



## NEWSLETTER FOR PRIORY PRIMARY SCHOOL



### Dear Parents and Carers

We have had a very good start to 2022; we are all settled, working hard and enjoying our learning! We have been delighted to be able to widen the opportunities for children to attend different clubs this term and it's been wonderful to see the amount of children wanting to engage in different activities during lunchtimes and after school. The details of clubs for Spring 2 are included in this newsletter.

In addition to the learning in the classroom, we offer a range of wider opportunities for different year groups over the school year. This term Year 6 have been enjoying judo training while Year 3 have been learning dance routines with NAPA. Year 5 and Year 4 are continuing to hone their skills on the steel pans; the fabulous music certainly gives everyone a lift on a Tuesday morning! We have some exciting visits planned for next half term: Year 1 will be visiting the farm, Year 2 the museums and Year 6 have their residential visit to Carlton Lodge. We are pleased that we are now able to plan lots of activities which really make us enthusiastic about our learning in the classroom. Keep checking our Twitter feed to see photos of all our exciting adventures!

Thank you to all the families who entered our Maths Quiz on Number Day. It was lovely to see so many families joining in and a big congratulations to the Allbones family who were the lucky winners. We also had some really interesting entries to our whole school Science challenge, making it very difficult to choose the winning entries! Well done to everyone who entered and congratulations to our lucky winners! Dress to Express Day was a huge hit and it was wonderful to see the children's personalities shine through with their clothing choices for the day. Thank you all for your continued support with reading at home and supporting your children with their home-school challenges.

Some of the children in Key Stage 2 had an opportunity to participate in a variety of sporting events this half term including curling, golf and bowling. Year 5 have now completed their Bikeability training. In the Foundation Stage, the children practised using balance bikes and Key Stage 1 had some scooter training.

Friday 18th February is a teacher training day so children will not be in school on this day. We wish you all a restful half term break and look forward to welcoming you back for another busy half term. When we return we will be having class photographs, including the Year 6 Leavers pictures, on Tuesday March 1st. We will also be celebrating World Book Day on 3rd March and as usual, we will ask children to dress as their favourite book character (see the flyer sent home this week).

Best wishes

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## Fareshare

Fareshare is on every Thursday morning near the car park (if it is raining Fareshare will be in the Community Room).

Get 5 items for £1.

Please ask at the office if you need directions.

## School Nurse

We would like to remind you that we have a school nurse, Racheal Ramage, who is with us for the whole day on a Monday.

You are welcome to call her and speak with her directly or book a slot to come in and see her on a 1:1 basis by speaking to the school office or emailing [admin@priory.hull.sch.uk](mailto:admin@priory.hull.sch.uk).

Rachel can support families and children in a range of different ways including help with behaviour strategies, bed wetting and growing up.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you need any support or advice.



## Lost Property

On Monday 28th February, when we return to school after the half term, there will be tables on the playground with lost property on.

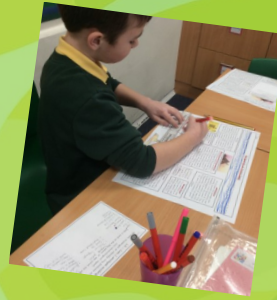
Please do have a look through it and check whether anything belongs to your child.

Remember to label all of your child's belongings that will be in school.



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Oak Class have kicked off their learning for their new text type by analysing the features of a non-chronological report @thrivetrust\_UK

Y3/Y4 Drama club have been working on devising on the spot. Some wonderful performances! ✨ @thrivetrust\_UK



Hazel Class have been creating some calming artwork this afternoon as part of #ChildrensMentalHealthWeek @thrivetrust\_UK

Cherry class will 'reach for the stars!' 🎵 They have set themselves goals so they can 'follow their heart's desire!' 🌟 ✨ #ChildrensMentalHealthWeek @thrivetrust\_UK



Silver Birch are enjoying making their own magical instrument using collage. They have taken their inspiration from 'In The Hall Of The Mountain King' @thrivetrust\_UK

In our D&T lesson this week, we have been practising our sewing skills in Rowan class. We have designed and began to make hand puppets! Take a look at our creations so far. 🧵 @thrivetrust\_UK







Congratulations to the winning family in our NSPCC Number Day quiz! They were delighted to take home some fun prizes! Thank you to everyone who took part.  
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Our excitement in Year 1 'peaked' today with a visit from a very famous British astronaut, yes you guessed it... Tim Peake! Tim answered all their interesting questions and even left some astronaut food for them to taste! 🍪  
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Ash Class made their own jar of happiness. We talked about all the things that make us happy.  
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A very exciting end to our week in Holly Class! 🌋 We have had some amazing home-school challenges sent in for our geography theme this half term all about natural disasters.



## Our fabulous Science Challenge work!







# Diary Dates

Date	Event
Thurs 17th Feb 2022	Close for half term
<b>Fri 18th Feb 2022</b>	<b>INSET Day - School closed to pupils</b>
Mon 28th Feb 2022	Children return to school
Tue 1st March 2022	School Photographs - Class photos
Thurs 3rd March 2022	World Book Day
Thurs 3rd March 2022	Beech class trip to Densholme Farm
Wed 16th & Thurs 17th March 2022	Parent's Evening - Details to follow
Mon 21st - Wed 23rd March 2022	Y6 Residential to Carlton Lodge
Wed 23rd March 2022	Y2 Visit to Hull & East Riding Museums
Thurs 24th March 2022	Rowan class trip to Densholme Farm
Fri 1st April 2022	Sam's Safari visiting Chestnut, Ash & Elm
Fri 8th April 2022	Last day of the Spring Term
<b>Mon 25th April 2022</b>	<b>INSET Day - School closed to pupils</b>
<b>Tue 26th April 2022</b>	<b>INSET Day - School closed to pupils (planned date that we have now booked in)</b>
Wed 27th April 2022	Children return to school
Fri 29th April 2022	Y4 Visit to Jorvik
Mon 2nd May 2022	School closed for Bank Holiday
Thurs 26th May 2022	Close for half term
<b>Fri 27th May 2022</b>	<b>School closed for Queen's Jubilee Bank Holiday</b>
Mon 6th Jun 2022	Children return to school
Fri 22nd Jul 2022	Last day of the Summer Term



Today, Year Three thought about how they can support their friends if they are going through a tricky time. Then, they identified all the people who help them with their worries and added them to their support balloons.

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