

## Week 5 Newsletter 14/10/2016

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**Well done!**

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42/42	24/24	21/21	24/24	26/26	21/21	19/19	20/20	20/20	28/28	27/28	31/32	35/35

**Frogs**  
97.5% 1 late

**Penguins**  
97.5% 1 late

**Butterflies**  
95.7% 2 lates

**Spiders**  
94.9% 2 lates

**Lions**  
94.6% 3 lates

**Ladybirds**  
96.3% 0 lates

### Attendance and Lates

Whole School:  
**94.6% 21 Lates**

Our attendance target for the year is **96.5%**

Year to date is **96.3%**

**Sharks**  
94.0% 2 lates

**Panthers**  
91.9% 2 lates

**Tigers**  
94.3% 3 lates

**Leopards**  
85.5% 0 lates

**Meerkats**  
95.4% 3 lates

**Eagles**  
96.6% 2 lates

## Clubs

### Mondays

iPad	Mrs Amor
Science	Miss Suthers
Football	Mr Kelly
Rugby	Mrs Hartley
Climbing	Mr Rennardson

### Wednesdays

Art/Craft	Miss England
Football Y5&6	Mr Forrest
Cookery	Mrs Garrard
Dance	Miss Newlove

### Thursdays

Gymnastics	Miss Carter
Film	Mrs Garn
Lego	Mrs Hewitt
Loom Band	Miss Wilkinson
Colouring	Miss Puckering
Football Y3 & 4	Mr Ullah
Recorder	Miss Jeacock
Change for Life	Mrs Hartley

## Upcoming Key Dates

Every Mon 8.45am-9.00am	Stay and Read Years 1 to 3
Every Wed 2.30-3.00pm	Parent Drop in with Mrs Finn & Mrs Leslie
Every Fri 8.45am-9.15am	Phonics Friday for F1&F2
<b>Wed 02/11/16</b>	<b>Eddale Y6</b>
<b>Tues 08/11/16</b>	<b>Parents' Evening 3:15pm - 5:45pm</b>
Tues 15/11/16	Y4 Boys Football Tournament
Thurs 17/11/16	Hobson and Porter Maths Workshop Y5-6
Fri 18/11/16	Children in Need - flyer to follow
Wed 07/12/16	NAPA Performance – letter to follow
Fri 09/12/16	Christmas Fayre
Mon 12/12/16	Music Performance – letter to follow

## Stars of the Week!

Pandas – Jorge Kiel	Ladybirds – Jayden Windass
Frogs – Freya Morris	Sharks – Harrison Skipworth
Spiders – Hollie-Paige Williamson	Leopards – Ashley Southwell
Lions – Julia Lazewska	Meerkats – Diana Bamboi
Penguins – Layla Renton	Tigers – Annie Fairburn
Butterflies – Jayden West	Panthers – Jayden Murray
	Eagles – Cole Hales



It has been amazing in F2 this week! We have been exploring repeating patterns using Numicon and playdough and we even investigated Rangoli patterns! We did plenty of Writing and particularly liked Writing about the sights and sounds of Hull Fair. A big thank you to all the parents who helped make Phonics Friday a big success- We really appreciate your support!

F2 - @EstcourtFS2

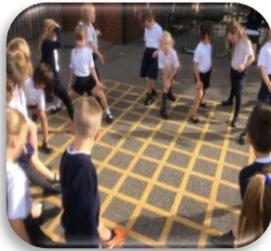


Jungles have continued to excite everyone in F1! The new jungle area has created amazing interest and our boys love to use it as a Writing area! Next week we have some great opportunities and would love to invite you all to stay and cook on Thursday! More information will be found in this weeks letter.

F1 - @EstcourtFS1

Throughout this week Lions and Penguins have been very resilient! We started to use verbs to improve our Story Writing and we really enjoyed learning all about Hull Fair and the British values in Topic. We even completed some fairground themed artwork based on the artist Lowry.

Penguins - @EstcourtYr1



Lions - @EstcourtYear1

A wonderful week has been had by the Butterflies and Ladybirds as we have been looking at Hull Fair. We have had an amazing time being Geographers and we really enjoyed creating our own map of Hull Fair and Writing our own grid references. We also made our own Hull Fair poem which focused on amazing adjectives, we were super resilient!

Ladybirds - @EstcourtYear\_2



Butterflies - @EstcourtYear2



Leopards - @EstcourtYear3

What a busy week in Year 3! In Leopards we really enjoyed our last rugby skills session and played a fantastic game of touch rugby to celebrate. As Writers we have been using a range of compound and complex sentences and can't wait to include them in our Big Writing! In Sharks we thrived in P.E and loved creating a target game which tested our weaving skills.

Sharks - @EstcourtSharks

We made the most of Hull Fair coming to town in Panthers class! We were Historians and looked at what Hull Fair used to look like. Did you know you could win a chicken at Chicken Joes? As Writers we continued to develop our Writing by researching all about Llamas ready for our non-chronological report. Plus, we developed our work on morals and learnt all about what we could do in a variety of situations.

Panthers - @EstcourtYear4



The atmosphere in Meerkats this week has been fantastic! We created our own flags in Topic to represent the vibrancy of Hull and promote the city of culture! As Writers we got the chance to create our very own mythical creature and wrote all about it in Big Writing. Visit our Twitter page to find out what we came up with!

Meerkats - @EstcourtYear4n5

On Thursday our Y6 pupils took part in 'Archifest' at Archbishop Sentamu Academy. Despite the weather conditions, our children thoroughly enjoyed themselves participating in all activities. Our children particularly adored dance, drama and rugby!



### Book Sale!

Exciting news! We are holding a week long book sale from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October. All books will be sold for 20p!

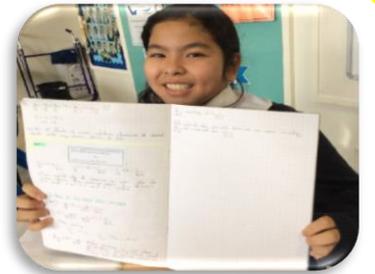


All the children in Tigers have excelled in their Maths this week. We explored a variety of angles and we can locate various angle sizes contextually. We have had a big focus on British Values in Topic and used a story to help our understanding of different faiths and beliefs. We loved learning all about different cultures!

Tigers - @EstcourtYear\_5

There has been a fraction party in the Eagles classroom this week. We have been ordering and comparing fractions to both percentages and decimals and are so proud of how many pupils want to achieve GOLD in their tasks. As well as this we have been looking closely at how British Values link to our home city of Hull! A thought provoking week!

Eagles- @EstcourtYear6



### Safeguarding

At Estcourt Primary Academy, the welfare of all our pupils is of great importance to us and we hope that parents are confident about their children's health and safety whilst in our Academy. We will always try to share any concerns with parents. However, there are times when we are legally obliged to share our concerns with other agencies, without first speaking to parents, or without the consent of parents. The safety and protection of our pupils is our most important concern and we wish to reassure you that any sharing of information is done with the children's best interest at heart. If you have any concerns about the welfare or safety of any child in our Academy, the Safeguarding leader and Emotional Well Being Leader is Mrs Finn, in addition, the Child Protection Officer is Mrs Capon. In her absence, you should contact Mrs Hewitt. They can be contacted through the Academy office. The Academy has a duty to inform parents that there is a prohibition reporting or publishing details (including on social media) that could identify anyone who is subject to allegation.