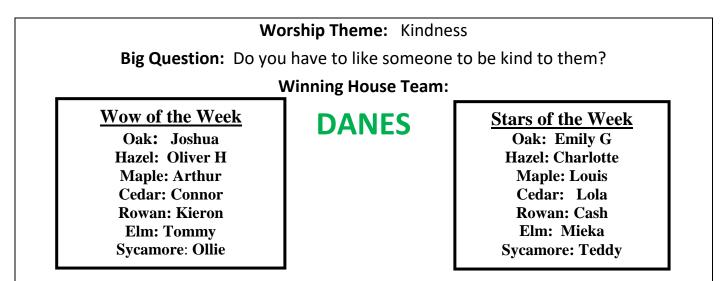


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Mundford Mail

The newsletter from Mundford C of E Primary Academy - Your school, your news!

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Christmas Activities

The children all looked fabulous in their Christmas jumpers today.

Wednesday 16th Dec: Christmas Dinner will be served in the children's classrooms, followed by party games and festive activities. Children are invited to attend school that day in non-uniform Christmas-themed or party clothes (but please make sure they still have suitable footwear and warm clothing for a day at school). Please book dinners as soon as possible and by Monday 14th December.

We will not be able to allow children to bring Christmas cards into school this year but instead classes are arranging to make cards and share Christmas greetings within their own bubbles.

Virtual Carol Concert: Each class has now recorded their song and we look forward to sharing this with you next week.

Diary Dates

Virtual Sharing Assembly: Every Friday the class bubbles get together via zoom to share their learning and celebrate the stars & wows of the week.

16/12/20: Christmas Dinner (please book via parent mail) – Non-uniform.

18/12/20: Last day of term.

04/01/21: Children back to school.

Every effort is made to stick to the planned dates, but occasionally circumstances beyond our control may affect inschool events. We will always inform you as soon as possible of any changes. Thanks for understanding!

What are we reading?

As a school, we want to promote a love of reading in every child. As well as daily reading sessions, each class also listens to a class reader. These books are carefully chosen to inspire children, broaden their reading experience and expose them to language they may not read independently. Currently we are reading:

Oak: The Magic Faraway Tree by Enid Blyton

Hazel: The Nothing To See Here Hotel by Steven Butler

Maple: Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown

Cedar: King Edward Flashypants & the creature from the crag

Rowan: The Wild Robot by Peter Brown

Elm: The Orchard Book of Greek Myths

Sycamore: Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce

Why don't you ask your child about the book? Have they enjoyed it? Can they tell you the story so far? What do they predict will happen next?

Online Resources

Our main online platform is google classroom, where you will find links to activities and resources for your child's class.

In addition to this, you may wish to use the following resources:

<u>Letterjoin</u>

www.letterjoin.co.uk

Desktop Login username: Mund password: ford Tablet Login username: Mund passcode: a capital 'L' shape starting at top left This site allows children to practise their handwriting and spelling.

Purple Mash

https://www.purplemash.com/sch/mundford

We use Purple Mash for teaching computing, but is also contains games sections for practising English & Maths at home. All children have their own individual log-in. Please ask your child's class teacher if they cannot remember it.

PIXL Times Table App: https://timestable.pixl.org.uk/

All KS2 pupils have an individual log-in for the times table app – please speak to class teachers if they cannot remember this.

Apple App Store: <u>https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/pixl-times-tables/id1300608796</u> Google Play Store:

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=air.com.matthewwoodfine.timestables&hl=en_GB

Merry Christmas to you all



While we can't all gather together as we normally would, each class bubble has decorated their door with festive greetings for the rest of the school community.

Vacancies

Our Federated school Gooderstone is looking for a cleaner – please see the website for more details if you are interested:

http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/gooderstone/vacancies/

Coming Soon: Aspens who provide our school meals will shortly be advertising for a kitchen assistant to cover maternity leave for one year from February half term. We will share details when the vacancy is advertised.

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