

Weekly Wrap-Up



Friday 31st January 2025

Important Info



Week commencing 03.02.25 - Menu Week 3

Next Friday we will celebrate Number Day in school. We will be raising funds to help the NSPCC carry out their vital work. Children are encouraged to come to school in casual clothes or fancy dress with a number theme. A football shirt, basketball jersey, dressed as a dice or calculator, covered in spots...the choice is yours. Children will enjoy number themed activities throughout the day.

We ask that all donations to the NSPCC are made through the Products section of the My Child at School (MCAS) app.

Update from the head

Hello everyone,

It has been a brilliant week at Newby and Scalby with so much wonderful work being shown to me by children genuinely excited by what they are learning both at home and in school.

Whilst this work has brought happiness and pride, I have also received many messages about the parking situation outside of our school, both at drop-off and pick-up. For the safety of the children, I implore all drivers to think about their speed as they drive and their positioning as they park. Where there are yellow lines, please do not park there.

Next week sees our year 4 children venture off to Dallowgill. To keep updated with their progress, please have a look at the daily updates that will appear on the 'Latest News' section of the website.

I am excited to see the children celebrate NSPCC's Number Day, as they wear a number for the day. The money raised, by supporting this event, will be donated to the NSPCC and aid the valuable work they do.

Thank you, as ever, for your incredible support!

Mr Wriglesworth

DREAMS Point Winners

Team Motivation



Diary Dates

Dates For Your Calendar

Autumn Term

Next Week

- 03.02.25 4S Leave for Dallowgill
- 04.02.25 5BT Swimming Lesson
- 05.02.25 4M Leave for Dallowgill
- 07.02.25 NSPCC Number Day

For the future

- 12.02.25 Y1 Visit to Rotunda Museum
- 12.02.25 Y5 Wonderdome Workshop
- 14.02.25 Break for Half Term

24.02.25 School re-opens after Half Term

- 06.03.25 World Book Day
- 21.03.25 Comic Relief



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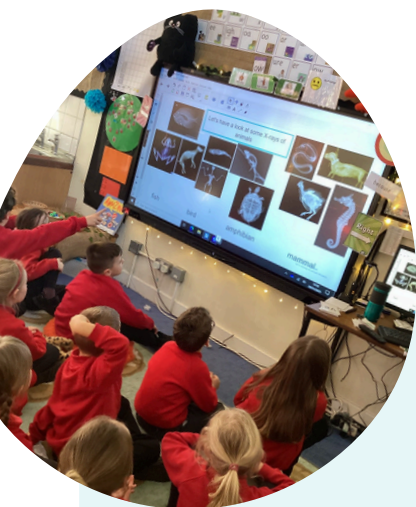
Class 0C & 0S

We have been learning about Lunar New Year. We have found out some things people do to celebrate including; receiving presents and money, decorating their home, going to a parade and watching fireworks. We have compared Lunar New Year to some festivals we have already talked about including; Halloween, Diwali and Christmas.

In maths we have continued to explore numbers 6, 7 and 8. This week we have explored the composition of these numbers and doubling facts within 8 e.g. double 3 is 6.

In phonics we have learnt the sounds; ure, er and ow.

We have especially enjoyed PE this week and have been using the benches, balance beams and agility tables to become champion gymnasts. The children have amazed us with their high and low movements, shapes and balancing skills.



Year 1

Class 1A & 1S

In science, Year 1 have been learning about different types of animals, such as reptiles, mammals, amphibians, fish and birds. The children have loved looking at the different X-Rays to try and identify the animals! We have also undertaken a science experiment where we put an egg in apple cider vinegar... what do you think happened?

In phonics, we have been working on our alternative sounds such as ur/ or ear, oo/ ou /oa/+/l/ ou, ee/ ie /v/ ve and i/ y.

The children have been working on innovating the story 'The Queen's Hat in English. They have really been trying hard to improve their writing by using the Everyday Toolkit and the use of onomatopoeia.





Class 2S & 2MT

We have had another lovely week in Year 2 exploring 'The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark' in our reading lessons and finding out how Plop faced his fear.

