

Coteford Junior School

Newsletter 20

14th February 2025

Ready, Responsible, Respectful

Pupils in the Merit book this week:

The following children have been chosen for the class Merit:

3EB: Dunya for being a kind friend

3TH: Joey for trying really hard in assessments

4HS: Star for a great start at CJS

4LF: Leen for always being a lovely and hardworking member of 4LF

4IW: Kush for great **contributions** in class discussions

5DJ: Maulik for working hard in assessment week and designing a logo for the café

5EP: Ethan for his amazing attitude towards learning

5UQ: Advika for a motivated approach to assessment week

6CK: Millie-Mae for a focused week and great work

6KB: Tillie for trying her best in Maths

6SP: Aron for his hard work on fractions

6LK: Romeo-beau for fab DT work

Mrs Eckley: Emmanuel for trying hard at reading club

Miss Skinner: Marcus 5UQ for honesty and responsibility

Miss Martin: Noah.H for being a great member of games club

Internet Safety talks:

Dear Families,

Thank you very much to all those who attended our Internet Safety talks. It was lovely to see you. Please find attached copies of our presentation and the Internet Safety Assembly shared with the children. We hope you find them useful.

Mrs Eckley and Miss Coburn

Horse Riding:

Congratulations to four of our horse riding students who passed their Grade 1 Proficiency Horse Care Exam this week.

They are tested on their dressage ability and how to understand a horse's needs, and they also need to learn about how to care/look after them. This is in addition to knowing the various parts of tack and the anatomy of a horse.

Well done to Aryana, Frankie, Shai and Max, you should all be very proud of yourselves.

Mrs Hutchinson

Thursday Visitor / Parent involvement in school:

As part of developing our children's aspirations and understanding of the world, we would like to begin a programme of Thursday visitors to assemblies. This would involve adults of different careers and professions volunteering to talk about their job and their journey, in school assembly, and then the children asking a few questions.

This will help the children think about what they want to do later on in life, and open up their minds to the different opportunities and paths that are available to them.

If you, or anyone you know would like to consider being involved in this, please complete the Google Form on the link below.

<https://forms.gle/r3aqiHbkQ9qriKPj7>

We hope all our families have a lovely half term, and look forward to seeing all the children back to school on Monday 24th February 2025