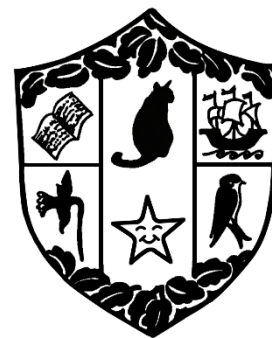


# Deneholm Primary School

## Newsletter Issue 3

### September 2020



**\*Resourcefulness \*Resilience \*Reasoning \*Responsibility \*Reflection**

Dear parents/carers,

We have added our first piece of work to our Golden Gallery this week. The Golden Gallery celebrates children across the school who are working very hard in lessons and making great progress. Well done to Bailey in Year 4 who was the first child in the school to have his work put up. We look forward to seeing our next excellent pieces of work!

What wet weather we have been having! Please ensure that your children come to school with the appropriate outdoor wear when the weather changes. This will ensure they stay dry on their way in and out of school. Please be mindful on wet days that the field can become slippery so take care when leaving the school.

Welcome to our new PLT (Pupil Leadership Team) members. They are already hard at work completing their first task for Mrs. Bradfield which involves speaking to their classmates about what new games they would like for their wet play boxes.

RRD

Avi and Isla

1M

Luca and Chloe

2G

George and Millie

RC

Brooke and  
Hudson

1U

Grace and Reggie

2W

Mia and Alex

3SA

Arthur and Sasha

4M

Niamh and Bobby

5LB

Harry P and Nell

6N

Brooke and Petar

3F

Lily and Teddy

4MG

Lottie and Jack

5V

Luke and Lilyana

6F

Ellie and Freddie

On Monday 19<sup>th</sup> of October we will be having our Harvest Festival. We will be making our donation to the Friends of Essex and London Homeless charity again. They are a fantastic charity that have an impact locally and are very appreciative of our help. I look forward to seeing all of the donations we receive next Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October.

I'm very pleased to share with our Deneholm community that Mrs Goyette is joining our Senior Leadership Team as an Assistant Headteacher. Please join the staff in congratulating Mrs Goyette on her new role.

A few reminders for parents/carers:

- Please ensure only one adult is present for drop-off and collection.
- Please do not park on Culford Road. This road is traffic free in order to keep all of our families safe as they arrive and leave the school.

- Please ensure children walk their bikes and scooters when on school property.
- Please keep children with you at all times whilst waiting for siblings to come out of class.
- Please leave the school grounds as soon as possible.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Robinson

## Reception Parents Tapestry



Please ensure that you regularly log in to the website version of Tapestry - <https://tapestryjournal.com/>. We will often share important memos which can only be viewed on the Tapestry website and not on the Tapestry app.

In the next newsletter we will begin sharing the names of children for whom we have had observations added from home. These are really beneficial to us and we are very grateful of the time that you take to share your child's home learning and achievements with us.

If you need any support in accessing Tapestry, please email Mrs Cohen on [yearr@dps.swecet.org](mailto:yearr@dps.swecet.org)



## Science Corner

This half term, year 3 have been looking at rocks and soils. We have looked at types of rocks and how they are formed; uses of rocks and their durability over time and types of soils. In addition, we carried out a comparative test to check the permeability of selected rocks. The excitement about our topic continues. Help your child research about Mary Anning to find out how her work relates to rock and soils.

## Half Term Holiday Club

**Starsports and Soccer** will be running a half term holiday club & sports camp at



Stifford Clays School. Please see flyer attached for further details.



## Important Dates for your diary...

### AUTUMN TERM

#### OCTOBER

15<sup>th</sup> Individual Photographs  
19<sup>th</sup> Harvest Festival

26<sup>th</sup> October – 6<sup>th</sup> November Half Term

#### NOVEMBER

9<sup>th</sup> Flu Immunisation

#### DECEMBER

**LAST DAY OF TERM 18<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**

### SPRING TERM

**FIRST DAY OF TERM 5<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

#### JANUARY

4<sup>th</sup> Inset Staff Training  
7<sup>th</sup> Road Safety Walks R, Yr 3 & 5  
8<sup>th</sup> Road Safety Walks R, Yr 3 & 5

#### FEBRUARY

9<sup>th</sup> Scooter Training Yr 1 & 2  
10<sup>th</sup> Scooter Training Yr 1 & 2

15<sup>th</sup> February – 19<sup>th</sup> February Half Term

#### MARCH

**LAST DAY OF TERM 26<sup>th</sup> March**

### SUMMER TERM

#### APRIL

27<sup>th</sup> Bikability Yr 4 & 6  
28<sup>th</sup> Bikability Yr 4 & 6

**FIRST DAY OF TERM 12<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

#### MAY

3<sup>rd</sup> May Bank Holiday

31<sup>st</sup> May (Bank Holiday) – 4<sup>th</sup> June Half Term

#### JUNE

21<sup>st</sup> Bikability Yr 6

#### JULY

**LAST DAY OF TERM 16<sup>th</sup> JULY**

**\*WE WILL AIM TO KEEP TO THESE DATES BUT, IF NECESSARY, THEY WILL BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

**WE WILL INFORM YOU OF STAFF TRAINING/NON PUPIL DAYS AS THEY ARE BOOKED.**