






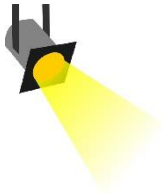


Newsletter – Friday 24th April 2026

Next week's menu is Week 2

<p> Celebrations!</p> <p></p> <p>All Stars Very well done to the following children who received an Allstar nomination this week:</p> <p>Be Proud – Muhammed, Chiziterem, Thomas, Ezmae Reach High – Clara</p> <p>Monster Points A huge Well Done to the following children:</p>  <p>100 Monster Points: Martello, Stanley 125 Monster Points: Dylan, Mila, Hope, Freya, Emily 150 Monster Points: Lyla</p> <p> Rainbow Reading Awards Well done to the following children for all the reading at home</p>  <p>Red: Christopher, Hafsa Orange: Isabelle Yellow: Freddie, Freya Green: Martello, Freddie, Freya, Thaviru Blue: Zara, Freya Indigo: Freya, Zara Violet: Zara, Marcelina GOLD: Marcelina, Avi</p> <p>Attendance  Congratulations to Fox for 97.6% attendance this week!</p> <p>Yoghurt Pots Please save your yoghurt pots and bring them into school for Year 2 to use in their Science lesson next week.</p>	<p>Big thank you!! We wanted to say a massive thank you to Aaron Rudkin one of our parents!! For providing the resources and his time to help resurface part of the the playground. Thank you so much!</p>  <p>Facebook and Instagram Pages Please look out for our new school Facebook and Instagram pages. We hope these will keep you up to date with what the children have been doing whilst they are in school.</p> <p>Facebook: (1) Facebook Instagram: @thorpeacreinf</p> <p>Packed Lunch Reminder: As a Leicestershire Health School Award holder, we have committed to meet the government's food standards. As a reminder, we ask that the following items are not sent into school:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> X Nuts X Chocolate/chocolate spread X Cakes with icing X Fizzy drinks or “energy” drinks, including non-fizzy ones. <p>The following items are acceptable at lunchtime:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ A plain biscuit with or without dried fruit (eg. raisins) or low sugar jam ✓ A plain sponge cake with dried fruit or low sugar jam ✓ A cereal bar (must not contain nuts). <p>Dates for your diary Wednesday 29th April – Class Photos Friday 1st May – Sponsored Walk Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday Thursday 21st May – Squirrels Sports and Storytelling Morning @Belton Primary School Monday 25th May – Half Term</p>
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Spotlight on Learning

Year R

This week we have been changing the story of The Three Little Pigs to make it our own. We decided on changing the pigs to cats and then we changed the wolf to a cow! The children also loved going on a hunt to find the big bad wolf who was hiding in our outdoor area. They had to read the clues we found in the classroom to find out where he was!

In maths we have been continuing to count up to twenty. The children have been learning that teens numbers are made out of one ten and some ones. They are fantastic at remembering this and I am so proud of them!!

Year 1

This week in Year 1, we have using Talk for Writing to learn the story of Farmer Duck. We have made actions to help us remember the story in preparation for our big writes. We have also been working really hard to spot 'special friends' in words before 'fred-talking'. We have sent some extra phonics homework in preparation for our phonics screening check in June.

In maths, we have continued to practise our repeated addition and multiplication, with a focus on doubling at the end of the week. We used lots of different equipment to demonstrate our understanding of equal groups, arrays and doubling numbers up to 10.

As part of our healthy carrot cake unit in D&T, we learnt how to safely cut and grate carrots. Please have a look at our school's Facebook and Instagram pages for the picture.

Year 2

This week we have been learning about volume and capacity in Maths. We have learnt that capacity is the maximum amount a container can hold, and volume is the measurement of what is actually in it. We have been reading scales and estimating the volume of containers then checking them. We have also begun looking at measuring temperature in degrees C.

In Science, we have been exploring what bulbs are and how they are different to seeds. They store everything the plant needs ready for the warmer seasons when they begin growing again. We drew diagrams and labelled parts of the bulbs using the words tunic, scales, roots and flower bud. We also drew life cycles of bulbs.

In Geography, we thought about activities that people do at the seaside. We explored pictures and videos of Wembury beach in Devon and wrote postcards as if we were at the seaside telling our friends what we had been doing. We also read a story about a little girl who lived by the beach who found some sea creatures called 'Sally and the Limpet'