In writing we have used our plan to write our own fantasy stories and in maths we have been learning about unit and non-unit fractions. Can your child remember what they are?

In science we begun our learning about how to keep ourselves clean and healthy. We experimented how germs are transferred using glitter and were shocked at how quickly and easily they were transferred!.

We have enjoyed singing in music and learning the next verse/chorus of our performance song - Here Comes the Sun, by The Beatles.

Well done and thank you to all those pupils who have completed this weeks homework on Emile. :)



Class 3C & 3WR

This week in Gymnastics, we've been working on creating sequences using the apparatus. The focus has been on performing movements in unison and canon, showing excellent gymnastics. Everyone did a fantastic job, and we were all very impressed with how smoothly the movements flowed when presented to the class.

In Writing, we've been using various features to develop our suspense stories. The class is excited to continue working on these stories and can't wait to share and enjoy them together in the near future. Keep up the fantastic work!

This week in Geography, we have been using Ordnance Survey maps to compare the human features of Scarborough and Whitby. The children did a great job identifying features such as transportation links and residential areas. Why not ask your child what features they can remember from the maps? They're sure to have lots to share!



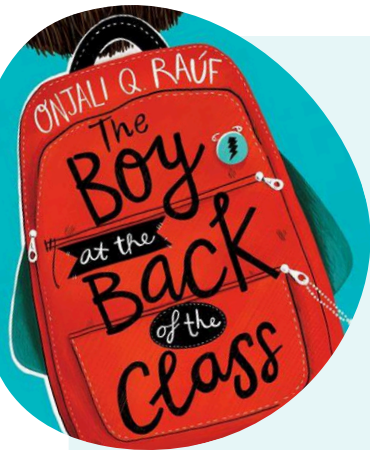
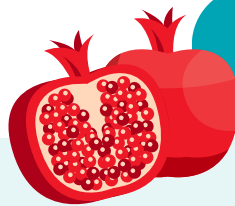


Class 4S & 4M

This week, Year 4 have been starting their Hot independent portal stories. We have explored lots of existing stories (including Harry Potter, The Wizard of Oz and Alice in Wonderland) and what they used as portals to inspire us to imagine our own settings for our portals. We have continue to learn about the story of the Iron Man and discuss the characters and how the author portrays their personality traits through their action. In maths, we have continued to deepen our understanding of fractions.



We have finished our geography topic on Greece and are moving on to looking at Rivers and the water cycle. On Thursday, in RE, we enjoyed our visit from Celia from St Lawrence's church. We look forward to seeing all of the children, with their bags packed for Dallow Gill next week. What an amazing few days we are going to have! We can't wait!



Class 5G & 5BT

This week, year 5 have been hard at work creating an innovation of a suspense story. The children have blown us away with the language they have used and the amazing application of the "suspense tools" they have learned. Next week, the children will be completing their independent write, where they will apply all of their learning from the unit. In maths, the children have been learning to round decimals to a whole number, and to one decimal place. We have been really impressed with the resilience the children have shown, but also with how much they have remembered from the Autumn term.

We also continued to read The Boy at the Back of the Class this week. We have made inferences in the form of PC Prove It - where the children are given a statement and they must find evidence in the text to support the statement, and have learned a poem. It is lovely to see how much the children are enjoying reading The Boy at the Back of the Class - there have been so many laugh-out-loud moments this week! Enjoy your weekend everyone, and we look forward to seeing you again on Monday!

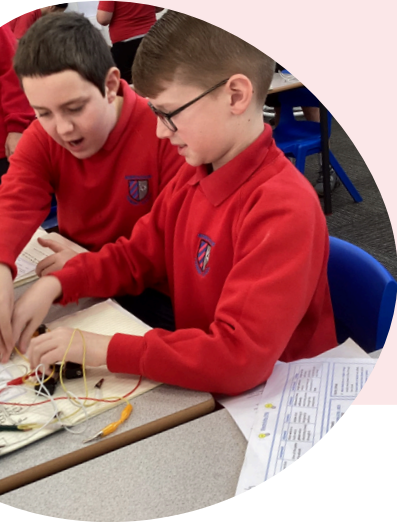




Class 6BA & 6BL

Have you ever wanted to find out about what the Year 6 children have been doing in their learning? Read on to find out all about it! The children have continued to build on their persuasive techniques (including asking rhetorical questions and direct address) to write a travel advert for South Africa.

