

News from Nenthead Summer 1 2024

Wow, what a half term it's been! The music visitors we had online really blew us away and left us feeling truly inspired. They brought us together to appreciate our diversity but also to unite around a shared vision of celebrating our differences.

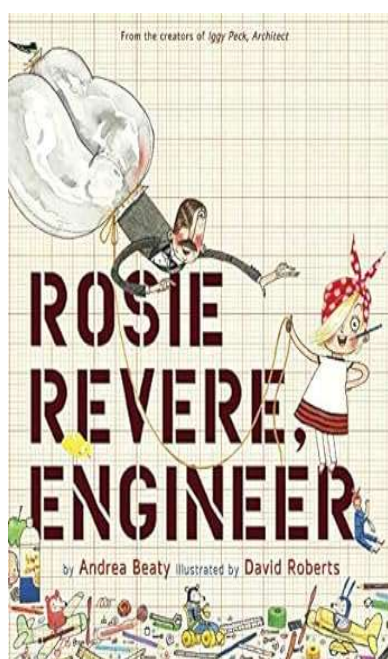
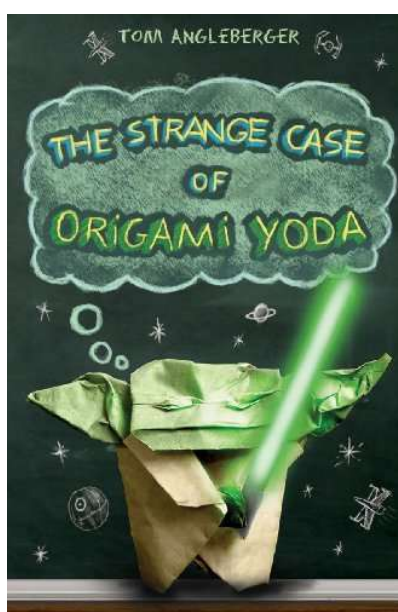
As we lead up to the quieter half term before SATs, we're gearing up for an action-packed summer ahead following half term. We've got so many exciting activities and events planned that will keep us all engaged and having a blast.

Let's keep up the great work and continue to support each other as we navigate through the remaining challenges of the school year. Remember, we're in this together and together we can achieve anything!

Mrs B

We Will Be Reading.....

Meet Dwight, a sixth-grade oddball. Dwight does a lot of weird things, like wearing the same T-shirt for a month or telling people to call him "Captain Dwight." This is embarrassing, particularly for Tommy, who sits with him at lunch every day. But Dwight does one cool thing. He makes origami. One day he makes an origami finger puppet of Yoda. And that's when things get mysterious. Origami Yoda can predict the future and suggest the best way to deal with a tricky situation. His advice actually works, and soon most of the sixth grade is lining up with questions.



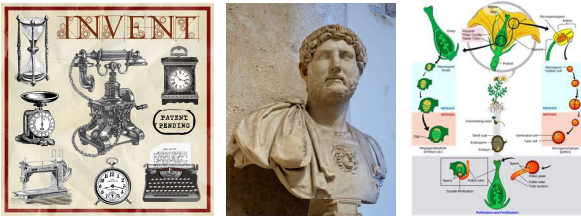
Rosie may seem quiet during the day, but at night she's a brilliant inventor of gizmos and gadgets who dreams of becoming a great engineer. When her Great, Great Aunt Rose (Rosie the Riveter) comes for a visit and mentions her one unfinished goal--to fly--Rosie sets to work building a contraption to make her aunt's dream come true. Her invention complete, Rosie attempts a test flight--but after a moment, the machine crashes to the ground. Discouraged, Rosie deems the invention a failure, but Aunt Rose insists that on the contrary, it was a raging success. You can only truly fail, she explains, if you quit. Reassured, Rosie returns to her engineering and inspires her classmates to join in the fun.

In Key Stage 1, our students will be exploring the fascinating world of inventions. They will learn about the inventors who have shaped our world and have the chance to design and build their own inventions.

Moving on to Key Stage 2, our students will go on a whistle-stop journey through Roman history. They will delve into the intriguing lives of the Romans, learning about their achievements and legacy that still influences us today.

We will also be studying lifecycles through engaging and informative non-fiction writing, honing their writing skills and expanding their knowledge.

We look forward to seeing the continued growth and development of our students as they delve deeper into these captivating topics.



Exciting news this half term as we dive into the world of Internet safety. This time for parents and carers.

We are planning a special workshop/drop-in session to discuss online safety and the use of messaging apps. We understand the importance of staying safe online and want to equip you and your children with the knowledge to navigate the digital world confidently.

Stay tuned for more details on the workshop date and time.

If you have any questions or concerns in the meantime, please don't hesitate to reach out. Your safety and well-being are our top priorities.



Important Dates

Clubs for Next half term 3.15-4.00pm

Tuesday/Thursday- Advance booking essential-Art project with local artist Lionel Playford Times to be confirmed

Friday-Construction Club

School reopens Tuesday 16th April

Wednesday 24th April-Key Stage 1 Sports Festival Culgaith 11.30-3.30pm

Friday 26th April- Key Stage 2 Hexham Queens Hall Claire Baldwin-Animal Allstars 12.30-3.30pm

W/b 13th May -Year 6 SATS

W/b 20th May -Year 2 SATS

Wednesday 22nd May -Key Stage 2 Tri Golf Festival Culgaith 11.30-3.30pm

W/b 3rd June Year 4 Times Tables Check

Friday 7th June-Whole School Swimming commences 5 sessions

W/b 10th June Phonics Screening Checks

Tuesday June 18th-Whole School City Visit-Museum workshops and meal 8.30-5.30pm

Wednesday 26th June Key Stage 1 Olympics at Culgaith 11.30-3.30pm

Thursday 4th July Key Stage 2 to Raby Estate

Monday 8th July 1 Wednesday 10th July-Key Stage 2 Residential Robinwood

Friday 2.30pm Taize Service-St Augustine's Alston

Monday 15th July-Performance Evening 6.00pm

Thursday 18th July-Whole School The Big Sleepover 6.30pm

Friday 19th July-Community Breakfast and Leavers Assembly 8.30-9.30am

School Closes for Summer