield or weapon could be crafted from card and a hessian sack could be used for a Celtic costume for example. We are really looking forward to this exciting day and we are going to have lots of fun.

If you would like to make a donation towards the costs of the food, arts and craft materials and the Zoom workshop for this fun day then please see the information on Parent Pay. Many thanks.