

Hello everyone

A very **BIG congratulations to Husna in Year 3** who is the **winner of our Homework Diary front cover competition!** We look forward to giving everyone a new diary in September with our helpful 'think before you click' digital safety tips!

I am delighted to share that everyone who attended the **Attendance Gold Award trip to Twin Lakes** had a brilliant time—I think a particular highlight was the hilarious time had in the splash park! Well done to everyone who attended and thank you for being excellent ambassadors for Thornton.

I am also excited to share a super fun activity we have planned for all children on the last day, **Friday**, to reward them for their hard work. We will have **4 bouncy castles** in the playgrounds (or in the halls if the weather is wet) and a timetable to make sure every class gets chance for a bounce!



I also want to share our **heartfelt thanks** to the **Mrs Miah, our fantastic Tesco Community Champion**, who has worked tirelessly to support both the pupils and staff at Thornton. Her care and commitment to helping everyone is outstanding and we are so grateful of all the love she has shown out #thorntonfamily.

Think before you click!
STAY SMART ONLINE!



Please remember that next week **IS A NON-UNIFORM WEEK AGAIN** and we have:

Monday 13th July—Year 3 Sports Day

Tuesday 14th July—Bastille Day (non uniform, wear red, white, and blue)

Friday 17th July—last day and bouncy castle fun for all pupils!

Wednesday 2nd September 8.30am —ALL pupils return to school

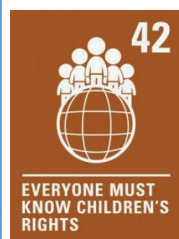


And finally, it is with great sadness that I share the extremely sad news about the passing of **our lovely lollipop lady, Ann Carty**, who worked at the top of Thornton Road on the Washwood Heath Road for many years serving our #thorntonfamily with the utmost of care and cheerfulness. We will all really miss her and send our heartfelt condolences to her family.

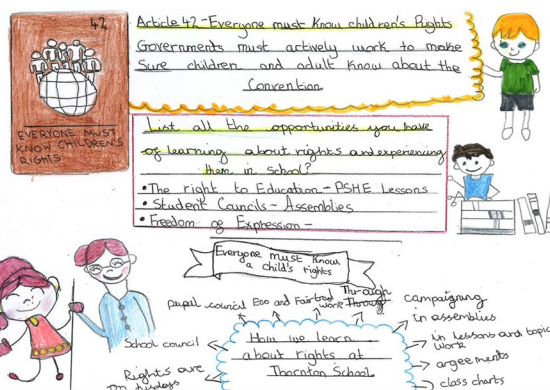
Wishing everyone a calm and cool weekend.

Cathy Grace, Headteacher

ARTICLE OF THE WEEK



Article 42 - Everyone must know Children's Rights
Governments must actively work to make sure children and adults know about the Convention.



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School Attendance

Every day
COUNTS!

School success starts
with attendance

Class Attendance

Well Done to **3ST, 4SH, 4AA** and **5ST** for achieving our school attendance target of 97% and above for last week!

Our school attendance last week was 94.5%

PE TIMETABLE

Monday 13th July
Year 3 Sports Day
and Year 4 PE

Tuesday 14th July
NO SWIMMING
NO PE

Wednesday 15th July
Year 3

Thursday 16th July
Year 5

Friday 17th July
NO PE FOR YEAR 6

Bastille Day Tuesday 14th July

Miquil Catering are hosting a special celebration Meal for **Bastille Day**, on Tuesday 14th July for all the pupils that have a school meal.

If your child usually brings a packed lunch to school and would like a Bastille Day Meal, please call the school office to book the meal.

The cost is £2.70 per meal, and this will need to be paid using ParentPay our online payment system.



School Term Dates -Year 2026

Summer Holidays

Monday 20th July to Monday 31st August

Autumn Term 1

School closed to all pupils for Teacher Training Day Tuesday 1st September

All pupils return on

Wednesday 2nd September from 8.30am and by 8.45am



Dinner and Club money payment reminders

Thank you to all parents who continue to pay regularly into ParentPay for their child's meals and club payments. Regular payments can prevent unmanageable debts.

As we are nearing the end of term could parents please make sure that all balances are kept up to date. All meals must be paid for in advance or by the end of the week at the latest. Payments must be made on ParentPay. Thank you.



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