



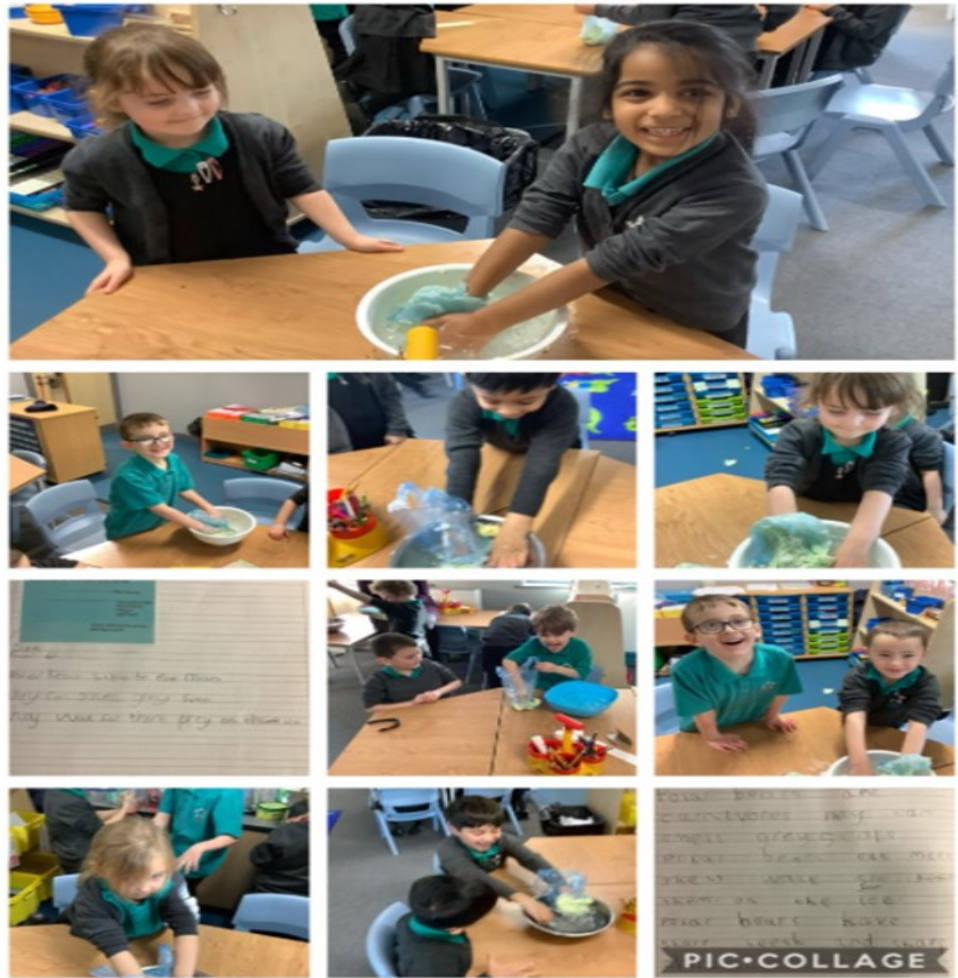
7th January 2022

Holden Clough Newsletter

Stars of the Week

Sophie & Charlie	1KH
Safa & Curtis	1JS
Amarah & Shikemi	2SJ
George & Zaara	2GG
Aarav & Jake	3DH
Evie & Heidi	3GE
Millie S & Rishik	4SP
Rahul & Jack	4DL
Damon & Haaris	5DP
Haris & Isaac	5CH
Everyone	6AP
Mia & Elise	6AH

This week in 1JS



Dates to remember

- 10.01.22 - After School Sports club start.
- 31.01.22 - 1st Payment due for the Year 6 residential.
- 02.02.22 - Year 3 trip to Eureka!
- 11.02.22 - 13.02.22 - Year 4 & 5 residential trip to Robinwood.

In 1JS we have been enjoying our topic 'Come Fly with me - Arctic' we learnt how animals adapt to live in the harsh conditions. We did a fun Science experiment using margarine, butter, plastic bags, and ice cold water!

In Literacy we have been finding out lots of information about polar bears and making our own fact files.

Spring Term 1 Sports Clubs

All of the following clubs finish at 4.10pm and children should be collected from the school office. Clubs start from Monday 10th January.

Monday

- Year 5 & 6 Dodgeball - Full
- Year 3 & 4 Football with Curzon Ashton - Full

Tuesday

- Year 3 & 4 Dodgeball - Full

Wednesday

- Year 3 & 4 Handball - Spaces available
- Year 4, 5 & 6 Dance - Spaces available

Thursday

- Year 1 & 2 Multi-Skills & Games - Spaces available

Friday

- Year 5 & 6 Handball - Spaces available

Robinwood February 2022

The final instalment of £60.00 is due today, Friday, 7th January 2022.

Please ensure all payments are received today to guarantee your child's place.



Is Your Child Eligible for Free School Meals / Pupil Premium?

Did you know that School can claim additional funds from central Government for **every** child in **ANY** year group whose Parent/Carer is receiving one of the welfare benefits listed below?

- Universal Credit, provided they have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400 (£616.67 per month)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided they are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190, as assessed by HMRC
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

The additional funds are put towards valuable support like extra tuition, additional teaching and pupil welfare or after school activities. If eligible, your child will also have the option of enjoying a Free School Meal every day.

So if you are in receipt of any of the benefits listed above we would be very grateful if you could complete the online form at www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims-tameside and check your eligibility.

Reporting Absence

If your child is absent from school please ensure you report their absence to the school office as soon as possible on the first day and each day thereafter. There is a facility to report pupil absence via our switchboard 0161 330 5248.

Alternatively, you can send an email to attendance@holdenclough.tameside.sch.uk.

Any unreported absences will be recorded as UNAUTHORISED until an acceptable reason for the absence is provided.

Also, please DO NOT use Class Dojo to report absence.