

Northmoor News



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Ms Beesley's News

Welcome back to school for the summer term! We hope you had a restful break and are ready for an exciting and productive term ahead.

There is much to look forward to this term, including engaging new topics, fun extracurricular activities, and lots of special events to enrich learning. Next week, after school activities will begin again with a range of new activities on offer for children to choose from. **If your child attends an afterschool club they must be collected from school by 4:15pm.**

Believe, Achieve, Succeed Awards

Ruby- Camille for listening and following instructions.

Y1 Sapphire – Zara sharing excellent ideas during carpet time in maths and English

Y1/2 Pearl- Jack for a positive learning attitude and excellent behaviour all week,

Y2 Topaz- Reavah for beautiful manners this week.

Y3 Coral – Saleem for a 'can do' attitude to learning.

Y3 Garnet – Mohaimen for a fantastic start to his learning at Northmoor.

Y4 Amethyst – Ina for **super** homework

Y4 Citrine – Hasnat for his passionate for learning

Y5 Jet- Shaania for fabulous writing

Y5 Zircon- David for a wonderful start to his learning.

Y6 Aquamarine – Rosa for her improved attitude towards learning!

Y6 Onyx – Salman for great improvement in his maths.

Breakfast Club



There have been some improvements made to our breakfast club offer. We are now able to offer more of the children's favourite breakfast cereals as well as fruit, yoghurt, bagels and crumpets.

Breakfast is available for all pupils from 8:30am and this is completely free of charge.

Uniform



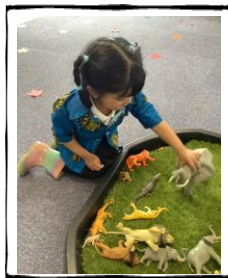
A mini-heatwave has been forecast for the week ahead so you may want to consider lighter clothing such **summer dresses** or tailored shorts for the warmer days. Do keep in mind that the mornings can still be quite cool, **jackets** are still necessary.

Don't forget to provide **hats** and **sunscreen** for outdoor activities to protect your children from the sun.

What's been happening this week?



Nursery



In Nursery this week our learning has been based on the book Flip Flap Safari. We have enjoyed talking about animals we might see on safari and have enjoyed playing with jungle animals in our tough spot. Why not talk to your child about their favourite jungle animal?

Reception



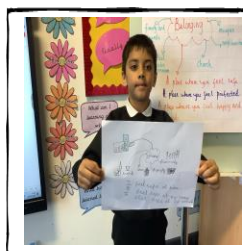
This week, Ruby class have begun a new topic all about spring and growth. We have been learning the life cycle of a flower. We thought about what a flower needs to grow and then planted our own sunflower. In maths we have been using a number line to add. We have also enjoyed our garden centre role play area this week.

Year 1



In Year 1 this week, we have thoroughly enjoyed our WOW starter of Great Britain Now by having a traditional British tea party. We enjoyed scones with jam and looked at the countries of Great Britain.

Years 1 / 2 & 2



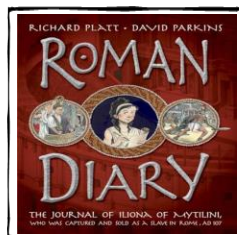
This week in Pearl and Topaz Class we have started our new Topic 'Great Britain Now' for our wow starter we hosted a tea party where we ate scones. We have started our new book The Kings Pants. In maths we have been recapping place value.

Year 3



This week, Year 3 have had an exciting start to the half term. We have been mummifying tomatoes in English, learning how to be an Egyptian embalmer. We have made clay cartouches and created pictures of our own Egyptian headdresses during our WOW starter afternoon! The children are so enthused about this topic. Why don't you ask us about the process of mummification at home!

Year 4



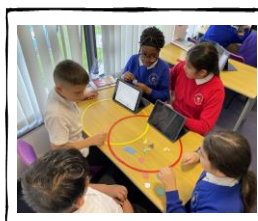
This week, Year 4 have begun their work on Invaders and settlers. We have begun by looking at the book, Roman Diary written by a young Greek slave, Iliona. We are starting by writing a letter about our journey from the point of view of Iliona. We have also learned about roman numerals in maths.

Year 5



This week Year 5 started their new topic of 'What did the Victorians do for us?' We tried to learn a poem by rote, ate gruel and even chose a Victorian style name! We can't wait to learn more about the Victorian period. Ask us to tell you all about it!

Year 6



This week, Year 6 have been learning about instruction writing. We began the week by writing a set of instructions for paper lanterns, before planning a set of instructions to help us prepare for our SATs. In Maths, we have been learning about the properties of different shapes.