

FRIDAY LETTER



Friday 30th April 2021

As Mrs Adams said in last week's letter I have loved my time with the pupils and staff at Northbrook and I have been so impressed with the community ethos, the welcoming and polite young people we are proud to have in school and the supportive families I have met. I feel very privileged to be working with the staff as we focus collectively on being the very best we can be. Please don't hesitate to contact me at school or feel free to come over and have a chat when I am on the playground every morning and evening. My email is m.cunniffe@northbrook-pri.lancs.sch.uk. We hope you like our new look Friday letter too!

★ Weekly Achievement Awards ★

Reception Charlotte C **Year 1** Freya J & Theo K
Year 2 Ben R **Year 3** Lucas T
Year 4 Oliver D **Year 5** Ava C
Year 6 Adam B

★ HEAD OF SCHOOL'S AWARD ★

The Head of School's Award will be given each week to children who have shown true NPA values. The focus this week has been **togetherness and respect.**

Reception Lottie M
Year 1 Jessica O
Year 2 Poppy H
Year 3 Roman C
Year 4 Lily B
Year 5 Lucy N
Year 6 William M

BEST ATTENDANCE

Year 3 - 99.5 %

Well Done!



A window into the Northbrook world...

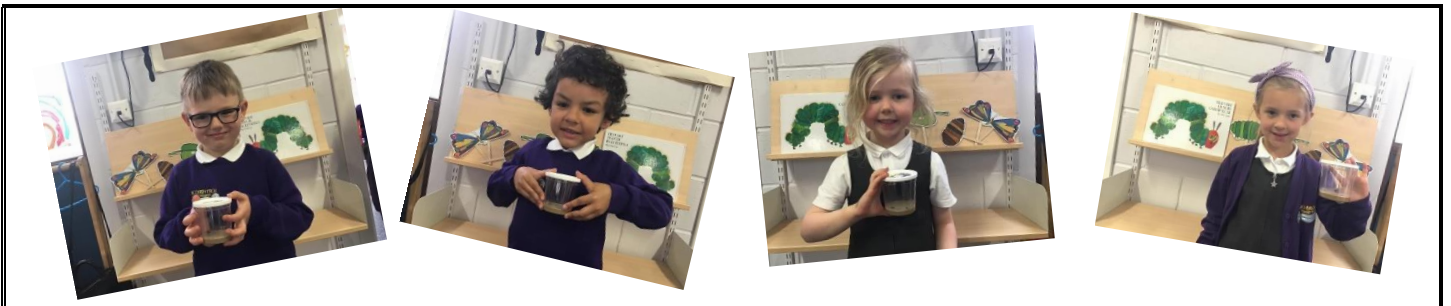
We work hard to celebrate the pupil's achievements and showcase the superb learning that takes place in school on a daily basis. Our Facebook and Twitter pages are excellent ways to keep in touch in with everything that makes us NPA! Here is a flavour of some this week's social media posts just in case you missed them. To see more go to [Northbrook Primary Academy - Home | Facebook](#)



As part of their work on the Arctic, Year 6 created Inuit sculptures They began by studying existing sculptures, taking inspiration to design their own based on an arctic animal or sculpture. Using clay, they then created sculptures and painted them! They look fantastic Year 6!*



Reception have been watching caterpillars grow! 🐛 They started by reading the classic 'The Hungry Caterpillar' and have done lots of work on their own stories. Miss Cookson then had some caterpillars delivered to school so that the children can learn about their lifecycle. We can't wait to see them turn into butterflies!



The KS1 corridor has had a makeover with this beautiful new display by Year 1! Inspired by Vincent van Gogh and Claude Monet, Year 1 used different pastel techniques to create wonderful pieces of artwork.



Important messages



A polite reminder to parents and pupils that it is important to maintain the year group 'bubbles' when arriving at school and leaving school at the end of the school day. We work hard every day to keep pupils and staff as safe as possible. Please could all parents ensure that they wear a face mask when on school site, maintain social distancing and keep 'bubbles' apart – thank you.

Please continue to let us know if your child has tested positive for Coronavirus or has been in contact with a positive case regardless of whether you are home learning or in school. Please email: Bursar@northbrook-pri.lancs.sch.uk . If your child is due to be in school, please stay at home to isolate as per the guidelines and notify school immediately. Thank you.

We are working hard to be the very best we can be and this starts with the basics such as punctuality and uniform. If finances are an issue with regards to replacement items (uniform or equipment), then please don't hesitate to contact us so that we can support you with this. Please remember that if your child's uniform no longer fits you can contact us in the school and we will check if we have any spares. If your son/daughter has any items of uniform that are still in good condition but they have outgrown, then we will happily accept donations in school which we will pass on to good homes.

Please remember that the start of the school day is 8.45am and students should be dropped off or arrive at this time. Thank you for your cooperation.

We still have a few places left in our Reception class for September 2021/2022! Please contact the office on 01772 421599 or email bursar@northbrook-pri.lancs.sch.uk and we would be delighted to show you round our amazing school!

**Have a fantastic Bank Holiday weekend – see you on Tuesday 4th May!
Please remember that school is open as normal on Thursday 6th May.**

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