

**Themed days and weeks at Moorside Infant and Junior Schools 2018-19**

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| **Theme day(s)** | **Purpose** | **Dates and number of days** | **Lead planner** |
| **AUTUMN TERM 2018** |  |  |  |
| **Jeans for Genes** | To raise funds to support a range of initiatives that improve the quality of life of children and families affected by genetic disorders and make pupils more aware and empathetic of the difficult lives that other children lead. **Fundraising for jeans for genes**. | 21.9.18 | KS2 School Council – Paul Price |
| **European day of languages and Macmillan coffee morning**  **(MFL and Art)** | The children will imitate the work of a chosen European artist, to explore cultures and the history of art across different countries (linked to our ‘Does it matter where we come from? Theme in KS2) and display their masterpieces at a Macmillan coffee morning event to **Fundraising for** **cancer charities**. | 26.9.18/28.9.18 | Helen Bailey |
| **Black History Month of October**  **(History ad FBV))** | **Black History Month** is a time to celebrate black history, heritage and **culture**. A visiting Kenyan storyteller will ignite the imaginations of pupils to strengthen their understanding of other cultures and the contributions that they make to British society. | w/c 1.10.18. | Helen R and Rachel |
| **East Barnby** | Y6 Residential | w/c 8.10.18 | Helen R |
| **ART week** | Resident Ks3 Artist to deliver the art curriculum linked to our topic with Ks2 | w/c 15.10.18 | Chris Moss |
| **Harvest** | **KS1 Harvest Assembly** – religious festival to understand using the land to grow our food and how some countries find it difficult to produce healthy fruit and vegetables/crops because of drought or flooding. **Donations to the Salvation Army foodbank** | 19.10.18 | Jess |
| **Armisitice Day/Friends of the forces celebration**  **(FBV)** | To reflect and be thankful for the sacrifices made by others. To respect the freedom of British culture.  To understand the role of the **armed forces** today and how we can support their families (Ripon Cathedral Service). **Fundraising for the Royal British Legion.** | 9.11.18  (Sunday 11th November- Parade in Ripon) | Claire R and Sally |
| **Anti-Bullying Week**  **(Wear Blue Day)** | To understand the different forms of **bullying** with a focus on **online safety**/social media (keeping children safe 2018) and strategies used to prevent bullying in and outside of school. Theme: Choose **Respect** | 12th-16th November | Gemma |
| **Autumn Term Assessment week** | Children to complete standardised assessments | w/c 26th November | All staff |
| Parent progress meetings | Parents and teachers to review children’s progress and target areas. | w/c 3.12.17 (Not 5.12.18) | All staff |
| **-Christmas food and craft fair**  **-Nativity productions (EYFS/KS1)**  **-Christmas performance- showcase WW2**  **-Carols around the tree**  **(Music/RE/drama/dance/enterprise)** | Friends of Moorside Fundraising  Understanding the Christmas story(RE)  Understanding the history of Christmas in the trenches  Christmas carols and music to symbolise the Christmas story | 7.12.18  14and 15.12.18  16 and 17.12.18 | Ks1 and 2 teams |
| **SPRING TERM 2019** |  |  |  |
| **Wolf Brother Y5 Residential** | Cross curricular writing and outdoor learning project. | 16.1.19-18.1.19 | Mel Moss |
| **Month of Reading Madness**  **(including a poetry competition)**  **(English & SDP)** | Promote reading for enjoyment. (26th Jan-2nd Feb is National Storytelling week; an annual event which aims to raise awareness of this ancient form of entertainment. Over 350 nationwide storytelling events took place last year!) | 1st to 28th Feb 2019 | Helen R |
| **Chinese New Year** | Learning about stories and beliefs from another culture and how Chinese new year is celebrated across the world. | 4th February (5th Feb) | Hannah J  Lisa Lodge |
| **Safer Internet Day**  **(ICT)** | To promote **internet** **safety** and responsible use of online technology, social media (UKS2) and mobile phones. | 5th February | Mel Moss |
| **World Book Day** (**Reading)** | Celebrating books and Authors | 7.3.19 | Helen R |
| **World Maths (challenge) day (Maths)** | To promote multiplication learning/raise **maths** standards | 12.3.19 | Claire B |
| **Spring Term Assessment week** | Children to complete standardised assessments | w/c 11th March 2019 | All staff |
| **Comic Relief** | Learning about world poverty and the various religious and non-religious charities (Christian Aid and Cafod) who work together to provide resources for basic needs such as shelter, food and water to be met for other children.  **Fundraising for comic relief** | 15th March 2019 | Rachel T |
| **Parent progress meetings** | Parents and teachers to review children’s progress and target areas. | w/c 19.3.18 | All staff |
| **Science week** | British Science Week (BSW) is a celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths - featuring fascinating, entertaining and engaging events and activities.  We will invite a planetarium to visit Moorside in line with our topic learning about Earth and Space. | 9th-17th March 2019 | Claire B/Scott |
| **SUMMER TERM 2019** |  |  |  |
| **SATS week** | End of KS2 assessments (Year 6) | 13.5.18 | SLT/Helen R |
| **KS1 SATS** | End of KS1 assessments (Year 2) | May 2018 | SLT/ Jess and Claire |
| **Phonics Screening Tests** | KS1 phonics screening assessments (Y1/2 re takes) | w/c 10.6.18 | Michelle and Jess |
| **Refugee Week** | Working with Ripon city of sanctuary to explore what a refugee is, negative perceptions of refugees and what it means to seek sanctuary. | 17th-23rd June | Lisa/ |
| **National Sports week** | Celebrating the role of play and sport in education | 24th-28th June 2019 | Paul |
| **Spring Watch**  **Hedgehog awareness day.** | Nocturnal animals-looking after nature in our community and on our school grounds- fundraising | TBC | Bridget |
| **Enterprise and Arts Fair** | Children to achieve economic well-being through a whole school fund raising event: how far can I stretch my pound? | TBC | Year 6 with Miss Rogan |
| **Parent progress meetings** | Parents and teachers to review children’s progress and target areas. | w/c 1st July 2018 | All staff |
| **Y6 Summer Performance** | To be confirmed…… | TBC | Year 6 with Miss Rogan |
| **Sports Day** | KS1 am and KS2 pm | 17th July | All staff |
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