

NPA NEWS

NANTWICH PRIMARY ACADEMY AND NURSERY



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REGULAR EVENTS

Rec to Year 6 Fitness Fridays

Every Friday
All children come to school in PE kit on a Friday.

Year 3 Swimming

Every Wednesday
Up to October half term

Coach led Football Training

Every Tuesday
3.15 – 4.15pm
Book via link on email sent out

After School Clubs

Every Monday
Year 1 – Year 6
3.15 – 4.15pm

Sports intervention

Every Tuesday
Year 1 – Year 6 on a rota

Year 5 Brass Tuition

Every Wednesday
All Year

UPCOMING EVENTS

Year 2 and 3 Beeston Visit

Monday 20th October

Letter sent.

HARVEST

Thursday 23rd October

Letter to follow.

NHS Flu Vaccine

Monday 3rd November

Letter sent.

Singfest Rehearsal

Wednesday 5th November

Virtual rehearsal accessed from school.

Some Best Bits this week

Our Nursery children have had so much fun rolling tyres and hula hoops down the hill!

There were lots of giggles as they experimented with speed, direction, teamwork and jumping out of the way!



In PE, Reception had so much fun zooming around on scooter boards! The children loved pushing themselves around, building their gross motor skills, strength and balance – all with big smiles and lots of laughter!

In DT, Year 3 have been exploring what life was like in the Stone Age by designing their own Stone Age huts. They began by thinking carefully about the materials that they could use and then produced a design specification. Once their plans were complete they brought their ideas to life by using 3D nets to build the huts base structure.



In History, Year 4 have learnt more about the Romans and how their Empire grew from Rome to most of Europe, parts of Asia and Northern Africa. They also had an amazing day at the Clonter Opera near Congleton.

Year 5 also had a fantastic visit to Clonter Theatre. The children explored behind the scenes and learned how stage productions come together. They designed and built their own miniature theatre sets, met professional opera singers, and took part in an exciting singing workshop. The visit ended with a wonderful live performance, which really brought the magic of theatre to life and inspired everyone





Our whole school attendance target is **96.5%**.

Whole school attendance last week was **97.4%**.
Brilliant!

As a whole school, a total of 43 sessions were lost due to absence, 21.5 days of learning!

Congratulations to **Year 5** for having the highest class attendance at **98.6%**. Well done!

As always, the gates/doors are open from 8.30 – 8.40am and learning starts promptly. Please make every effort to ensure your child is on time.

ATTENDANCE CUP WINNERS YEAR 3!

PLEASE REPORT ALL ABSENCES VIA THE SCHOOL OFFICE (NOT CLASS DOJO)

Birthdays!
A huge Happy Birthday to Abigail who has celebrated a special day over the past week. We hope you received lovely presents, enjoyed delicious birthday cake and had a wonderful time!



Picture News

This academic year, we are using 'Picture News' as a resource to support us in finding the positives in current affairs by turning world events into learning opportunities.

We know that children see stories in the news they are curious or confused about and this can sometimes be tricky to explain. Picture News will help us show your children the world around them in a child-friendly way. Please talk to your child/ren about the Big Question – it's a great opportunity to get involved in your child's learning.

The big question this week is:

What makes a good peacekeeper?

This year marks the 80th anniversary of the United Nations (UN). Leaders and communities around the world are reflecting on how important working together is in solving problems.

NPAs Learning Power Heroes

Learning Power: Reflective

Teddy in Year 5 has been taking a reflective attitude to his learning, thinking and acting in a mature way and making a great effort to stay focussed. Well done, Teddy.



Learning Power: Responsible

Adam, Harry and Jaxson from Year 4, represented the school, with their peers, amazingly well in football, against difficult opposition. They should be very proud, we are!



Learning Power: Reciprocal

A massive well done to Daisy, Harry and Miyah in Year 3, for showing fantastic teamwork during the football tournament this week. They supported one another, communicated clearly and encouraged each other to do their best.



Learning Power: Resourceful

Orianna from Year 6 has had another brilliant week. She always completes her work to an excellent standard and her love of writing means that when she has a spare minute, she can be always be found writing her latest book! Well done, Orianna!

Reception

Sid has been an extremely keen member of our drawing club this week! He has produced beautifully detailed drawings about our story adventures and used his phonics skills to annotate them with wonderful codes.



Learning Power: Risk Taking

In Year 2, Alvand is celebrated for being brave with ideas and sentence types to create a wonderful piece of narrative writing. Well done Alvand!



Learning Power: Resilient

Jacob in Year 1 tries so hard and doesn't give up when he is working and his work is tricky.

Nursery

Darcy is a kind and helpful member of our class.

She is always one of the first to offer help to all her friends and to the adults in the classroom. Keep being your lovely self, Darcy!



NUR	Layla
REC	Toby
Y1	Ronnie-Mae Eliza Liyana
Y2	Milla
Y3	Logan-James
Y4	Adam
Y5	Joaquim
Y6	Salman

Has your child taken a
Dojo Master
bow this week?



How has your child
earned Dojo Points
this week?

NPA's Harvest Celebration

We will be celebrating Harvest on Thursday 23rd October with a traditional assembly of songs, poems and drama. Nantwich Food Bank who are an essential lifeline within our community have asked for our support in replenishing their food stocks.

Please send in any Harvest donations (as below) on Wednesday 22nd and Thursday 23rd October ready to display in our assembly, led this year by Year 6.

If you would prefer to make a cash donation, please contact the School Office.



Nursery and Reception Long life milk and fruit juice
Year One Tinned fish/meats
Year Two Tinned vegetables/fruit
Year Three Washing detergent
Year Four Custard and jam
Year Five Cooking sauces and mashed potato
Year Six Male/Female deodorant and shampoo



Term Dates

School **closes** on Thursday 23rd October at 3.15pm or After School Club at 4.30pm
 School **reopens** on Monday 3rd November at 8.30am or Breakfast Club from 7.30am

School Office and Staff Contact

Please contact your child's classteacher via Class Dojo for class related information or the School Office for absence, uniform, lunch, snack and any other queries.
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