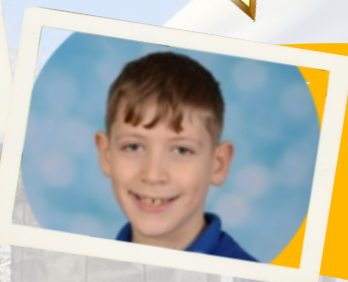


St Hedda's Catholic Primary School



NEWSLETTER

10.10.25

Stars of the week

Class 1 - Rosie

Class 2 - Harrison

In Class 1 - A magical week in class 1 this week, we have been making potions that have transformed us into dinosaurs, fairies and more! We have been excellent explorers looking for clues that have been left by magical creatures in our playground! As well as lots of dancing with dancing ribbons! We have learnt a new poem this week 'Pointy Hat'- look out for a video of our amazing performance very soon! Year 1 has amazed us all with addition and subtraction in maths this week. Adding 3 numbers together! Well done!

In Class 2 - This week in Class 2, we have worked really hard and made fantastic progress!

In Maths, we have been developing our skills in adding and subtracting with exchanges — everyone has shown great determination and focus. During Horse Riding, we progressed to the rising trot, and some of us even managed to trot over a pole! We also learned about the different parts of a horse, including the names of the main bones — a great mix of fun and learning. In Writing, we are learning how to create adverts about internet safety and exploring how to write a balanced argument. The children have been very thoughtful and creative in their ideas. In R.E., we are moving on to learning about Baptism and Choices, discussing what these mean and why they are important. Well done, Class 2, for another brilliant week of learning and enthusiasm!

THE WEEK AHEAD:

Monday 13th October

p.m. Horse Riding

Tuesday 14th October

Class 1 trip to Preston Park/Butterfly World

Wednesday 15th October

p.m. Forest School

Thursday 16th October

1p.m. Reception starter stay and play

Friday 17th October

p.m. Tag Rugby, Whitby

Class 1 Butterfly World and Preston Park Trip

Please be reminded that this rescheduled educational visit will now take place on 14th October.

Parent's Evening Date Change

Due to circumstances beyond our control the date of parents evening needs to be altered. Please note that the new date is Tuesday 4th November. Appointments will be available to book via Arbor in the near future.

SATS Club

An information session for parents explaining the Y6 SATS tests will take place on Wednesday 22nd October at 3.30pm in school. **Please confirm your attendance by emailing enquiries@stheddas.npcat.org.uk**
All year 6 children are invited to attend an after school SATS club each week 3:15 - 4:15 beginning Thursday 6th November.

Autumn Disco

A fun fancy dress disco for all pupils and their friends and family on Wednesday 22nd October 5-6:30pm. Tickets cost £5 per child and can be paid on the door. This will include hot dogs, crisps, cake and a drink. Please bring change to purchase glow sticks and sweets.

PTA Meeting

Thank you to parents who attended the PTA meeting this week. If you are interested in taking on a leadership role within the PTA we would love to hear from you. The next meeting will be held on 26th November time TBC.

Music

We are delighted to have Mrs Helena Swain from Fyling Hall School facilitating our music curriculum next half term. She will deliver weekly sessions to all pupils every Thursday afternoon.

Swimming

Weekly swimming lessons will begin on Friday 7th November for all children in Class 2.

Reception Place Applications

Applications for Reception places opens on the 12th October for children born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022.

For more information or to apply online please visit the local authority website <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/education-and-learning/school-admissions/starting-primary-school-and-junior-school>

Wraparound Care






Breakfast and After School Club costs:

Breakfast Club - 8.00 - 9.00 a.m. - £2.50 per session

After School Club - 3.15 - 5.00 p.m. (4.30pm Fridays) - £5.50 per session

Please remember to book clubs in advance by the Thursday for the following week and indicate approx. time of collection if you have booked for After School club. Thank you

ONE FOR OCTOBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Did you know? The Chief Medical Officer (CMO) recommends that children and young people aged 5-16 should get at least 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous physical activity every day.		1st October	2nd October	3rd October	4th October	5th October
		Speed Bounce One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Mountain Climbers One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Shoulder Rolls One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Can you be active for one hour (60 minutes) with your friends or family? 	
6th October	7th October	8th October	9th October	10th October	11th October	12th October
Apple Picking One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Burpees One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	High Knees One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Leg Kicks One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Shoulder Raises One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Can you be active for one hour (60 minutes) with your friends or family? 	
13th October	14th October	15th October	16th October	17th October	18th October	19th October
Bicep Curls One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Side Lunges One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Calf Raises One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Tuck Jumps One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Squats One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Can you be active for one hour (60 minutes) with your friends or family? 	
20th October	21st October	22nd October	23rd October	24th October	25th October	26th October
Arm Circles One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Crunches One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Body Twists One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Push Ups One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Elbows to Knees One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Can you be active for one hour (60 minutes) with your friends or family? 	
27th October	28th October	29th October	30th October	31st October		
Toe Taps One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Side Reach One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Star Jumps One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+	Squat Jumps One minute challenge Bronze: 10 Silver: 20 Gold: 30+	Punches One minute challenge Bronze: 20 Silver: 30 Gold: 40+		

FORTHCOMING DATES/EVENTS

Mondays - Horse riding

Tuesdays - Hedda's Heroes Playgroup 10.45 - 11.45am

Wednesdays - Forest School

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Tues 21st - School starter stay and play

Wed 22nd - 2.30pm Residential Meeting for Parents

Wed 22nd - 3.30pm Residential (Paris) and SATs meeting for Parents

Wed 22nd - 5 p.m. Family and Friends Autumn Disco

Fri 24th - Class 2 Cross Country, Whitby

Half Term - Mon 27th - Fri 31st October

NOVEMBER 2025

Tues 4th - Parents Consultation Meetings

Thur 6th - After school SATs club begins for Y6 pupils

Fri 7th - weekly swimming sessions begin

Mon 10th - Anti Bullying Week

Tues 11th - Remembrance Day

Tues 11th - Class 2 Basketball, Whitby

Fri 14th - Children in Need

Tues 18th - Y5/6 Sportshall Athletics, Whitby

Wed 19th - Cinema visit and Outdoor Learning at Saltburn

Wed 19th - Open Evening

Wed 26th - PTA Meeting

Wed 26th - Advent Wreath making

Thur 27th - School Photo's