



Thursfield News



Friday 6th September Edition

Welcome back!

Headteachers Message

I am delighted to say we have had a fantastic first week back at Thursfield. It has been wonderful to see the school buzzing with energy, enthusiasm and excitement for learning. The children have quickly settled back into their routines and it has been great to see so many smiling faces around the school.

I would like to extend a special welcome to all the new children, families and staff joining us this year. We are thrilled to have you as part of our school community and I have been impressed by the positive attitudes and eagerness to learn displayed by our new pupils. I am proud of how smoothly everyone has transitioned back into school life.

Thank you to all our parents and guardians for your continued support and for sending your children back looking so smart in their uniform. I Look forward to all the wonderful things we will accomplish together this year.

Here's to a year filled with learning, growth and success and one where we continue to support your child in their quest to obtain their Thursfield Ticket To Anywhere!

Mrs Bradbury

HEALTHY LUNCH BOXES & HEALTHY SNACKS



As a school we promote healthy snacks and lunches.

Please ensure that your child is bringing a healthy snack to school please.

You can visit the NHS Healthier Families website for tips and ideas for your child's lunch box and snacks:

HEALTHIER SNACKS - FOOD FACTS - HEALTHIER FAMILIES - NHS (WWW.NHS.UK)
LUNCHBOX IDEAS AND RECIPES – HEALTHIER FAMILIES - NHS (WWW.NHS.UK)



CLUBS



Clubs will start back week commencing 16th September- booking to made via Arbor when advertised next week.

SNACK AND LUNCH

All snacks and lunches are ordered via Arbor.



KEY DATES

Tues. 10th Sep- Year 6 Parents -PGL Meeting @3:30pm

Thurs. 12th Sep- Reception Parents - Curriculum Meeting @3:30pm

Half Term :- Monday 28 October - Friday 1 November

Inset Day:- Monday 4th November

Christmas Break:- Monday 23 December - Friday 3 January



PARKING UPDATE

A gentle reminder to please be respectful to our local neighbours when parking around the school area. Please do not block driveways.



THURSFIELD HARRISEAHEAD COMMUNITY CENTRE

The community Centre committee are working hard to secure opportunities for the local community offering events and classes which may run during the school day. When they have bookings, the Centre need to reserve parking for visitors, so over the summer they have installed an additional carpark chain. School will be informed of the dates/times of these events and we will communicate these to the school community via email. On the morning of these events, the community centre carpark will be chained off and parents will need to make alternate parking arrangements for the school morning drop-off. The community centre committee thank you in advance for your support in this matter.

OUR CLASS NAMES

- Reception** - The Little Explorers
- Miss Mott** - Miss Mott's Minions
- Miss Brookes** - Miss Brooke's Bears
- Miss Ronson** - Miss Ronson's Rockstars
- Mr Reddish** - Shooting Stars
- Mrs Tapp/Mr Austin**- The Three Rex's
- Miss Williams** - The Big 24s
- Mrs Page** - Fantastic Fives
- Miss Owen** - Star Seekers
- Mrs Bennett** - Dreamer Chasers

P.E. TIMETABLE

Please come to school in your PE kits on your allocated PE day.

Reception - Wednesday

Year 1/2 - Tuesday

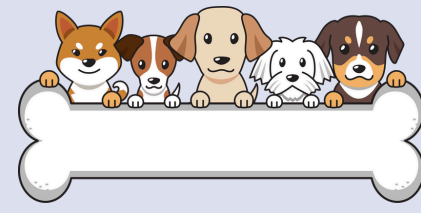
Year 3/4 - Thursday

Year 5/6 - Friday



DOGS ON SITE

Just a reminder:- NO dogs should be brought onto the school site, even if they are carried. This is a health & safety precaution



SCHOOL WEBSITE

Please visit our website for information regarding school policies including mobile phones and attendance. You will also find information regarding our curriculum.

FACEBOOK PAGE

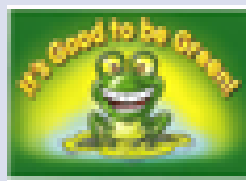
Thursfield has a Facebook page. The purpose of the page is to provide parents with a window in to the school day. To join search Thursfield Primary School.



GOLDEN BOOK WINNERS



GOOD TO BE GREEN WINNER



HOUSE POINTS

BRIDGEWATER -

DOULTON -

MOORCROFT -

WEDGWOOD -

INFORMATION REGARDING OUR NEW READING REWARDS Starts Next Week!



THURSFIELD'S READING REWARDS



Children's planners will be checked every Friday.

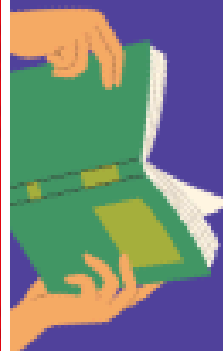
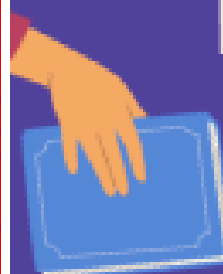
If your child has read 3x that week, they will receive a star stamp on their reading record in the back of their planner and a raffle ticket for our termly draw.

Children work towards bronze, silver and gold reading certificates (10 stamps per level) which will be awarded during golden book.

At the end of each half term a raffle ticket from each key stage will be drawn. The winner will receive a book. This ticket will be placed back in to be eligible for the termly prize.

At the end of each term, one raffle ticket will be drawn and the winner will receive a kindle.

If children fill their charts they can pick a book from our selection.



BE SMART ONLINE



Childnet International

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SAFE

Keep your personal information safe. When chatting or posting online don't give away things like your full name, password or home address. Remember personal information can be seen in images and videos you share too. Keep them safe to keep yourself safe.



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MEET

Meeting up with someone you only know online, even a friend of a friend, can be dangerous as this person is still a stranger. If someone you only know online ever asks you to meet up, for personal information or for photos/videos of you then tell an adult straight away and report them together on www.thinkuknow.co.uk



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ACCEPTING

Think carefully before you click on or open something online (e.g. links, adverts, friend requests, photos) as you never know where they may lead to or they may contain viruses. Do not accept something if you are unsure of who the person is or what they've sent you.



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RELIABLE

You cannot trust everything you see online as some things can be out of date, inaccurate or not entirely true. To find reliable information compare at least three different websites, check in books and talk to someone about what you have found.



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TELL

Tell a trusted adult if something or someone ever makes you feel upset, worried or confused. This could be if you or someone you know is being bullied online. There are lots of people who will be able to help you like your teachers, parents, carers or contact Childline - 0800 11 11 or www.childline.org.uk



BE SMART WITH A HEART

Remember to always be smart with a heart by being kind and respectful to others online. Make the internet a better place by helping your friends if they are worried or upset by anything that happens online.

