



Burton-upon-Stather Primary Academy

NEWSLETTER

Class Corner - Year 1

During the last term, Year 1 explored animals and their habitats in Science. They named and classified animals, observed their behaviours, and learned how they interact with their environments. The children also investigated camouflage and how it helps animals survive. They recorded observations, discussed habitats, and asked questions about the natural world. These activities helped the children develop careful observation skills, critical thinking, and the ability to communicate their findings clearly. To bring their Science learning to life, they visited Lincoln Zoo! The children observed animals such as tigers, sloth bears, wolves, lynx, penguins, and crocodiles, noting their behaviours, diets and environments. We were lucky to have our own zoo keeper, who gave us a personal tour and even fed the animals so we could see their meals up close. Despite the rain, the children were excellent role models and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

In DT, the children designed and created their own finger puppets based on existing designs. They carefully made templates and thought about how to make the puppets for a purpose: to perform a puppet show for Reception. This project helped them practise planning, designing, and making, while also encouraging creativity and attention to detail. The children were proud to share their puppets and bring their designs to life for an audience.

This half term, Year 1 are excited to begin *Dinosaur Planet*. They will learn about Mary Anning, a pioneering fossil hunter, and discover why her work was so important to our understanding of dinosaurs. In English, the children have begun reading *Gigantosaurus* and exploring the story. They will soon be writing their own descriptions of a dinosaur, using their imagination and the knowledge they have gained about these fascinating creatures.

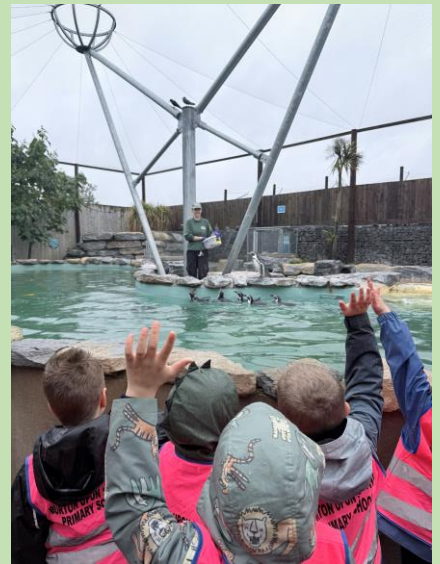
Mrs Daly
Year 1 Class Teacher



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Celebration



Readers Award

Reception - Areley

Year 1 - Ben

Year 2 – Charlotte

Year 3 – Theo P

Year 4 – Gabriel, Rowan

Year 5 – Evelyn

Year 6 - Elijah



Stars of the Week

Reception – Ted

Year 1 - Rosie

Year 2 – George

Year 3 – Scarlett

Year 4 – Rex

Year 5 – George

Year 6 – Lucas

Bronze Award

Year 2 – Esmae, Jasper

**Year 3 – Freddie, Vienna,
Harrison**

Year 4 – Izzy

**Year 5 – Ethan, Rosie,
Harley**

Year 6 – Cooper, Freddie



Silver Award

Year 1 – Toby

Year 2 – Eleanor

Year 3 – Rowan, Rubi

Year 6 – Maya, Ekhira



Good Friend Award

Reception - Henry

Year 1 - Ben

Year 2 – Harper

Year 3 – Max

Year 4 – Alexa

Year 5 – Evie

Year 6 - Lucy

Gold Award

Year 1 – Jaxon

TT Rockstar Award

Year 4 - Rex

Year 5 – Thea

Year 6 - Rath



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY & FORTHCOMING EVENTS

W/C Monday 10 th November	Reception – People who help us week
Monday 10 th November	Odd Socks Day
Monday 10 th November	Year 6 SATs Meeting to Parents/Carers, 3.45pm
Tuesday 11 th November	Y6 Armistice Day Event
Wednesday 12 th November	Y4 Forest School – rearranged date
Friday 14 th November	Children in Need Pyjama Day
Tuesday 18 th and Thursday 20 th November	Parents Evenings – now available to book via Arbor
Wednesday 26 th November	Year 4 Class Assembly – 3pm Parents and carers invited to attend
Friday 28 th November	Non Uniform Day in exchange for bingo prizes
Monday 1 st December	Y1 Phonics Presentation to Parents/Carers, 5pm
Tuesday 2 nd December	Y4 Trip to Eureka – More information to follow
Thursday 4 th December	Christmas Bingo Night
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas dinner/Christmas jumper day
Friday 12 th December	Get Ahead Silent Disco – In school event for all years
Wednesday 17 th December	KS1 Christmas Production – Morning and Afternoon performances
Friday 19 th December	Christmas Parties, all classes



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North Lincolnshire Council

URGENTLY REQUIRED
[kitchen assistant](#)

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Primary
Monday - Friday
7.5 hours per week – 12.00 to 13.30
Term time only

Excellent rates of pay and conditions.

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Extra-Curricular Activities

Day	Time	Activity	Key Stage
Monday	3.35-4.30	KS2 Dodgeball and Benchball	KS2
Tuesday	3.30-4.30	Football	Rec & KS1
Tuesday	3.35-4.15	Book Club – No session next week	KS2
Thursday	3.30-4.15	Board Buddies	Rec & KS1
Thursday	3.35-4.15	SATs Club	Year 6

Attendance

Our whole school attendance this week is 94.22%

Well done Year 1 for the highest attendance this week – 94.4%

We are aiming to reach **97%**.

Please ensure that all general doctor and dentist appointments are booked outside the school day unless they are an emergency.

Poppy Appeal

Poppy items will be available to purchase again on Monday morning playtime.

Suggested donations:

Slapband bracelets: £2

Fabric bracelets: £1

Wristbands: £1

Poppy reflectors: 50p

Paper poppies: donation

Please ensure children have the correct money to purchase.

Thank you for your support.

Burton upon Stather Primary
Academy Parent Governor
Expression of Interest 2025



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