



THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

Everyone, Every chance, Everyday!

This week we have been supporting Drowning Prevention Week with a range of water safety sessions across school. These important lessons help children understand how to stay safe in and around water, particularly as we approach the summer months. Recent local tragedies show why this is so vital, with child drowning deaths in England having doubled in recent years, and many incidents occurring when children are unsupervised.

Year 4 have been enjoying their tennis coaching sessions with James from Riddlesden tennis club. This was funded by Sports England and Sangat community centre.

We welcomed families to our Year 3 class assembly where children confidently shared their learning on the Romans, alongside a French retelling of The Hungry Caterpillar. On Friday, Year 3 took part in practical road safety training in the local area, where they learned how to stay safe as pedestrians and confidently practise crossing roads.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday:

- Year 6 Linking Schools event at Bradford City

Wednesday:

- Year 6 Tribe Day
- Teddy Bears Picnic for new Reception intake and Nursery new starters visiting, 2-3pm

Thursday:

- **Year 4** Play with the Halle at St George's Hall
- **Reception** Stay & Play, 2.30pm

Friday:

- **Year 1** TRIBE day

VALUES EDUCATION

Following on from our worships about empathy last week, we have had some lovely news from the Malachi Project, the organisation that repairs school desks for primary schools in Malawi. In many of these schools, class sizes exceed 60 pupils, there is no electricity, and children often sit on the floor during lessons. In November, our pupils experienced this for themselves by working without electricity or sitting on the floor for part of the day.

This week I received a message to say that, thanks to our fundraising, we raised enough to provide a full set of desks for a class ahead of their final exams. These were completed on 6th June at Mthiransembe Primary School, a very rural school nearly 45 minutes from the nearest tarmac road. The children were incredibly grateful to have 20 refurbished desks so they could sit at "new" desks for their exams. Thank you for your support!



SAFEGUARDING

Football doesn't cause domestic abuse, but incidents can increase or become more severe around key matches, due to triggers such as heightened emotions and alcohol abuse. Follow this link to add your name to the Women's aid campaign or if you have any concerns.

He's Coming Home.

Women's Aid is asking everyone to come together and unite against domestic abuse.

#FootballUnited AgainstDomesticAbuse

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If you need help, for local and national support services go to: www.womensaid.org.uk

If you are worried about your behaviour in a relationship, go to: www.respect.uk.net

#EndAbuseTogether **women's aid**
and women & children are safe



Page Turner Stars:

Haider (Y3)
Gracie (Y4)
Jamie (Y5)
Jacob (Y6)



Sport Stars:

Sophie (Y3)
Saeed (Y4)
Jacob (Y5)
Libby (Y6)



Values Stars:

Hallie (Y3)
Elise (Y4)
Penny (Y5)
Blake (Y6)

This week's Attendance Award Winners

Year 4



NOTICEBOARD

HELP US WIN £1,000 FOR OUR LIBRARY

Nominate us and you could win a £100 gift card!

nationalbooktokens.com/schools-prize



GO ALL IN.

#rebuildthelibrary

Have your say!

The consultation period for our Relationships and Health Education Policy is still open. Please follow this link to provide feedback.

School dinners

Next week's menu will be **Menu 2**. Visit the school website for current menus. For more detailed nutritional information, visit the caterer's website.

Absence requests

All requests for absence during school time, other than for medical appointments, should be submitted using [Bradford's online request form.](#)

Upcoming events

- 29th June** Nursery farm visit
- 29th June** Year 3 visiting Christchurch Primary
- 29th/30th June** Year 6 Bikeability
- 2nd July** Year 4 Class assembly, 9am
- 2nd July** Year 2 Filey Trip
- 3rd July** Non-uniform for Chocolate donations
- 3rd July** Art Gallery (After school in the Hall)
- 4th July** Summer Fair
- 8th July** Nursery Sports morning
- 8th July** Year 6 Show, 6pm
- 9th July** Sports Day (from 12.45pm, Morton rec)
- 13th July** Year 6 Leavers Service, 2pm
- 15th July** Reception Music assembly, 9am
- 16th July** Stars of the year, 2pm
- 16th July** 6pm Music concert
- 17th July** School Closes for Summer

Friends of Morton

Our **Summer Fair** is 3 weeks away....[please follow this link for our Doodle Poll where volunteers can book their preferred time slot.](#) We really do need as many pairs of hands as possible to ensure this is again, another epic day!!! Even if you can just spare an hour of your time, this would be greatly appreciated!! Our **Teddy Appeal** is still ongoing...we've had a fantastic response from the local and wider community...please keep the donations coming...we guarantee every Teddy will find a new home!! This year will also see the return of the **Morton Superstars**!! 2 children from each class (Nursery to Yr6) will be chosen (at random) to be one of our VIPs!!



If you are attending the Summer Fair and you would like your child to be in with a chance.. please complete the online form via the following link to register them:

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER BY 26th June 9am



MORTON FAIR
1PM UNTIL 4PM
SATURDAY 4th July
@ EAST MORTON PRIMARY, BD20 5SE
GAMES • BBQ AND FOOD • REFRESHMENTS
LIVE PERFORMANCES/ENTERTAINMENT
ICE CREAMS • BOUNCY CASTLES • FACE PAINTING
FAIRGROUND FUN • TOMBOLAS • CANDY FLOSS
AND SO MUCH MORE!
EVERYONE WELCOME, INVITE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS
A FUN DAY OUT IN OUR VILLAGE



Who will be our...
MORTON FAIR SUPERSTARS
@ EAST MORTON PRIMARY, BD20 5SE
2 children will be drawn in advance from each class and presented with a medal and a surprise at Morton Fair's Superstars Ceremony 2026
SEE YOU THERE!

Spaces available in school

We currently have spaces available in several classes across the school (all year groups except current reception and year 6). Please feel free to pass this information on to anyone who might be interested! We also have some spaces in our Nursery for September 2026.



Important reminder

The outdoor equipment (including the slacklines) should **not** be played on before or after school.



Follow us on **Social Media** on [Facebook](#) or Twitter for regular updates and news.



Wanted!!

Pre-loved teddies needed for the Morton Fair Teddy Tombola

To be brought to the school office by 1st July

