

NORTH CAVE C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY
NEWSLETTER

14th February 2025

Dear Parents,

During this week, we have enjoyed learning about Chinese New Year. The children focused on different facts about the Chinese New Year and were given the opportunity to enjoy Chinese food tasting. My thanks go to Miss Hurst for cooking the spring rolls for the children, who certainly looked like they were enjoying them!

On Tuesday, we celebrated the annual United Nations designated Women and Girls in Science day. The day raises awareness of challenges women and girls around the world face within the STEM disciplines and ways some women and girls have overcome obstacles and make waves in their fields. Each class enjoyed learning about a specific scientist and the whole school came together in an assembly to learn more about this interesting and important topic.

This Tuesday, was Internet Safety Day. Each class has thought carefully about this important subject, with the children learning ways to be safe whilst using the internet. We hope any parents/carers who attended the online parent workshop in January found it helpful as it was specifically dedicated to helping parents understand the risks their children face in their online lives and the practical things parents can do to support their child whilst they are online. Additionally, you may find the following books helpful if you would like to explore further reading on this topic with your child.



Today, the FONCS (Friends of North Cave School) held their end of half-term tuck shop. Our children certainly benefit from the proceeds of these events. Thank you to the FONCS for their ongoing support.

On Thursday 6th March, we will be celebrating World Book Day. We believe reading is magical so we would like the children to come dressed as a magical book character or they are invited to come in non-uniform. The children are also invited to bring their favourite book to school to share with their friends.

We are excited to inform you that we will be introducing a Play Library for our EYFS children after half term. The Play Library is built around the play principles of invent, imagine, investigate and share. The children in EYFS will be invited to borrow a "Boromi" play bag containing play-based resources to play with at home. We will be sharing more information with our EYFS families after half-term.

As a school, we would like to say a very big thank you to Mrs Whitelam who has worked in a range of roles in our school over the past ten years. Sadly, Mrs Whitelam is leaving our school and she will be missed by children and colleagues alike. We would like to wish Mrs Whitelam all the very best for the future.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a happy and safe half term break with family and friends.

Sally Cawood, Assistant Headteacher

SCHOOL NEWS

Class One



*This week, we have enjoyed celebrating **International Women in Science Day** and learning about **Mary Anning***

Class Two



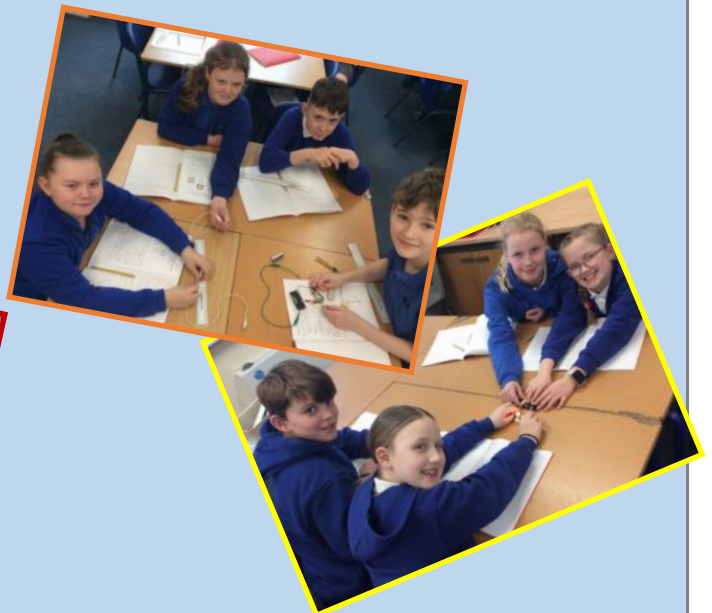
*This week, we finished our spider by applying paint using **dabbing and brushstrokes**.*

Class Three



*This week, we enjoyed developing our **dodgeball skills** and **painting in art**.*

Class Four



*This week, we have enjoyed writing a **fantasy story** about another world in **English**.*



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OUR WEEKLY REFLECTION

Living out our school values of:
Determination, Trust, Friendship & Respect

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP THEMES

Fearful – the Garden of Gethsemane

IMPORTANT DATES

Feb 24th—Mar 7th (inc)	Class 3 swimming—every day for 2 weeks
Feb 27th	Bag 2 Schools collection
Feb 27th 15:45	FONCS meeting in school
Mar 3rd	Film Night
Mar 7th	Class 1 Worship
Mar 13th	Class photographs
Mar 28th	Class 2 Worship
Apr 3rd 09:15	Easter Bonnet Parade
Apr 4th	Staff training day
Apr 7th—21st (inc)	Easter holidays
May 7th—9th	Class 3 residential to Raywell
June 4th—6th	Class 4 residential to PGL, Newby Wiske
Jun 13th	Class 2 residential to Paxwold
July 8th—9th	Bag 2 Schools collection
July 9th—10th	Class 1 residential to Paxwold

SCHOOL MENU

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Option	Sausage pasta	Meatballs in rustic sauce tortilla wrap	Roast chicken and roast potatoes	Pasta bolognese	Fish fingers
Vegan Option	Cheese & tomato pasta	Meatless meatballs in wrap	Vegan nuggets	Meat-free pasta bolognese	Fishless fish finger
Served With	Crusty roll, peas	Cucumber & carrot sticks	Carrots & broccoli	Bread roll, fresh carrots or broccoli	Chips, peas or baked beans
Jacket Potato Option	Jacket potato with tuna, cheese or beans	Jacket potato with tuna, cheese or beans	Jacket potato with tuna, cheese or beans	Jacket potato with tuna, cheese or beans	Jacket potato with tuna, cheese or beans
Sandwich Option	Ham, cheese or tuna	Ham, cheese or tuna	Ham, cheese or tuna	Ham, cheese or tuna	Ham, cheese or tuna

Well done to following people:

Sasha for her ballet award.
Alice for her swimming certificate.
Oscar for his football trophy.

Hattie for her dance trophy.
Edwin for his football trophy.
Edith for her dance medal



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Our School Vision

A Christian school at the heart of the community that we serve.

Achieving our goals as we are guided by God's light.

Believing in ourselves, in each other and in God.

Caring and nurturing all of God's children in our school family.

Sharing our aspirations through our exciting, enriched and inclusive curriculum.

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing."

1 Thessalonians 5 Verse 11