

School Newsletter

Yew Tree Community School - making things better together.

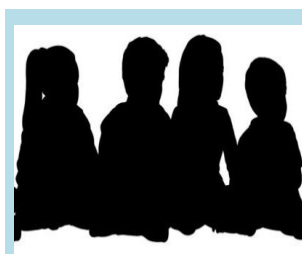


What has been happening this week.

This week, all the children in Reception have been to Smith Hills Farm in Bolton. At the farm, they went on a tractor ride, fed the goats and the sheep, petted animals such as chicks and rabbits, in 'pets corner', watched the cows being milked and went on a donkey ride!

This week, the other two Year 4 classes (Green & Red) have been on their trips to Dovestone Reservoir as part of their Geography topic of 'Rivers'. Whilst walking around the reservoir, children identified the features of a river and marked them off on their checklists. They then sketched images of the river.

Mr Moore & Miss Morris



**EYFS & KS1
Attendance
winners:
2 Green
97%**



**KS2 Attendance
winners:
5 Green
97%**



**Our whole
school
attendance
this week is
94%**

Year 5 Trips

All the children in Year 5 will be going on trips to Castleshaw next week (5 Blue have been once this week) –

Monday 25th March – 5 Blue

Tuesday 26th March – 5 Red

Wednesday 27th March – 5 Red (AM) and 5 Green (PM)

Thursday 28th March – 5 Green



Year 3 brass concert

This week, all the children in Year 3 performed in a brass concert for their parents / carers. They have all been learning to play a brass instrument as part of the 'wider opportunities' music programme and they performed a selection of songs that they have been learning.

Chicks

For the last two weeks, the children in Reception have had some eggs that they have enjoyed watching hatch into chicks. Lots of children from other classes also popped down to see them! The chicks have now gone to live on a farm with a member of staff.



Reception Farm Photos

Here are a few more photos from the Reception trips to Smith Hills farm this week!



Holiday Food Vouchers

We have been told that the government will stop the holiday food vouchers for children on Free School Meals after the Easter holiday. If you are eligible, please check your email for the Easter voucher.



Reminder - School starts at **8.45am** every day



Congratulations to all our learners of the week. They have really impressed their teachers this week.

EYFS

Nursery – Zunaira Abbas
R Red – Alfie Lowe
R Blue – Sheila Igbinobaro
R Green – Sienna Alt

Year 1

1 Red – Isaac Reed
1 Blue – Rayaana Kamali
1 Green – Thamanna Begum

Year 2

2 Red – Rayha Shazad
2 Blue – Anjola Akasoro
2 Green – Kai Jenkinson – Knight

Year 3

3 Red – Narcisa Lacatus
3 Blue – Muhammed Hashim
3 Green – Safa Ashraf

Year 4

4 Red – Amelia Olarescu
4 Blue – Eilaaya Attif
4 Green – Summer Boyle

Year 5

5 Red – Mahir Khan
5 Blue – Celie Powis
5 Green – Jack Bush

Year 6

6 Red – Ella Clarke
6 Blue – Raissa Codeiro
6 Green – Eli Davies



Nursery – Year 5 Parents' Evening

Parents' Evening for children in Nursery to Year 5 will take place **this week** on **Tuesday 26th March** and **Wednesday 27th March**. You should have been sent a letter to book an appointment – unless your child is in **3 Red**. If your child is in 3 Red, there will be more information to follow.



Thank you!

A big thank you for all of your support for our non-uniform days and cake sales. We have raised the following –
£632 – Mental Health Week
£414 – Red Nose Day
Thank you for all your support!

This week's attendance – our target is 96%

EYFS ATTENDANCE

Nursery – 92%

Reception Red – 96%

Reception Blue – 93%

Reception Green – 94%

KS1 ATTENDANCE

1 Red – 96%

1 Blue – 94%

1 Green – 90%

2 Red – 95%

2 Blue – 95%

2 Green – 97%

LOWER KS2 ATTENDANCE

3 Red – 96%

3 Blue – 96%

3 Green – 96%

4 Red – 95%

4 Blue – 91%

4 Green – 96%

UPPER KS2 ATTENDANCE

5 Red – 96%

5 Blue – 94%

5 Green – 97%

6 Red – 96%

6 Blue – 93%

6 Green – 92%