Tang Hall Primary School

Friday 21st March 2025

Weekly Newsletter

Headteacher's Update

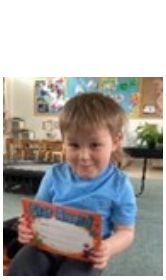
This week we had a really exciting announcement in today's Celebration Assembly. 8 of our children were chosen by their teachers to take part in a special STAR AWARD. Evelyn, Enola, Thea, Laura, Ahmad, Tosia, Cole and Lyla were all selected as children who ALWAYS show our STAR VALUES in and around school. This afternoon we went to our local park where we had some sweets and a lot of fun. It was an absolute pleasure to spend time with such respectful young people.

Each week, teachers will think carefully about those children who always show our values and they will take part in a special treat with one of our senior staff.

Please look out for a separate letter about our RE Day next Thursday 27th March. Huge thanks to Mrs Harrington for organising what looks like a very exciting day.

Wishing you a lovely weekend!

L Atkinson



Class	STAR
Puffins	Ezra G – For being super helpful.
Goldcrests	Harmony G - For super independent learning in the classroom
Wrens	Laytonn A – For his great attitude in class, being very kind and helpful to his friends and the adults in class.
Robins	Joey S – For always demonstrating beautiful manners and a respectful attitude to all others in school.
Woodpeckers	Daisy S - For being an absolute superstar in everything she does.
Swallows	Riley C – For her effort and resilience in maths this week.
Owls	Ayshe B – For showing fantastic respect to all adults and children in school at all times!
Nightingales	Molly-May H – For always impressing me so much with the levels of respect that she demonstrates throughout the school day.
Kingfishers	Chelsey G - For showing strength in her Maths understanding and aspiring to achieve in her maths lessons

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Attendance

Our School Target 97%

Class	Number of days missed	Percentage %
Wrens	10.5	90.79
Robins	12	91.27
Woodpeckers	9	93.57
Swallows	13	90.65
Owls	11.5	92.20
Nightingales	22	84.83
Kingfishers	7.5	94.68

Safeguarding Update

We are seeing an ever increasing number of incidents occurring outside of school online, with negative online behaviour causing anxiety in children and friendship issues.

One of the main sources of these issues is **WhatsApp** on which groups can be made by the children and pictures, comments and videos shared.

As previously pointed out in our Safeguarding updates, WhatsApp's minimum age for users in the UK is 13 (this was previously 16 until very recently) which means children of primary school age SHOULD NOT be using it. Please can we ask you consider carefully whether you allow your child to have access to it.

Safeguarding Update

Start of the school day

This is a further reminder that as the school doors do not open until 8.30am, no-**one should arrive on the school site until 8.25am at the earliest.** Furthermore, the responsibility for the behaviour and safety of the children up until the time the doors open at 8.30am remains with parents and carers.

For any unaccompanied KS2 children engaging in unsafe behaviour, parents may be asked to accompany their child to school and wait with them until the school doors open to ensure our school continues to be a safe, welcoming place for all.

Large playground equipment

Can we once again remind all children and families that the large playground equipment must not to be used before the school day starts or at the end of the school day and this rule applies to:

- EY outside area—the climbing frame and other toys
- KS1 playground—the climbing frame and the MUGA.
- KS2 playground—the climbing frame and the MUGA.

Bikes and scooters— A final reminder is that **bikes and scooters must not be ridden on the playground.**

Many thanks for your continued support.

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Summer Term Nursery Funding

Nursery parents will have received an email with a link to a declaration form that needs completing to ensure that we can continue to claim funding for your child's nursery place.

Please remember to renew /apply for your code as soon as possible.

If you currently don't receive funding and would like to check your entitlement please see below.

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Whats On

Tang Hall Easter Egg Raffle

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We need you to donate eggs!

We desperately need donations of Easter Eggs to give away as prizes. All donations will be gratefully received but ideally we would like prize size eggs so they feel like a real treat (so larger than single Creme eggs). Could you just buy an extra one for school when you do your shopping?

OR do you know a local business that would be willing to donate an egg or two? If so please ask school for an official letter to give them.

All donations need to be in school by Wednesday 1st April please, just hand them into the school office.

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2 - We need you to buy tickets!

Tickets will be sold in each classroom and at breakfast and after school club from Monday 24th March.

Each class will have an individual raffle so there will be prizes awarded across school. Children can buy as many tickets as they want, tickets will cost 20p each.

All money raised will go towards trips and workshops across school.

The actual raffle will be held on Thursday 2nd April during the school day.

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OUR SCHOOLS ARE RECRUITING

Support Staff Vacancies

For details and to apply, visit our website or scan the QR code

Cleaning Assistant

Archbishop Holgate's School

Currently £12.20 per hour. Term Time or Full Year, Monday-Friday. Working hours negotiable, between: 6.45-8.45am and 3.00-8.00pm. Salary paid monthly over 12 equal payments. Required as soon as possible.

Click here for more information and to apply.

Exam Invigilator

Malton School

£12.45 per hour. Casual Contract.

Click here for more information and to apply.

EXTERNAL VACANCY

Supply Teaching Assistant

Applefields School

Salary: NJC Grade 4 Level 1-4. Includes 5.65 weeks annual leave during school holidays. Job type: Full Time, Part Time, Supply. Start Date: ASAP.

Click here for more information and to apply.

Closing date: Sunday 6 April at midnight

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Upcoming Events and Important Dates

For Term Dates please also see our school website

Date	Time	Event	Year Group
Thursday 27th March	All day	RE Day	Whole School
Friday 28th March	All day	Dojo Reward Day	Whole school
Tuesday 1st April	9.00am—12.00pm	Class Photographs	Whole school
Friday 4th April	End of day	School breaks up for Easter	Whole school
EASTER BREAK (Monday 7th April—Friday 18th April)			
Tuesday 22nd April	Start of day	School returns after Easter break	Whole school
Wednesday 30th April	9.00am-12.00pm	Pathfinder MAT Maths Competition	Y4 Team
Monday 5th May	All day	Bank Holiday—School Closed	Whole school
Monday 12th May	9.00am	Start of KS2 SATs week	Year 6
Friday 23rd May	End of day	School breaks up for half term	Whole school
HALF TERM BREAK (Monday 26th May—Friday 30th May)			
Monday 2nd June	Start of day	School returns after half-term break	Whole school
Wednesday 25th June	1.00-3.00pm	KS1 Sports Day	Year 1-2
Friday 27th June	All day	KS2 Sports Day	Year 3-6
Wed 2nd—Fri 4th July	All day	Year 5 Residential Visit	Year 5
Friday 11th July	All day	Dojo Reward Day	Whole school
Friday 18th July	End of day	School breaks up for Summer	Whole school