

Flookburgh School News

8th November 2019



This term's Christian Value is 'Respect'
'Honour your father and your mother,
so that you may live long in the land the Lord your God is giving you'
Exodus 20:12

Headteacher, Framed and Busy Bee Certificates have been awarded to:			
	Headteacher	Framed	Busy Bee
Class 1	Alice Edge	Charlie Anderson	Edie Crowe
Class 2	Henry Wood	William Nelson	Eleanor Tegg
Class 3	Ava Porter	David Appleton	Louis Bennett
Class 4	Niamh Nelson	All of Class 4	Joe Grimshaw

Attendance Week Ending: Friday 1 st November 2019	
Class 1	94.11%
Class 2	91.95%
Class 3	98.19%
Class 4	94.7%
Whole School: 94.77%	



Ofsted December 2018 says,
 'This school continues to be Good'

Lunchtime, Before and After School Activity Clubs for the 2nd half of Autumn Term

	8.45-9.00am	12.30-1.00pm	3.15-4.15pm
Mon	KS2 'Wake and Shake'		
Tues	KS2 'Wake and Shake'		KS2 Sports Club with Miss Horne and Miss Dawson
Wed	KS2 'Wake and Shake'		Puzzles and Games Club Years 1-6 with Mrs Robinson
Thurs	KS2 'Wake and Shake'	Running Club	
Fri	KS2 'Wake and Shake'		LEGO Club Y5 and 6 with Mr Napper

Values: Respect Hope Compassion Courage Endurance Forgiveness

CLASS OF THE WEEK CLASS 1: Since half term, we have been looking more at London and British traditions! Last week, our room became focussed on rats as we enjoyed learning about the story of Dick Whittington; his trusty cat kept those nasty rats away! We made story predictions and thought about where we might like to travel if we could go anywhere we liked in the world. This week, we have enjoyed many activities revolving around Bonfire Night. Why do we have this tradition? It's not just because fireworks look pretty, as we all thought! We learnt about how Guy Fawkes tried to blow up the King four hundred years ago and how his plot was foiled. To mark this moment of our history, we have had fun roasting (cotton wool) marshmallows on our small world fire, making fireworks in our sparkly sky playdough and sticking together 2D firework rockets amongst many other things! Despite the rain, we even put on our wellies to have plenty of fun in the woodland area when we took it in turns to hide objects for our friends to find!

Thank you to those parents who have taken time out of their day to help us prepare resources for the children to enjoy this week; your contributions are much appreciated by children and adults alike!



CHILDREN IN NEED: Friday 15th November



To help raise monies for this fantastic charity, we are asking our children, if they would like to, to come to school in their pyjamas, slippers and dressing-gown with their favourite teddy or 'snuggly' all for a small donation of £1.

We would also like to sell cakes and biscuits at breaktimes so, if you and your child would like to get baking that would be lovely. If this is something you would like to do, please bring cakes and biscuits into school on Friday morning – thank you.

Values: Respect Hope Compassion Courage Endurance Forgiveness

CLASS 3 'BEAUTY AND THE BEAST' PERFORMANCE: Wednesday 6th November

Class 3 had a fantastic trip out on Wednesday afternoon. We were invited to watch an old classic, *The Beauty and the Beast*, at Cartmel Priory School. We all really enjoyed it and thought the acting was brilliant. We also thought that Belle's singing voice was beautiful! The children really enjoyed spotting friends of theirs in the cast. Miss Dawson was proud of all of our Class 3 children, as they represented our school brilliantly. Thank you Cartmel Priory for a great event! I am sure some of our own Class 3 children will be seen in the spotlight in the future!



CLASS 4 VISIT TO THE KINGDOM HALL: Wednesday 6th November

Class 4 had an amazing time at the Kingdom Hall this week. We were welcomed by the followers of the faith and learnt a lot about what happens in the Jehovah's Witness religion. We watched videos, asked questions and were shown how the hall got built with a time-lapse video. The children (and staff!) had lots of interesting questions and we would like to thank the helpers at the Kingdom Hall for being so wonderful with our children. We would also like to thank Mr and Mrs Grimshaw for accompanying us during the trip and answering the questions the children had.



CLASS 2 PUPIL-LED COLLECTIVE WORSHIP: Wednesday 6th November

This week Class 2 enjoyed putting together our first collective worship based around our Christian Value for this term, Respect. Everyone worked together to paint the different letters which make up the word 'respect' and we thought about what each letter stood for to help convey the meaning; R is for Respect, E is for Everybody, S is for Succeeding, P is for Positivity, E is for Environment, C is for Caring and T is for Thinking.

MORNING ROUTINES:

Just a polite reminder that we kindly ask that our KS2 parents leave their children at the playground in the morning and avoid coming into school, unless previously arranged with Class Teachers. The children have been reminded that they do not enter school until the whistle blows at 8.55, unless the weather is wet and wild! Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Values: Respect Hope Compassion Courage Endurance Forgiveness

Important Dates

Dates for your Diary for the Autumn term:

11 th Nov	Remembrance Service in school – 80 Year Commemoration of the beginning of WWII. All of our families and wider community are warmly invited to join us in school at 10.15am
11 th -15 th Nov	Anti-Bullying Week
11 th Nov	Nasal Flu Forms to be returned to school
15 th Nov	Children in Need Fundraising Event
15 th Nov	Boxes of Hope Christmas Appeal - Christmas Boxes to be collected today
20 th Nov	Year 5 and 6 Sportshall Athletics at Cartmel Priory School – Details to follow
27 th Nov	KS2 Cross-Country – Details to follow
9 th Dec	Karate Belt Grading with Natalie Woodburn – KS2 Parents and Extended Family invited to watch
10 th Dec	Class 1 and Class 2 Nativity in Church
11 th Dec	KS2 Christmas Production – AM and PM including Raffle
13 th Dec	Christmas Fair and Christmas Jumper Day
16 th Dec	Stories Around the Christmas Tree – Details to follow
18 th Dec	Christmas Parties – Details to follow
20 th Dec	School finishes at 2pm

Further dates of events and activities will be added throughout the term. Also, as happens from time to time, there may be occasions when dates need to be changed. If this is the case, we shall try our best to give you as much notice as possible.

NB: We have not included any dates for competitions that we may be entering over the course of the term; we shall notify you of events our children shall be competing in nearer the time.

Internet Safety Link for your information and records:



<https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety->

National Online Safety Details:

- www.nationalonlinesafety.com
- Twitter - @natonlinesafety
- Facebook - /NationalOnlineSafety
- Phone - 0800 368 8061

Adverse Weather School Closure Procedure:

We shall send a text message to notify you of a school closure as early as possible on the day; further information about school closures can also be found on the Cumbria County Council website:

https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/school_closures

Values: Respect Hope Compassion Courage Endurance Forgiveness