



EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

# Swinefleet Primary School

20<sup>th</sup>  
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2016

*'Fulfilling Potential, Rewarding Success'*

We have had a great start back and the children have produced a lot of work already in the first two weeks. Mrs Kidd has settled in well to Sapphires and I love that I am now able to pop into classrooms and see all of the children working hard. Recently, we held a Paralympic Day and I enjoyed having the opportunity to teach all of the children. They had great fun especially playing blindfolded football and we discussed the British Value of Mutual Respect and Tolerance. Our International Dot Day taught us all to believe in ourselves and some fantastic artwork and maths was produced. Roald Dahl Day begun with a whole school film and this inspired some wonderful writing.

Thank you to those of you who came to our welcome night and for those who were unable to attend please feel free to arrange a chat with the class teacher.

There have been a number of changes in school so keep an eye on the website for further updates. The school has changed its twitter account so please follow us @Swinefleet\_Pr

## Rubies (Reception and Year 1)

Rubies have been discussing what they would like to learn this half-term and have decided on the topic of the 'Great Outdoors'. They have already been busy with phonics tests and an Epic Spelling Challenge. Miss Ashton has been teaching the children how to use the computers and I-pads safely. The children have created their own targets which are part of our Investors in Pupils scheme and are working hard to achieve these already.



## Rubies (Nursery)

Miss Haver and the nursery Rubies are enjoying their new room and have settled well into the new environment. There has already been lots of nursery rhymes been sung and the children have been listening to all of the different sounds around the school. Miss Haver has asked the children what they would like to learn and so next week they shall be looking at the Three Little Pigs. I am also looking forward to spending some time with them on Wednesday morning.

## Diamonds

Diamonds have begun their topic about Ancient Egypt. They have been looking at the jobs they had and were keen to share their learning on the toilets of the time! Last week, toilet roll covered the classroom and the children as they wrapped themselves up like mummies. The class are very excited for their trip so that they can see a real mummy up close. Miss Parkin and Mrs Vause were pleased with the children's BFG homework. Well done!

## Sapphires

The Sapphires have begun their topic Blood, Burps and Bile! They have been looking at teeth including the different types, their structure and how to look after them. The children have been carrying out their own research and have begun to plan their own fact files based on teeth. In maths, the Sapphires have been looking at place value including mental maths skills and ordering numbers.



Roald Dahl Day

### Remember

Remember that children need P.E kit in school at all times.

Year 6 need a packed lunch on Wednesday

Paralympic Day



New starters in Rubies



International Dot Day



Cooking Club



P.E



Assembly Champions

Science Club



### DINNER MENU

Tues	Lasagne. Selection of bread and winter salad.	Strawberry Mousse or fresh fruit or yoghurt.
Wed	Roast pork loin, Yorkshire pudding, creamed potatoes, broccoli and carrots.	Oaty apple and cinnamon crumble or fresh fruit or yoghurt.
Thurs	Chicken korma, brown and white rice, naan bread and vegetable medley.	Melting moment or fresh fruit or yoghurt.
Fri	Tempura battered fish, steak fries, sweetcorn and garden peas.	Pear and chocolate sponge or fresh fruit or yoghurt.
Mon 26th	Meatballs in rustic tomato sauce with pasta, broccoli and sweetcorn.	Eves pudding and custard or fresh fruit or yoghurt.

If you would like to share something with us please add a note to our comment box in the hall. We also welcome any suggestions as working together is what will continue to improve our school further.

### Attendance

**94%**

### **Needs Improvement**

Diamonds have a dice roll will they win a treat for their good attendance?

### House Teams

This week Snowdon achieved the most Swinefleet tokens and move one step up our mountain. Well done!

### Dates for your Diary

20<sup>th</sup> Sept – Cross country KS2 3-5pm.  
 21<sup>st</sup> Sept – Year 6 Science Morning at Goole Academy.  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept – Vicar visiting assembly.  
 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> Oct – Space Week.  
 4<sup>th</sup> Oct – Three Year 6 at Arete English.  
 6<sup>th</sup> Oct – Two Year 5 at Arete Maths.  
 10<sup>th</sup> Oct – Harvest Festival at Church (pm but exact time to be confirmed)  
 11<sup>th</sup> Oct – Diamonds' trip to Hull.  
 12 Oct – Photo Day.

Well done to Mr Mowton who won our ticket raffle