

# Caedmon Primary School

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#### Welcome

Dear Parent/Carer.

Welcome to our Spring newsletter. I would like to thank you for your continued support this term, especially for coming to the Reading Café events, which have been

very popular. These events will continue and each Year Group (including afternoon Nursery) will have a turn before the end of the year. Also, to help children to develop a love of reading, we have booked a whole day of storytelling workshops in April where we will have an expert storyteller in school to inspire the children!

I have been busy organising a programme of careers events for our Year 5 and 6 pupils. The plan is to cover a range of careers over two years to give them lots of ideas to think about. So far, we have booked visitors for careers in: nursing, acting, police, data, national security and psychology. We also have a Careers Advisor coming in to work with the children about a whole range of careers options. There are a lot more events in the pipeline and it is fantastic that these people are volunteering their time for our children.

Once again, I would like to thank you for your suggestions. After listening to the views of the pupils and families, we are going to trial a system for pre-ordering school meals so that pupils always have a choice. This trial will take place in Summer Term and we will decide whether to continue with the scheme using both staff and parent feedback.

Please keep telling us what you think of the school so that we can make it even better.

Mrs Hill

Children finish for half-term on Thursday 13th February 2020 Children return to school on Monday 24th February 2020 Page 2 Spring (1) 2020

#### Calendar Dates 2019/2020

| Autumn Term  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Thursday 13th February 2020  | 3.00pm - Children finish for half-term           |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 14th February 2020  | PD Day 3 (no children in school)                 |  |  |  |  |
| Half term - Monday 17th February 2020 to Friday 21st February 2020 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Monday 24th February 2020  | Children return to school                        |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 20th March 2020   | Reception trip to Newham Grange Farm             |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 27th March 2020   | Y1 trip to Preston Park                          |  |  |  |  |
| Tuesday 31st March 2020  | Y2 trip to Beamish                               |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 3rd April 2020  | 3.00pm - Children finish for the Easter holidays |  |  |  |  |
| Easter Holidays - Monday 6th April 2020 to Friday 17th April 2020  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Summer Term  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Monday 20th April 2020   | Children return to school                        |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 8th May 2020  | May bank holiday                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 22nd May 2020   | 3.00pm - Children finish for half-term           |  |  |  |  |
| Half term - Monday 25th May 2020 to Friday 29th May 2020           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Monday 1st June 2020   | Children return to school                        |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 10th July 2020  | PD Day 4 (no children in school)                 |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 17th July 2020  | Children finish for the Summer holidays          |  |  |  |  |
| Monday 20th July 2020  | PD Day 5 (no children in school)                 |  |  |  |  |

## **Sport**

The girls enjoyed a successful day at Netball, with one team winning the development league, one coming 4<sup>th</sup> in the competitive and another winning the competitive league. They all worked really hard and displayed fantastic team work. It was great to be awarded the Respect Award, voted by the other schools.

The Sports Ambassadors are four enthusiastic, dedicated and hardworking girls. They work alongside Mr Collantine, running physical activity interventions in school, leading activities at Steel River Academy Festivals and they run their own after school club. The girls are doing a fantastic job at developing their sports leadership skills and are becoming very confident and competent at leading their own activities.

The girl's football team were very successful this half term and won the girls football competition at Eston Sports Centre.







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## Year 2 Bread Making

Year 2 had a brilliant time kneading bread and making a variety of different bread shapes with our school catering company - Caterlink.







# Reading Cafes's



### Music

Year 4 performed their own interpretation of the poem 'Dustman's Drudge'. They used improvisation skills whilst performing.









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## **AWARDS**

All children have the chance to achieve different pin badges. The first award is bronze, followed by silver, gold and finally platinum. Children can also be awarded with the Headteacher's badge.



To win this award, the child must:

- Demonstrate the 'Caedmon Characteristics'
- Have 100% attendance
- Not get any minutes
- Be in school on time each day.

| Class           | 10/01/2020  | 17/01/2020  | 24/01/2020  | 31/01/2020    | 07/02/2020 |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|------------|
| Miss Curry      | Harley      | Lily-Mae    | Millie      | IJ            | Rose       |
|                 | Jade        | Mason       | Jewin       | JJ            | Ayla       |
| Mrs Clark       | Noah        | Ashton      | Ava-Diane   | Evie          | Theo       |
|                 | George      | Harrison    | Theo        | Ruby          | Daniel     |
| Miss Cumming    | Lilly       | Phoebe      | Lola        | Melanie       | Lydia      |
|                 | Max         | Freya-Rose  | Harry       | Elsa          | Max        |
| Mr Hawthorne    | Benjamin    | Frankie     | Josie       | Thomas        | Layla-Anne |
|                 | Billie-Jo   | Mason       | Learnie     | Gracie-Mae    | Cameron    |
| Miss Collis     | Archie      | Charley-Mae | Leland      | Tyler         | Elijah     |
|                 | Jack        | Harrison    | Keaton      | Jessie        | Finley     |
| Mrs Robinson    | Harvey      | Alice       | Mason       | Logan         | Hanna      |
|                 | Junior      | Evie        | Isabelle    | Joseph        | Junior     |
| Miss Chatterton | Neveah      | Rico        | Summer      | Jacob         | Ruby       |
|                 | Jacob       | George      | Declan      | Sarah         | Morgan     |
| Miss Nolan      | Honey-Mia   | Ellie-May   | Maddison    | Riley         | Ollie      |
|                 | Declan      | Jensen      | Mason       | Dylan         | Lacey      |
| Mr Walton       | Tyler       | Cassie      | Jake        | Ruby          |            |
|                 | Harvey      | Faye        | Declan      |               |            |
| Miss Watts      | Ebony       | Bethany     | Miley       | Leon          |            |
|                 | Mika        |             | Grace       |               |            |
| Miss Fox        | Рорру       | John        | Tamzin      | John          | Shane      |
|                 | McKenzie    | Aliyah      | Gracie-Mai  | Bethany       | Erin       |
| Miss Grainger   | Lacey       | Aiden       | Joel        | Sofia         | Letisha    |
|                 |             | Deon        | Macie       | Maisie        | Maddison   |
| Mr Butters      | Katie       | Rylie       | Alfie       | Sophie        | Harrison   |
|                 | Harrison    | Sara        | Lily-Mai    | Kelsey        | Gracie-Mai |
| Headteacher     | Finley (Y2) | Emily (Y2)  | Jenson (Y4) | Benjamin (Y1) |            |