



Nevill Road Junior School

Parent Newsletter – 24.3.23



Dear Families,

We have been celebrating National Poetry Week, which started with a visit from the local poet Matt Goodfellow. For the first time in the year we



managed to fit all 345 of our children in to the school hall for an assembly, where Matt captivated us all through his story telling and performance poetry. He then delivered workshops and had an interview with the school journalists. We also have a signed copy of his poems in each classroom for the children and staff to read. Many children have since been inspired to write their own poems, which will be shared in next week's newsletter.

Our Curriculum

Year 5 have had a wonderful time using paper mache to create their own totem pole sculptures in their art lessons, inspired by their Geography Topic of North America.

Also in their Geography lessons, Year 4 have been learning about earthquakes and volcanoes. They had lots of fun using biscuits to represent the earth and show how tectonic plates move against each other.



If you want to find out more about our curriculum and the children's learning, please follow us on twitter @NRJuniors.

Diary Dates

Friday 31st March – End of Term

Monday 17th April – return to school

- Y6 visit to the Stockport air raid shelters (6B ½ 6H)

Tuesday 18th – Wednesday 19th April – Y5 Castleton residential

Monday 24th April - Y6 visit to the Stockport air raid shelters (6C ½ 6H)

Monday 1st May – Bank Holiday, school closed.

Thursday 4th May – Polling Day, school closed.

Monday 8th May – Bank Holiday, school closed.

Tuesday 9th – Friday 12th May – Y6 Statutory Assessments (SATs)

Friday 19th May – ASPIRE Day (Coronation theme)

Wednesday 24th May – School Photos

Friday 26th May – End of term

Please note there may be further dates added to the diary as more events are confirmed.

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