

Discovery Primary Academy Aspire Discover Achieve

Friday 12th January 2024

Welcome Back

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break. We are so pleased to see everyone return safely ready for a new term. Everyone looked very smart in their academy uniform.

Please remember to make sure that your child/ren have a coat, gloves, and a hat. The children do go out to play at playtime and lunchtime and we want them to be warm especially as the weather is getting colder next week.

Attendance

This week the overall academy attendance was **93.2** % Well done to who **Thor** and **Odin** who both achieved **98.3**%

Please see the link below, with a list of our current Afterschool Clubs

<u>Discovery Primary Academy - Afterschool</u>
Clubs



We are delighted to be supporting the NSPCC by taking part in Number Day on Friday 2nd February 2024. By raising money, we can help to fund their vital services such as Childline – the helpline that is always there for children and young people whatever their problems or concerns. On average, a child contacts Childline every 45 seconds.

Making maths meaningful

Number Day is a great way to make maths fun and bring about a positive, 'can-do' attitude towards it. We are having a fun day of maths activities, and we will be taking part in *Dress Up for Digits* and in return, we are asking that the children bring in a silver coin. Pupils are asked to wear an item of clothing with a number on it (football shirt, cap, netball shirt or even a onesie!). Or get even more creative by dressing in a maths or numbers theme.

We are looking forward to all the fun of Number Day, and we appreciate your support.

All the money we raise at DPA will help to support the NSPCC be there for children today and tomorrow.

Greggs Foundation Breakfast

The Greggs breakfast is getting more and more popular, and it is lovely to see so many children benefiting from something to eat on their way into the academy. Breakfast is handed out from the front of the academy so families who use the Preschool gate are missing out on something to eat on their way in. Please ensure you use the designated gates when entering the academy and do not use the Preschool entrance, as this gate is exclusively for Preschool children. Thank you for your support.

Dates for Your Calendar

Thursday 18th January 2024 – Pabulum's Favourites Day – (Menu attached)

Friday 2nd February 2024 - Number Day

Thursday 8th February 2024 – Academy Disco

Tuesday 13th February 2024 - Parents Evening

Wednesday 14th February 2024 - Parents Evening

Thursday 15th February 2024 – Parents Evening

Friday 16th February 2024 – Half-term

Thursday 14th March 2024 - Yr.5 Trip - National Space Centre

Thursday 21st March 2024 - Yr.1 (Group A) Trip - Ramsey Heights

Friday 22nd March 2024 - Yr.2 (Group B) Trip - Ramsey Heights

Thursday 28th March 2024 – Yr.6 Trip – London Eye and River cruise

Thursday 28th March 2024 – Spring Term Ends

Further details for the disco and Parents Evening follow

NHS Mental Health Service

Text HEAR 85258

NHS Cambridgeshire & Peterborough, in collaboration with SHOUT, has launched HEAR 85258, a free text mental health support service.

By texting HEAR to 85258, individuals in crisis can connect with trained volunteers 24/7. The service is confidential, anonymous, and offers real-time support, guiding texters to local and national mental health services. It's free, discreet, and accessible to residents, workers, and students in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, requiring no app, data, password, or registration

For more information about what mental health services are available in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, visit www.keep-your-head.com

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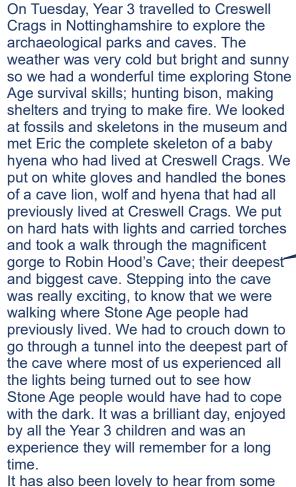


"Fab photos. Ned had a





This place looks amazing. Alfie enjoyed his day, especially 'Spearing mammoths'

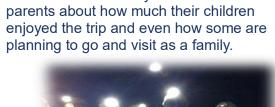


"Pilov has not stanged talking

"Riley has not stopped talking about the trip. He said he really enjoyed it, thank you!"



Thank you so much, Eesa had a fabulous day!















Toby has really enjoyed his day. As a family we are going to have a lovely day out there too, thank you.

Lilah-Rose
hasn't stopped
talking about it,
she's had an
amazing day.
Her grandma
will be taking
her there again