In Science, they explored how they could make a bulb brighter by increasing the voltage when adding more batteries.



They have continued to apply their learning into worded problems in Maths, whether this be on measure, place value or the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division). If you're wondering what to do to help your child at home, securing the four operations in Maths and encouraging them to learn their times tables would be very useful. As always, we suggest regular use of ReadingPlus and completing learning tasks on Emile will be beneficial to consolidate learning at home.

Attendance

Attendance matters.

Coming to school on time, every day is vital to achieving the best possible outcomes as well as learning good habits which will benefit everyone in the future. Below is this weeks' attendance.

EYFS

Miss Cousins	91%
Miss Scott	94.7%

Year 1

Mrs Allenby	91%
Miss Scuffham	89.3%

Year 2

Mrs Stubbings	89.3%
Mrs McGuinness/Mrs Tipple	94.4%

Year 3

Mrs Clayton/Miss Elliott	91.3%
Mrs Wadley/Mrs Rowe	94%

Year 4

Mrs Smith/Mrs Winspear	94.5%
Mrs Murphy	97.4%

Year 5

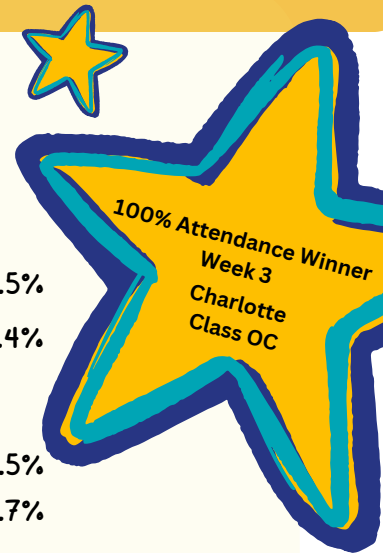
Mr Bolton/Mrs Trousdale	94.5%
Mrs Gortzak/Mrs Winspear	96.7%

Year 6

Mrs Bates/Mrs Trousdale	86.9%
Miss Blakeley	95.2%

Week x attendance winners

Congratulations to Mrs Murphy's Class



Other News



Girls football

The Year 5/6 girls played a football tournament at Pindar on Tuesday after school. The girls improved every match and scored 2 goals in the final matches, winning their final game. We are so proud of their attitudes and how much they enjoyed themselves.



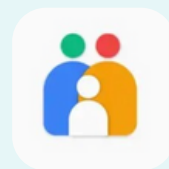
Parking

Please drive and park responsibly around school for the safety of our pupils. Parking on double yellow lines, zig-zags, corners and across driveways can be dangerous. At this time of year, when it can be cold, wet and dark, there is much more traffic around the school site. If possible please use the voluntary one way system and, if necessary, park a little further away from school to help keep our pupils safe.



My Child at School (MCAS)

Please [click here](#) for guidance on how to book and pay for Clubs and Trips via our parent app MCAS.



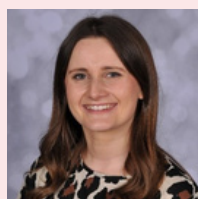
Safeguarding

Ensuring our pupils are safe and well looked after is our key priority.



Sarah Tipple

Assistant
Headteacher
Designated
Safeguarding Lead



Ellie Cousins

EYFS Teacher
Deputy Safeguarding
Lead



Helen Wardman

Inclusion Manager,
Deputy Safeguarding
Lead



Tom Wriglesworth

Headteacher,
Deputy Safeguarding
Lead

All staff have received Safeguarding training to ensure that they can recognise signs and symptoms of abuse and also how to report/act if a disclosure is made.

Concerns about the safety or welfare of a child? **Contact us:** 01723 365686

Out of hours contact number: 0300 1312131

For more information:

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