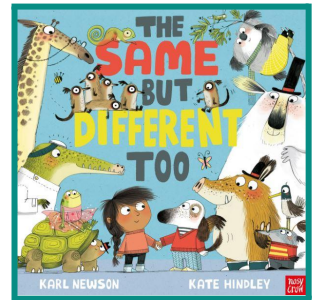


Happy Friday!

It has been lovely to welcome so many of you to school this week for **parents/carers** meetings. It is so important to have such a **close working relationship** with you all at home to ensure children can be as successful as possible in **school**. If you have not made an appointment or missed it this week, please **contact the school office** as soon as possible to arrange an **alternative slot**. This week in assembly, I read *The Same but Different Too* by **Karl Newson** and **Kate Hindley** - a story that celebrates **diversity** and **friendship**. The story looks at how people may **look**, **speak** or **live** differently but we share many of the same **hopes**, **feelings** and **dreams**. **Everyone** is **unique** in their own way and, by appreciating those differences, we can build **stronger communities**. Follow the [link](#) if you'd like to share this story with your little ones at home. A reminder that next Friday is a **Teacher Training Day** so school will close for **half-term** at the end of **Thursday 23rd October**. I hope you all have a fantastic weekend.

Mr Routledge



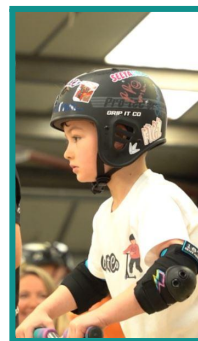
Year One and Year Two Doodle Maths Competition

Get ready for the **Doodle Maths Autumn Challenge** 2025! Running from **20th October** to **24th November**, this event encourages pupils to practise their maths 'little and often' while earning **250 stars**. Every child who reaches the target will receive a certificate, an exclusive **in-app badge** and the chance to win a goodie pack in a special prize draw! To take part, parents should create or link their **Doodle** parent account to their child's school account and keep track of progress through the **Parent Dashboard**. It's a fantastic way to build **healthy learning habits** and make maths fun! Find out more at doodlelearning.com/competition



Sporting Success!

We are incredibly proud of one of our pupils, Jude, who recently competed in the **World Elite Youth Championships**. The event, **Scootjam UK**, was held on **Sunday 5th October** at **Adrenaline Alley** in Corby. Jude delivered an amazing performance - earning **9th place** in the world in this **age category**! For the **competition**, Jude prepared and completed **two 45-second runs**, performing in front of **three judges** who scored him on **difficulty**, **diversity**, **style** and **consistency**. His **dedication** and **passion** for scootering is really paying off and I look forward to (maybe!) seeing Jude represent Britain at **Brisbane 2032**!



Dodgeball

Some of our **Year Six** children visited the **JLV** last week to take part in a **dodgeball** event. They were a credit to our school and were **#respectful** and **#enthusiastic** throughout. All of **Year Six** will have the opportunity to visit the JLV this year as part of



their **transition** and we look forward to the **next visit**.

Beach

This week, **Year Three** and **Year Five** enjoyed their first beach visits of the year. **Year Five** headed up to **Cresswell** on Monday and Tuesday. They looked at what causes **tidal movement**. The children **worked in groups** to demonstrate what causes two **high tides** and two **low tides** each day. This links with our upcoming **Science** work on **Earth** and **Space**. **Year Three** also took their Science lesson to the beach this week. The children visited **St Mary's Lighthouse** where they spent time observing a **variety of birds** at the nearby **nature reserve**. They then used pictures to compare the **skeleton** of a bird with the **human skeleton** and they discovered some fascinating **similarities** and **differences**.



SEND Meetings

A reminder that **SEND meetings** will be taking place in school **next week**. We kindly ask all parents and carers with appointments to report to the **main school office** on arrival. We look forward to seeing you all next week.

Tiny Tasters

There are a few remaining spaces available for our Tiny Tasters After School Club next half term. The club will run for **four sessions** immediately after school in the main hall on **Tuesday 11th, 18th, 25th November** and **2nd December**. Children will have the opportunity to learn how to **cook healthy meals** from scratch on a budget, all in a fun and **hands-on environment**. The club is completely free for all pupils. Spaces are limited, so please contact the front office for further information. The deadline to sign up is **Thursday 23rd October**. We have hosted **Tiny Tasters** for the last couple of years and the feedback has been **very positive**!



Attendance

Very well done to **Year One** for recording **100% attendance** this week! Every pupil was in school on time, every day! **Impressive figures** were also seen in **Year Three, Year Four, Year Five** and **Year Six** so keep up the brilliant work! Next week I look forward to distributing certificates and prizes for children who have recorded attendance of **96%+** since we came back in **September**.



Reception - 92% **Year One** - 100% **Year Two** - 90% **Year Three** - 97.86%

Year Four - 96.33% **Year Five** - 95% **Year Six** - 97.67%

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On the Menu Next Week . . .

Week Two	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main Course	Chicken Goujons/Veggie Nuggets Homemade Tuna and Sweetcorn Pasta Sandwich (Choice of Fillings)	Sausage/Veggie Sausage in a Bun Fish Goujons Jacket Potato (Choice of Fillings)	Homemade Chicken Fajitas Cheese* Melt Sandwich (Choice of Fillings)	Gammon/Veggie Roast and Yorkshire Pudding Homemade Tomato and Basil Pasta Jacket Potato (Choice of Fillings)	Baked Sausage Roll or Cheese Roll Breaded Fish Portion Sandwich (Choice of Fillings)
Potatoes/Pasta/Rice	Potato Wedges or Crusty Bread	Mini Waffles	New Potatoes	Roast Potatoes or Crusty Bread	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Salad Bar	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad
Desserts	Meringue Nest with Fruit (Dairy Free)	Fruit Jelly (Vegetarian)	Cheese*, Biscuit and Grapes	Shortbread Biscuits (Dairy Free) and a Cup of Milk	School Pudding of the Day (Dairy Free Available)

**Dairy Free Cheese Available*