



Southcoates Primary Academy Newsletter

Friday 27th November, 2023

What a fantastic half term it has been!

It has been a busy half term and the children have all been working extremely hard. Alongside the children's classroom work, they have also taken part in Bikeability and Pedestrian Skills sessions, school trips and much more! In the first week back after half term, you will receive a phase newsletter with details of what your child has been doing over the course of this half term, along with information about upcoming learning in the second half of the autumn term.

Thank you for your support throughout this half term and we hope that you have an enjoyable half term break. School re-opens on **Monday 6th November**.

Spanish Week



This week, the children have taken part in a range of activities to celebrate Spanish Week. Through the week, the children have been taking part in food tasting sessions and have been learning how to say some words and sentences in Spanish.

Harvest Festival

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our Harvest collection. All of the contributions are being donated to Ladled with Love, supporting the homeless community in Hull.



To celebrate Harvest, our Key Stage One children put on a fantastic performance at St Aidan's Church. They enjoyed singing Harvest-themed songs when performing to the rest of the school and to parents.

Well done, Key Stage One!



Book Vending Machine

When attending parents' evening appointments, you might have noticed our fabulous book vending machine.

Each week, one child is chosen from every class (from Nursery through to Year 6) to choose a book as a prize.

The winners are chosen for demonstrating our Southcoates Values. Winners also earn a certificate and are given the opportunity to look after their class mascot for the weekend. Thank you to the Children's University who generously donated the book vending machine.



Dates for Your Diary

Friday 27th November:	Y3/4 Trip to Bempton Cliffs (Group 1)
Every Tuesday from 7th Nov:	Rackets Cubed starts for Y3/4 group. Reception Stay and Read starts.
Friday 9th November:	Early Years Library Visit (Group 1)
W/B Monday 13th November:	Anti-Bullying Week
Thursday 16th November:	Early Years Library Visit (Group 2)
Friday 17th November:	Children in Need
Monday 20th November:	Y3/4 Trip to Bempton Cliffs (Group 2)
Thursday 7th December:	Reception Trip to the Pantomime
Friday 8th December:	Christmas Fair
Thursday 14th December:	Early Years Nativity Performance at St. Aidan's
Monday 18th December:	Inspire Afternoon and Gold Ticket Shop
Tuesday 19th December:	Carols to Parents
Wednesday 20th December:	Christmas Party Day
Thursday 21st December	Magic Carpet Theatre Company Performance
Friday 22nd December	Southcoates Has Got Talent Christmas Jumper Day Last Day of the Term