

## Notices

We have cleared out our outdoor sheds and thrown away all the damaged toys. We would like to ask for any donations of outdoor toys. e.g., scooters, helmets, outdoor games, footballs etc. any Donations would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Two of the boys in Blue 8 playing with the table cricket set.

Great interaction boys well done!





Adem in Red 2 struck a great pose when visiting the Angel of the North this week. Well done Adem, Picture perfect!



Yellow 4 practising their road safety skills.



**Benton Dene School presents....**



## **The Dream Maker**

### **Our annual KS2 Summer Musical!**

The story, written by Blue 6, is inspired by the 60th Anniversary of Martin Luther King's famous speech "I Have A Dream":

*Everyones dreams have been stolen by an evil band of 'Knight-mares'. Only the 'Dream Defenders' can stop them, and ensure that we always have dreams!*

Classes from Red and Blue Zones have been talking about their dreams and aspirations, and have used these to devise their own scene for the show ; they have written their own dialogue, songs and music. They have also designed and made their own costumes, scenery and props. Hope you can come; you are in for a treat! Date for your diaries:

**Friday 10th May 2024**

**1.15pm in the gym.**

For more details please contact your child's class team



# The Graduated Approach Launch Events

Join us for an insightful event where we launch our new graduated approach. We're excited to host two in-person gatherings where you will learn about our approach and preview our new interactive system to support young people with Special Educational Needs in North Tyneside.

## **What is the Graduated Approach?**

This is the approach taken by Education, Health and Care provisions to support children and young people with Special Educational Needs in North Tyneside.

## **When/where?**

- **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2024 @ 10.30am**
- **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2024 @ 1pm**

Both events will be held at Linskill Centre, North Shields, NE30 2AY. Refreshments will be provided.

## **How do I book?**

Please use the Eventbrite QR code/link to book your space.



## **What if I cannot attend these sessions?**

If you cannot attend these in-person events but have any questions, please email [info@ntpcf.co.uk](mailto:info@ntpcf.co.uk) or call/text 07572 787044.

# Class News

Yellow 3: Have been learning about transport this week. We used junk modelling to make a boat and had a boat race in the water tray.

Yellow 4: Have been learning about transport and how to cross the road safely.

Green 5: Have been learning about extreme weather in China. We built 'houses' out of spaghetti and marshmallows and tested to see if they would withstand an earthquake. We also looked at the effects of tsunamis!

Green 6: Have been learning about Seasonal Changes in Science and really enjoyed going on a Spring Walk.

Green 7: Visited the Alan Shearer Centre this week. We loved exploring in the sensory rooms and playing outside with our friends

Green 8: Have been exploring Buddhism and have enjoyed creating our own shrines.

Red 1: This week we have enjoyed learning about our local coastline in Geography.

Red 2: Really enjoyed our trip on the minibus to see the Angel of the North.

Red 3: This week in Red 3 have you enjoyed learning all about Grace Darling and how she is a local Heroine.

Red 4: Have been learning about the human digestive system. They really enjoyed the practical we did, demonstrating the role of key parts of the digestive system.

Red 9: We had a fantastic time at Cullercoats, looking at the caves and talking about how they were formed. We also climbed all the stairs of St. Mary's Lighthouse. In Geography, we have been looking at the differences of physical and human features.

Blue 5: We have started to explore where in the world our food comes from in our Geography lessons. This week we looked at different World maps; focusing on the distance between countries.

Blue 6: Are making comparison between Brazil and England. We have looked at the climate, the flags, where in the world the countries are and we are looking forward to researching more facts.

Blue 7: Have been exploring animal classification, this week we looked at living and non living things. We talked about what all living things have in common.

Blue 8: Are planting onions and carrots in Geography. We are going to advertise them for sale and sell them.



## Headteachers Award



Yellow 3: Max, Yellow 4: Tobi,

Green 5: Kamsi, Green 6: Dylan, Green 7: Ralfie, Green 8: Parker,

Red 1: Jake, Red 2: Frank, Red 3: Walter, Red 4: Mason, Red 9: Archie,

Blue 5: India, Blue 6: David, Blue 7: Olivia, Blue 8: Maizy,



## Inspire Award



Yellow 3: Arjun, Yellow 4: Ruby,

Green 5: Maisie, Green 6: Robbie, Green 7: Ethan, Green 8: Teddy,

Red 1: Noah, Red 2: Jay, Red 3: Euan, Red 4: Lucas, Red 9: Swayze,

Blue 5: Sonny, Blue 6: Tommy, Blue 7: Jaymie, Blue 8: Jawwad,