Moulton Primary School Newsletter Friday 17th October 2025



Dear Parents

It's been another busy and exciting week in school, with so much going on across all year groups. Some of our children have been out taking part in the **Young Citizens Day**, representing our school brilliantly and learning valuable skills for the future. We've also continued our work with our **partnership schools**, sharing ideas and learning together to strengthen our wider school community.

A big thank you to all the parents and carers who attended our **parent meetings** this week — your support and engagement make such a difference to your children's learning.

As we move towards the end of what has been a long and busy term, everyone is looking forward to a well-earned break. With half term now in sight, I'm sure we can all find that final bit of energy to finish the term positively.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Miss Jones

Headteacher

Partnership Bake Off!

A group of our Year 6 children visited Kingsthorpe Grove School this week with Mrs Atkinson to take part in a special **Design** and **Technology "Bake Off" event**. As part of our ongoing collaboration with other schools in Northampton, this exciting opportunity allowed the children to enhance their baking skills in line with the Design and Technology curriculum. It was a fun, hands-on experience that encouraged creativity, teamwork, and practical learning — and the delicious results were enjoyed by all!

Mufti Day – Friday 24th October

We're holding a Mufti Day on Friday 24th October in exchange for a donation towards our Christmas Hampers. Members of FOMPS will be on the school driveway that morning to collect your donations directly. All contributions, big or small, are greatly appreciated and will help make our hampers extra special this year!

Information about how to be in with a chance of winning a hamper will be sent out in due course, keep an eye out!

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask. Thank you for your support!

Christmas Lunch – 11th December

We are looking forward to providing Christmas lunch for your children this year and as with previous years for all of those children wanting to join in they will need to order this through Meal Manager. The deadline to order will be before 9am the Thursday prior to the week in which Christmas lunch is provided.

To ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience for everyone, please note the following for Christmas lunch day:

- Late orders will not be available on the day
- We are not able to provide no band meals for any children who have not pre-ordered through Meal Manager. Those who miss the deadline for ordering will need to send in a packed lunch from home.

We appreciate your support in helping us make Christmas lunch a special occasion for all the children. Please ensure orders are placed in good time to avoid disappointment.

If you have any questions or need help with Meal Manager, please don't hesitate to contact Fresh Start directly on support@freshstartcatering.uk

Poppy Appeal 2025



We are proud to be supporting the Royal British Legion's Poppy Appeal once again this year. Poppies have now arrived in school, and our Year 6 pupils will be visiting classrooms during the week commencing **Monday 3rd November** to offer poppies and related merchandise in exchange for donations.

If you would like your child to take part, please send them in with **silver coins only** during that week. They will be able to choose an item from the available poppy merchandise in return for their donation.

Thank you for your continued support of this important cause.

<u>Donations Request – Toys and Books for Playtime</u>

We kindly request your support in donating any old or unused items that could be enjoyed by our children during break and lunchtimes. We are currently looking for the following:

- Toy cars
- LEGO/Duplo
- Car mats
- Dolls and doll's clothes
- Action figures
- Children's reading books



If you have any of these items at home and are happy to part with them, please feel free to drop them off at the school office.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will help enhance the children's playtime experiences.

Thank you for your continued support.

Last Chance - Harvest

Moulton Primary School will hold an assembly on Monday lead by, Jenna Griffiths from the McCarthy-Dixon Foundation who will speak to the children about the charity.

The McCarthy-Dixon Foundation is a community-focused charity addressing isolation, mental health issues, and financial hardship. It supports local residents through food aid, social engagement, and educational programs. This year, we invite those who wish to participate to donate tinned or non-perishable food items and small toiletries. These contributions will be delivered to the McCarthy-Dixon Foundation to aid those in need.

Last chance to bring all food contributions will be on Monday 20th October.

We sincerely thank you for any donations you can offer. Thank you for your continued support.

The Classroom News

Year 3

This week, Year 3 have been thoroughly enjoying their Design and Technology learning on textiles, exploring the key question 'How can you make a box out of cloth?'. For this, children have explored ways to stiffen fabric, by testing different solutions sugar as sugar and water, and flour and water. They then had the opportunity to cover a box with cloth and then trying to create a rigid box using their chosen solution!





Dates in the Diary

DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT	TIME
20th October	Year 5 and 6	Hockey Competition	After school - 5.40pm
21st October	Year 6	Life Education Visitor	Normal School Hours
6th November	Year 6	SATs Information Meeting	9am, 3.30pm, 6pm
12th November	Tull Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
12th November	Prospective EYFS parents	EYFS Tour	6:00 PM
13th November	Crick Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
14th November	Spencer Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
18th November	Whole School	School photos - individual and sibling	Normal School Hours

19th November	Year 3	School Trip	8.50 - 3.45pm
20th November	Whole School	Flu Vaccinations	Normal School Hours
23rd November	Year 6 Strictly	Strictly Juniors	1:00 PM
6th December	Year 6	Windrush Workshop	Normal School Hours
11th December	Whole School	Christmas Dinner Day (requires booking via fresh start)	Normal School Hours
17th December	KS2	Christmas school trip - Royal & Derngate	Normal School Hours
19th December	EYFS & KS1	Christmas school trip - Royal & Derngate	Normal School Hours
20th January	Year 5	School Trip - National Space Centre	8.50am - 4pm
26th January	4, 5 & 6	Young Voices	TBC
4th March	Whole School	Class photo's	Normal School Hours
27th April	Spencer Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
28th April	Tull Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
29th April	Crick Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
11th May - 13th May	Year 4	Residential	TBC
11th - 14th May	Year 6	SATs	Normal School Hours
1st June - 5th June	Year 6	PGL	TBC
15th June	Crick Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
16th June	Spencer Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
17th June	Tull Family	Maths Morning	8.30 - 9.15am
17th June	Year 5	Workshop - Past Productions	Normal School Hours

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