Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January

Spring Issue 2



# Mundford Mail

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

http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/mundford/

Worship Theme: Change

**Big Question: Does everything change?** 



**Saxons** 

Points 195

**Vikings** 



**Romans** 

Points 182



Danes
Points 216

This week's winning house team is Vikings – non uniform Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January

( = previous winners, three in a row = non-uniform)

## **Star of the Week**

Oak: Joey

**Hazel:** Gracie-Mae

Maple: Elise

Cedar: Charlotte

Rowan: Ella Elm:. Connor

Sycamore: Jake

Wow of the Week

Oak: Eden

Hazel: Jacob

Maple: Ayda

Cedar: Eve

Rowan: Eadie

Elm: Chloe

Sycamore: Summer

## **Attendance**

School's Attendance this week: 94%

(National Attendance = 94%)

Year R: 94 % Year 1: 95% Year 2: 99% Year 3: 88%

Year 4: 99% Year 5: 96% Year 6: 99%

Attendance below 95% significantly impacts children's progress.

### We are also looking for a Teaching Assistant:

https://www.dneat.org/vacancy/11-teaching-assistant-mundford-church-of-england-primary-academy/

Information about the role can be found by clicking on the links

# **Goodbye Mrs Dale**

Today was Mrs Dale's last day and we want to thank her for all she has done for the children during her time at Mundford. We wish her all the best in her new position.

## Clubs

This term we will be offering the following after-school clubs

Monday: Cookery for Y5 & Y6 with Miss Smith and Miss Brown

Monday: Choir with Mrs Saunders

Tuesday: KS2 Dance with Mrs Pooley & Miss Coates

Wednesday: Taekwondo with John Wednesday: KS1 Lego Club with Mrs Jermy

Children in eligible year groups should have received information via Myed on how to sign up.

We are also running lunchtime homework (Mondays) and writing clubs (Tuesdays).

# **Diary Dates**

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

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> January: Elm Mundford Junction 2:30pm

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January: Maple Class Mundford Junction 10am

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February: NSPCC Number Day

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February: Maple Class Showcase 2:30pm

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February: Elm Class Showcase 2:30pm

Half Term Holiday 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> February

Friday 31st March: Last day of term

Easter Holidays 1st April – 17th April

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April: Children return to school

# We are 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: a selection of traditional nursery rhymes

Hazel: The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson

Maple: The Case of the Disappearing Underpants by Nikki Young

Cedar: Horrid Henry's Underpants by Francesca Simon

Rowan: TOTO the Ninja Cat by Dermot O'Leary

Elm: Floodland by Marcus Sedgwick

Sycamore: The Explorer by Catherine Rundall

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, and class teachers will share your child's log-in next week so they can access their new class. The following resources can also be used to support your child's learning at home.

### Bug Club https://ww.activelearnprimaty.co.uk

Bug Club is our online library of reading books, where you will find books assigned to your child's reading ability.

# Spelling Shed https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/

Here you can play online games to practice spelling, as well as see the assigned weekly spellings for your child's class.

Numbots https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/35246 & TT Rockstars https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth

Practice number facts and times table in a fun game-based situation.

# Purple Mash https://www.purplemash.com/sch/mundford

We use Purple Mash for teaching computing, but it also contains games sections for practising English & Maths at home.

If your child needs their log-in details for any of the above, please contact the class teacher.

Maths Frame Maths Games for KS2: designed by a teacher for teachers - Mathsframe

Username: Churchside Password: maths123

# <u>Letterjoin</u> <u>www.letterjoin.co.uk</u>

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.

# **School Uniform**

https://corporatetiger.co.uk/?sfw=pass1614943921 www.facebook.com/myclothingltd

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