

FRIDAY



LETTER

Friday 17th May 2024



VALUE FOCUS

This half-term our value focus is **TEAMWORK**. We are challenging all the children to:

- ✓ To work together so we will achieve much more!
- ✓ To take up opportunities to shape and develop our school.
- ✓ To work as a team so that we all learn and improve together.

'Star of the Week' Awards'

Reception – Maxwell P & Harry R



Year 1 – Talia B & Lacey L

Year 2 – Sophia M & Logan P

Year 3 – Daisy N & Lucy RS



Year 4 – Dawson C & Harry R

Year 5 – Richard J & Stefan S

Year 6 – The whole class!



This Week's Best Attendance

Year 6 - 100%



Red Team	823
Yellow Team	892
Blue Team	734
Green Team	934

House Team Competition: Each week in the 'Friday Celebration Assembly' we have been checking the totals of the house points....

The **Green Team** have moved into a narrow lead! Last few days to get your homework into school and earn as many team points for your house as you can!

Reading Rewards.... To reward the children we have introduced a bronze, silver and gold reward system! To achieve the bronze award pin badge the children need to earn 60 reading points, silver 200 reading points and gold 300 reading points. Well done to the children below for achieving an award this week...

Bronze Award:

Year 1	Marek R
Year 5	Parker H

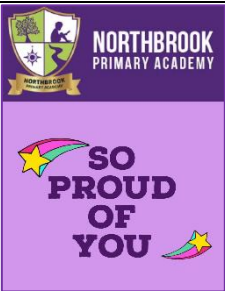
Silver Award:

Year 4	Jessica O
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Darcey B (Reception)
Arla-Rae F (Year 1)
Joey H (Year 3)
Cara T (Year 5)
Aahil M (Year 5)
Elliott S (Year 6)
Harvey B (Year 6)

Weekly Attendance & Punctuality Winners: Well done to the children listed who were selected by the random name selector due to the fact they have been in school everyday and on time this week! You have to be in (and on time) to win!



Mission SATs is complete! Well done Year 6 we are so very proud of your efforts and the way you have worked with staff to make 'SAT Week' as stress free as possible. 100% attendance, 100% punctuality, 100% effort and 100% teamwork. Awesome job team NPA!



We are delighted to offer all our Year 6 children the opportunity to purchase a 'Class of 2024 Leavers' Hoody'. We are working with Impressions to offer the style of hoody shown opposite. The hoodies will have a large '24' print on the back, containing the names of all the children in the class. On the front, they will have a 'Northbrook Primary Academy 2024 Leavers' logo and your child's initials. Thanks to the Friends of Northbrook and their generous support we can offer the leaver's hoody for the very reasonable price of £15. Orders are to be completed through ParentPay.



Diary Dates

Wellfield Academy Year 6 Transition: On Thursday 27th June, all new students will be invited to spend a day in school to meet with their new House Progress Leader, and to get to know other members of their House. At 6pm parents and their children are invited to an Intake Parents Evening, which will be an opportunity for you to meet key staff. New students will also be invited to a Curriculum Day which will be held on Wednesday 3rd July when the students will meet with staff and will experience sample lessons throughout the day.



Worden Academy Year 6 Transition: On Wednesday 3rd July, Worden will host a 'Taster Day' when the students will meet with staff and will experience sample lessons throughout the day.





All of our children enjoyed an extended break this morning to recognise how the whole school supported Year 6 through their SAT week. All the staff were super impressed with how all the children from Reception to Year 5 moved around school quietly and sensibly during the assessments. The whole school congratulated Year 6 this morning in our rewards assembly and recognised how hard they worked over the week! #TeamNPA



MAY HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

27 May - 31 May, 2024

HAF
Plus

Fun activities and healthy food for children on Free School Meals during the May Half Term, funded by South Ribble Borough Council.

- **FREE** Activities for all children on free school meals
- **FREE** Food with every session
- Activities include swimming, football and fun sports camps

Activities for 5-11 year olds and families. If your child does not qualify for Free School Meals but would like to join in, please see the website for details.



[southribble.gov.uk/haf](https://www.southribble.gov.uk/haf)

HAF Plus activities for May Half Term

FREE, fun activities and healthy meals for children on Free School Meals (or who meet the other criteria listed on our website).

Join in with family swimming, dance camp and active camp

- <https://www.southribble.gov.uk/haf>

South Ribble Borough Council has invested additional money to extend the HAF programme during half term holidays to support even more local people. Called 'HAF Plus', the Council has allowed for sessions to take place during May Half Term, to ensure all children are able to keep active and healthy in the school holidays.

The Holiday Activity and Food Programme (HAF) is a national, Government funded scheme which only runs during the summer, Christmas and Easter holidays, however we knew that families also needed support during half terms, so we created HAF Plus.

Key Dates for the next half-term:

- Monday 20th May – Friday 24th May - Targeted Learning Plan Meetings with Parents (invitation)
- Friday 24th May: School closes for half-term @ 3:10/3:15pm



If you need to contact school please do not hesitate to email enquiries@northbrookpa.org

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Have a great weekend everyone... See you on Monday!