



Year 1 – Class Corner

We are excited to share the wonderful things happening in Year 1! It has been a busy time, and we are so proud of the progress the children are making.

In phonics, the children have been working hard, revisiting, and learning new sounds. This dedication is reflected in their reading and writing abilities. They are making significant strides, and it is amazing to watch their confidence grow.

In history, the children have been exploring the Great Fire of London. They have been busy writing reports explaining how the fire started and why it spread so rapidly. The knowledge gained from our history lessons has greatly supported their writing, resulting in impressive reports filled with interesting facts. It's wonderful to see how their learning in one subject enriches their skills in another!

In maths, we have focused on numbers up to 20 and are currently exploring addition. The children have enjoyed engaging in practical activities that allow them to apply their skills hands-on. This approach makes learning fun and helps solidify their understanding of mathematical concepts. In science, our focus has been materials, and this week, the children conducted an exciting experiment with ice. They observed changes when heat, cold, salt, or sugar are applied to ice, sparking curiosity, and discussion. It's delightful to see their inquisitive nature come alive during these practical lessons, and we look forward to more engaging experiments.

Looking ahead, we are thrilled about our upcoming visit from Lab Rascals! This interactive experience promises to be both educational and fun, providing the children with the opportunity to explore scientific concepts hands-on. We can't wait to see the excitement on their faces as they engage with the planned activities.

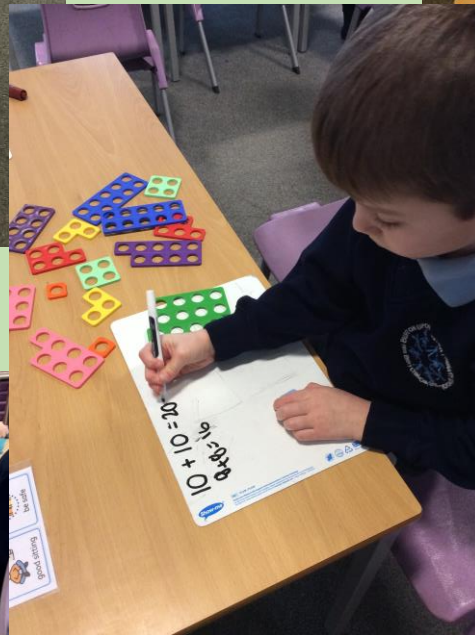
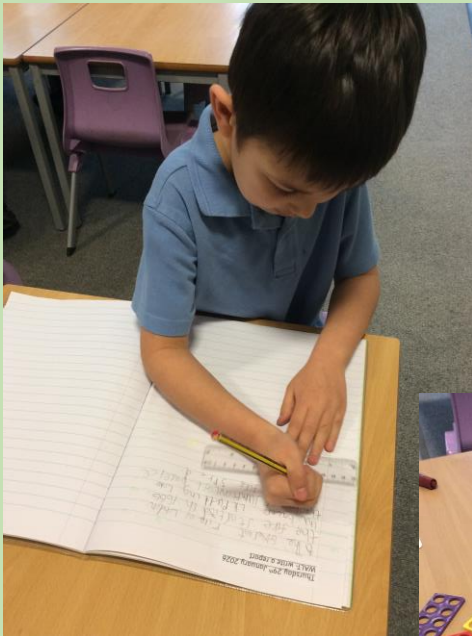
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READING

MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

If your child starts reading for **20 minutes** per night in **Reception...**

20 minutes a day equals...

By the end of **Year 6** they will have read for the equivalent of...

 **3,600 minutes** per school year

 **1,800,000 words** per year



BENEFITS OF READING!



★ Better Vocabulary ★



Improved Imagination



★ Greater Focus



Higher Achievement ★



• **READ EVERY DAY & SUCCEED!** •



NEWSLETTER

Celebration

Headteacher Award – Myla (Year 1) and Yusuf (Reception)

Attendance Class of the Week – Year 4

Bertie Bear Class of the Week – Year 2



Good Friend Award

Reception - Ada

Year 1 - William

Year 2 – Sonny

Year 3 – Alfie

Year 4 – Nate

Year 5 – Florence

Year 6 - Juwairiyah



Stars of the Week

Reception – Tully

Year 1 - Flynn

Year 2 – Emmie

Year 3 – Rowan

Year 4 – Alexa

Year 5 – Grace

Year 6 – Lillie



TT Rockstar Award

Year 3 – Gracie

Year 4 - George

Year 5 – Poppy

Year 6 - Jensen

Bronze Award

Reception – Aoife, Yusuf

Year 1 – Ben, Myla, Harper

**Year 2 – Daniel, Elodie,
Esmae, Lenny**

Year 3 – Scarlett, Theo P

**Year 4 – Logan, Gabriel,
Rowan, Benas, Rex**

Year 6 – Lucy

Silver Award

Reception - Jesse

Year 2 – Inger

Year 3 –Ihtishaam

Year 4 – George, Emily

**Year 5 – Brody, Harrison,
Ivy, Lilly, Toby**

**Year 6 – Joseph, Maya,
Ekhira, Alf, Rosie**

Gold Award

Year 2 – Reeva

Year 5 – Poppy



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY & FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 2 nd February	Humberside Fire to visit Y5
Wednesday 4 th February	Year 5/6 Man City Newcastle Match Trip
Friday 6 th February	Non Uniform Day for donations (Rockstar/digit) – NSPCC Number Day
Wednesday 11 th February	Lab Rascals Visit for Y1 and Y5
Thursday 12 th February	KS2 Dodgeball Event
Thursday 12 th February	Y3 Class Assembly – Parents invited to attend from 3pm
Friday 13 th February	Get Ahead Games – In school event for all years
Monday 16 th February – Friday 20 th February	Half Term
Wednesday 25 th February	KS2 Ice Hockey Match Trip
Monday 2 nd March	School Nurse to visit Y5 – Gaming Talk
Tuesday 3 rd March	Virtual Author Visit – Michael Rosen
Monday 9 th March	Reception Trip to The Deep
Monday 9 th March	Y1 Forest School Begins
Tuesday 10 th March	Reception Vision and Hearing Tests
Saturday 14 th March	Y5 Scunthorpe United Community Match
Monday 16 th March	School Nurse to visit Y5 – Healthy Eating Talk
Friday 27 th March	It's Catching – Get Ahead in school event for all years



Extra-Curricular Activities

Day	Time	Activity	Key Stage
Monday	3.30-4.30	Indoor Cricket	Rec & KS1
Tuesday	3.35-4.30	Badminton	KS2
Thursday	3.30-4.15	Dancing – No Club Next Week	Rec & KS1
Thursday	3.35-4.15	TT Rockstars	KS2
Thursday	3.35-4.15	SATs Club	Year 6

Attendance

Our whole school attendance this week is 96.3%

Well done Year 4 for the highest attendance this week – 99.3%

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.

Burton upon Stather Primary
Academy Parent Governor
Expression of Interest 2025

