

FOSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL BULLETIN

Nursery and Reception

This week in Nursery and Reception we had a special visitor as part of our learning around 'People Who Help Us'. The children got to ask lots of important questions and were reminded how they could keep themselves safe. We also had our first P.E. lesson with a coach from Malton School, building on our throwing and catching skills applying this to having a chance to explore basketball.



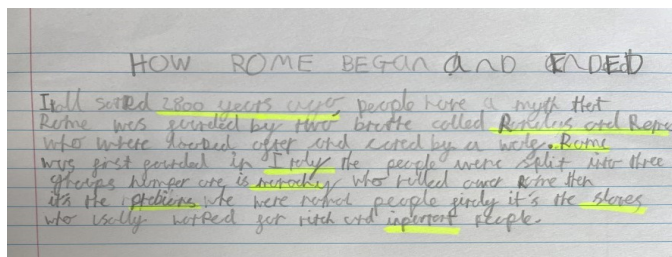
Year 1 & 2

This week in Class 2 we have really enjoyed exploring statistics. We have spent a few days looking at tally charts at the beginning of this week and we enjoyed rounding off our learning with an activity in the sun on the field. We had one person timing us, one person completing exercises and one person tallying up how many we were doing. I was so impressed with every single person for their hard work.



Year 3 & 4

We are learning about Roman Britain in history, last week the children began to create a fact sheet showing how The Roman Empire began. They showed the progression from monarchy to democracy to empire. They used the vocabulary powerful, republic and identified what an Empire is. Well done Class 3.



Year 5 & 6

This week in class 4 we have been researching and preparing a newspaper report about the events that took place in our animated video in English. In Maths we have been exploring statistics.

We also had a visit from PC Rob Harris from Malton police station who spoke to our class about online safety, specifically the use of social media and online gaming.



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No Cake Sale/Tuck Shop

There will be no cake sale on Friday 28th April (today) at the end of the school day.

Coronation

To celebrate the King's Coronation on 6th May 2023 we will be holding our own celebration on **Friday 5th May** on the school playground at **2pm**. We would like to invite you to attend our Coronation celebration afternoon tea. We would be delighted if you could help us with providing a buffet style plate of food in order to make this an enjoyable event for staff, pupils, parents and the community to get together. Please see the list of food below that would be great if each class could provide. Food should be brought into school on the morning of Friday 6th May at drop off time ready to be served later in the morning. Thank you so much for your support with this and we look forward to welcoming you. If you have any questions please email the coffee morning.

EYFS—Class 1—cakes and buns (gluten and egg free options too)

Y1/2—Class 2—sausage rolls, cheese and onion rolls, quiche and cooked pizza

Y3/4—Class 3—ham/cheese/coronation chicken sandwiches

Y5/6—Class 4—vegetable sticks, breadsticks, dips and crisps

Sporting Event— Year 3 & 4

On Wednesday 3rd May, the children in years 3 and 4 will be taking part in a rounders event at Malton Sports Centre. The year 3 and 4 children should come into school in their PE kits and trainers on this day. They will have lunch at school as normal. A member of staff will accompany the children on a bus, which will take them to Malton in the afternoon. The children should arrive back in time for the end of the school day.

ParentPay & Wrap Around Care

Please check your ParentPay account and clear any outstanding balance where possible, if you have not yet returned your 'Wrap Around Care & Extra-Curricular Policy' please do as soon as possible even if your child does not attend club. If you require a new one printing please let the school office know.

Menu Change

Due to next weeks bank holiday Monday on Tuesday 2nd May it will be pizza and not beef enchiladas, the rest of the week will be as it is on the menu.

ALL WELCOME—PAFFS MEETING—END OF YEAR PICNIC

Plans for this years end of year picnic are underway for early evening 19th July on the school field.

Following lots of positive feedback, the plan is for the format to be much as it was last year; with no up front ticket price & a bring your own picnic, allowing families to budget, only paying for the activities or stalls they wish. The price for activities etc. will be shared prior to the event.

We need extra volunteers for this event to actually happen & be enjoyed by all. The more volunteers we have the more everyone can have time enjoying the event with the school community, as many hands make light work. So if you are able to help out in any way please come along to the PAFFS meeting on **Friday 19th May at 3.15pm** at school, with this event top of the agenda, it'd be great to see some new faces, all are welcome.

If you can't make this meeting but are happy to be involved at the event please let a member of the PAFFS team know, whether it be manning a stall, painting faces or providing a prize for the summer raffle which will be drawn on the evening—all support is gratefully received.

We look forward to working together to make this another fun evening for our children, families & school staff to enjoy.

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Diary Dates

Holiday Dates (first day back)	Tuesday 2nd May
Quick Rounders Y3/4 Malton	Wednesday 3rd May
Kings Coronation Celebration	Friday 5th May, 2pm
Holiday Dates, King's Coronation Bank Holiday (last day of school)	Friday 5th May
Holiday Dates (first day back)	Tuesday 9th May
This Is Me—non uniform day	Friday 19th May
PAFFS meeting	Friday 19th May, 3.15pm
Bikeability Course (year 6 only)	Thursday 25th May & Friday 26th May
Holiday Dates (last day at school)	Friday 26th May
Holiday Dates (first day back)	Monday 5th June
KS2 Swimming (every Thursday)	Thursday 8th June
Sports Day	Tuesday 4th July (reserve day 6th July), time tbc
KS2 Performance (Thornton-le-Clay village hall)	Thursday 13th July, 5.30pm
Y6 Leavers' Service (Thornton-le-Clay village hall)	Wednesday 19th July, 2.30pm
Holiday Dates (last day at school)	Friday 21st July