



Newcomen Newsflash

newcomenprimary.co.uk

[twitter@NewcomenPS](https://twitter.com/NewcomenPS)

Tel: 01642 484318

Headteacher: Miss K Pusztai

Chair of Governors: Mr M Hassack



Friday, 24 January 2025

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Classes 1& 2 attended the Sports Balance Festival on Thursday at Redcar Leisure Centre.

The children completed lots of bike related activities helping to improve their balance and co-ordination; all the children behaved wonderfully and are a credit to our school.

Dates for your Diary January 2025:

- Thursday, 30 January: Tempest photographers will be in school to take class and individual photographs for our Nursery pupils and to catch up on any pupils who were absent from the main school photographs.
- Thursday, 30 January: Class 6 Fundamental Movement Skills event at Eston Leisure Centre. Pupils will return to school approx. 3:10pm and can be collected from their normal classroom entrance.

We have been very busy organising the dates for your diary for this term to give you as much notice as possible of planned events; we will get these to you next few week via parentmail.

Please can we remind parents that if your child is a pupil in Reception to Year 4, they must be brought into school with an adult who stays with them until the classroom doors open. Thank you for your support.

If you are in receipt of benefits and have not already applied for Free School Meals, please apply via Redcar & Cleveland Borough Council's Citizen Portal at

https://admissions.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/CitizenPortal_LIVE/en

If you are in receipt of FSM for your older children and have younger siblings in school, we would advise to claim as it could open up further benefits.

This week's Online Safety Focus: **Top tips for promoting a love of early writing.**

Key Stage 1: Congratulations to Mrs Tickle's class, for receiving a visit from Leonardo this week. 100% of the children scored 100% in their spelling test. Well done Class 3!

Key Stage 2: Congratulations to Mr Riches' class, for receiving a visit from Leonardo this week. 91% of the children scored 100% in their spelling test. Well done Class 9!

Our birthday children for this week are: Phoebe Morris, Sophia Varney, Erin Thompson, Joey Bullen, Dotty Magowan, Freddie Rutter, Gracie Foreman and Eloise McGinley. Many happy returns and have a lovely day!

Read, Enjoy and Discover Award (Reading for Pleasure): Harley France, Esmée Stockton, Matilda Allinson, Olive Humble, Spencer-Lee Cox, Emilie Kirk, Indie Preville, Poppy Brunton, Jessica Lucas-Barker, Jasper Jones, William Whiting and Luca Campbell.

Home Reading award:

100 times: Connor Sharkey, Ella-Mai Carne, Zachary Theaker and Spencer Main. Wow! Well done to you all. Keep reading and enjoying! Remember reading gives you knowledge and knowledge is power!

Our Headteacher's award this week is for Passion for Music: Oscar Preston, Finley Flewker-Barker, Roxy-Rose Smee, Esther Emmett, Rae Campbell-Jarvis, Aoife Elliott, Henry Kyme, Emilie Kirk, Vinnie Lawton, Harrison Lamb, Harry Wright, Jacob Oxendale-Hunter, Leo Lucas-Barker, Aaron Park and Sonnie Puckrin.

Out of School Achievements:

Laila Holmes: Swim England Learn to Swim level 3 and Rainbow Distance 10 metres;
Hannah Mitchell: Rainbows BBC Children in Need badge;
Alice Halliday: Swim England Learn to Swim level 3 and Rainbow Distance 10 metres.

Class attendance this week goes to Mrs Whitehead, Mrs Tickle's and Mrs Hood's classes with 100%. Well done classes 2, 3 & 4!

In 2nd place Mrs Rhodes & Miss Peacock, Mr Evans and Mrs Nixon's & Mrs King's classes with 99.1% and in 3rd place Mr Riches class with 98.2%.

Well done to you all!

This week 314 children from our school achieved 100% attendance. Fabulous!



Have a lovely weekend everyone and take care.
Miss Pusztai, Staff and Governors of Newcomen Primary School

