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'Time flies when you are having fun'..... This is certainly the case as we come to the end of another month and move forwards towards Advent. Lots of children have told me they have their trees up already and others are very excited about preparing for the festivities. At school we are also very excited as Tallington Farm have very kindly donated a Christmas tree which we look forward to decorating. We are also making plans with Father Ed to safely carry out services across this festive time. As well as all the excitement, children continue to focus in class and work with great enthusiasm in all areas of our curriculum.

Peterborough United

Children from years 2 - 6 have had the opportunity to interview Dan Butler from Peterborough United via Zoom. They asked some great questions and as always represented the school fantastically. It gave them a good insight into what it is like to be a professional sports person and how hard they have to work.

Skills Builder

So far the children have focused on listening, staying positive, teamwork and aiming high, our skill for the next fortnight will be Speaking. Children will think carefully about how they can articulate their thoughts, think about when is the right time to do so and how to do it with confidence.

Safeguarding

Safeguarding continues to be at the heart of all we do at Edenham, and as always it is the responsibility of everyone within our community. Miss Jarvis has completed her Designated Safeguarding Lead training to improve our capacity further within school.

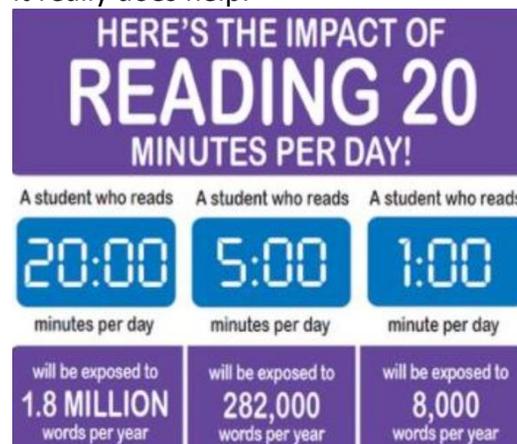
Poppy Appeal

Thank you so much for your generosity, we raised over £90.00 which is a fantastic amount to help those in need.



Reading

Children have a much improved attitude to reading and it fantastic to see them taking a real enjoyment of a variety of texts. Thank you for the support you give your children when reading at home with them, it really does help.



Prize Draw

Thank you to those who have donated prizes for our draw, details on how you can enter this will be with you shortly. If you still wanted to donate a prize, please contact the office.

Sponsored Step - a - thon

We want to encourage children to live healthy life styles, both physically and mentally. To achieve this, we will be gifting each child a step-o-meter. This will then be used to help us with our sponsored step-a-thon. We are very excited about using our Maths, Geography and many other skills whilst on our quest to cover 90 miles! Further details regarding this will come out on Monday 30th November.

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Christmas Lunch

Our Christmas Lunch for the children will be on Tuesday 15th December. If you would like to order a Christmas Lunch for your child please log on to Willoughby Foods to place the order. Please note that orders for this day will need to be done by Tuesday 8th December. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Jumper Day is on Friday 11th December, further details about this day we will come out nearer the time.



Christmas Cards

Christmas cards can be bought into school on the dates below and will be sent home as follows:-

Bought in Monday 30th November/Tuesday 1st December – Sent Home 4th December.

Bought in Monday 7th/Tuesday 8th December – Sent home 11th December.

Clothing

The weather has certainly changed now; however, we continue to keep doors and windows open to ensure we have suitable ventilation. We also go outside for break times, Forest School and P.E in all weathers - please make sure your children come to school with suitable clothing that is named.

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KIDS CORNER

Each week children will have a chance to become a 'journalist' and add to our newsletter. This week it is the turn of children in Blackman Class:

What a busy week Blackman class have had!

Football Zoom

On the 19th November around four people from every class got the chance to zoom Posh Football.

Each person got to ask a question some of these were: Do you have to buy your own football boots? This was a wonderful experience and really fun.

Bug Hotels

On Friday, during forest school, Blackman Class made bug hotels out of tins, leaves and sticks.

This lesson was really fun and we hope to see some inhabitants soon, this was incredibly fun and I'm glad we did it.

Maths

In Blackman Class this week they have been multiplying and dividing fractions of amounts, it was very fun.

English

We are on our learning journey of writing our own narratives based on chapter 6 from 'Toms' Midnight Garden. We have been learning different language features to be able to apply to our own writing in lessons to come.

Written by pupils from Blackman Class