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Roseberry Academy News

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Pupils of the week

Cece Bennett

Evie Curtis

Reuben

Zimmermann-Tait

Hudson Blair

Daniel Fisher

Finlay Stonehouse

Jemma Marsay

Oliver Boucher

Jake Bradshaw



It has been wonderful to see everyone back in school this week. Well done, children, for being so brave and working hard. What a fabulous week we've had! Mrs Channing



An Easter Picture Treasure Hunt!

In the past, we have enjoyed our Easter teacher treasure hunt, when teachers have dressed up and hidden in shop windows, waiting for children to find them. Sadly, due to Covid-19, we are unable to arrange for this to take place. Consequently, RAFT has been busy thinking of an alternative, fun, activity and has devised an Easter Picture Treasure Hunt for children and families to enjoy. They'd like families to volunteer to create an Easter picture to display in the window of their home for the duration of the school Easter holidays. It needs to be clear, bright and visible from the path or road so that people don't need to go down drives! If families would like to take part, all they need to do is email raft@roseberryacademy.org.uk, letting us know the road that they live on and the Easter themed picture they want to draw. We have a list of ideas if people want to do something other than eggs. We will then give them a letter that they will need to display next to their picture. There will be clue sheets for children to complete with their adults as they take part in the hunt for pictures around the village and these will be given out at school just before the holiday. Clue sheets will state which streets have pictures on them so that families don't have to visit every street in Great Ayton! Children will need to complete the sheet, solving the worded clues and return it to school after the holidays. There will be a little Easter prize for every child who returns their completed sheet! Have fun, folks!

Home discussion question

Stan asked...

Would you rather live on a boat and never step on land or live on an island and never be able to leave?



Thank you for adhering to our arrival and departure times, making sure our bubbles don't mix and that people are able to social distance.

	Arrival	Departure
Nursery	8.30am	3pm
Mrs Barker's class	8.45am	3pm
Mrs Mitchell's class	8.45am	3pm
Mrs Kearns' class	8.45am	3pm
Mrs Charlton's class	8.55am	3.10pm
Mr Moore's class	8.55am	3.10pm
Mr Bourne's class	8.55am	3.10pm
Mrs Meadows' class	9.05am	3.20pm
Mrs Murton's class	9.05am	3.20pm

There's been a valid concern raised about EYFS children mixing with those from Years One and Two whilst waiting to come into school. Please could parents of EYFS children wait with their children on the pavement *opposite* school until called and Years One and Two (who are in the same bubble) queue on the pavement which is on the same side of the road as the school? Thank you!

*If your child has a younger sibling, they may arrive at their sibling's arrival time and go straight to their own classroom. If their sibling is in nursery and arrives at 8.30am, they need to go to the upper hall, please, and ring the doorbell for entry. Miss Charlton will welcome them in with her smiley face!

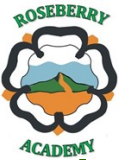
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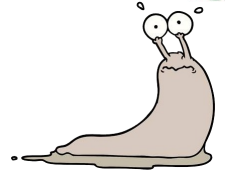
Please let Mrs Channing know asap if your child is in school and they, or members of your household, develop Covid-19 symptoms, even if they're already isolating.



Act of Kindness



This week's award goes to Joseph Webster. He saved a slug that had found its way into the classroom, picking it up carefully and putting it onto the grass outside. Well done, Joseph!



Welcome back, Mrs Davies!

It was lovely to welcome Mrs Davies back to school this week for her Keeping in Touch days following her maternity leave. She is really looking forward to teaching our Y5/6 class from 22nd March, sharing the class with Mr O'Brien who will teach each Friday.

Keeping our children safe

Thank you to everyone who has parked with care outside school this week!



Lunchtime Award

This week, our lunchtime award goes to Rosalie Kent. She is an absolute poppet, with lovely manners, and has played beautifully with others. Well done!

Well done to William Clay and his friend who, during a walk with William's mum last night, did a litter pick near the quarry and collected two bin bags full of rubbish!

Our family is growing!

It was lovely to welcome Daisy into our Roseberry family this week. She has had a smiley face every day and made lots of friends!

We are looking forward to welcoming Flynn and Freya into our school family on Monday. I know that everyone will make them feel very welcome, indeed!

Welcome

RED NOSE DAY

On 19th March, people across the country will be wearing red noses and having fun to raise money for Comic Relief.

We have decided to theme the day 'Red nose, anything goes!'. Children may dress up in anything they fancy (no fancy dress masks, please, as they scare some children). If they'd like to purchase a red nose to wear with their outfit, these will be on sale in classrooms for £1.50 each, payable via ParentPay.



Mrs Davis' Cross Country Club: Mrs Meadows' and Mrs Murton's classes. Thursday from 12.00 until 12.30. Bring an outdoor kit, including spare socks and footwear (old trainers or football boots), not school PE kit, if you want to take part!

If you borrowed a laptop or iPad from school to enable your child to access Teams at home during lockdown, please ensure that it is returned asap and that all photos and videos have been deleted, including in the deleted items file. Thanks! *Note: Boxed Geo books can remain at home.*



Nursery places available!

If you would like your child to join our Roseberry family, we still have places for 3 year olds and a waiting list for 2 year olds! Please call 01642 722883 for information or visit the nursery page on our website.

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