

# Northaw Newsround

Friday 3 October 2025

*Even the wisest mind has something yet to learn – George Santayana*

## Head's Lines

October is Black History Month. This year, the theme, Standing Firm in Power and Pride, is a powerful tribute to the resilience, strength, and unwavering commitment to progress that defines the Black community across the globe and highlights the profound contributions made by Black people be they leaders, activists, or pioneers who have shaped history, while also looking towards a future of continued empowerment, unity, and growth.



Amy has already been in touch about arranging appointments for parents' evenings. As you know, I also teach many of the children regularly:

- Y1/Y2 geography/history
- Y3/Y4 French
- Y3/Y4 times tables
- Y3 maths
- Y5/Y6 French
- Y5/Y6 geography/history
- Y6 arithmetic

I am, of course, available for consultation informally at both events along with Mrs Whitaker for matters relating to SEND.

Dr James Inglis  
Headteacher

This half term, our value in focus is **generosity**.



*Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Romans 12:12*

There is a prayer box near the signing-in point for parents – a group share requests confidentially. Our Reflection Champions maintain a prayer tree for pupils. They have written this prayer for us this week:

Dear God,

We pray for the victims of the attack on the Jewish community in Manchester yesterday. We also pray for a good harvest. Thank you for a beautiful world.

Amen

The headteacher has chosen this scripture for us this week:

*Give generously to them and do so without a grudging heart; then because of this the Lord your God will bless you in all your work and in everything you put your hand to. Deuteronomy 15:10*

Loving for today,  
Learning for tomorrow,  
Forever in faith



# GOING FOR GOLD

## Attendance Matters

The class with the highest attendance this week is **Apples & Pears**.

## Five-Star Fashion

Amelia

Tilly

## House Credits

Narnia	16
Neverland	57
Oz	25
Wonderland	25

## Mind Your Manners

Harry M

Elysia

Oliver P

## 6Rs Stars

ACORNS

Sienna

APPLES & PEARS

Leo

Rosieanne

WILLOW

Golden Ticket

OAK

Yianna-Rose

Louis

## Thank You For The Music

Christina

## Times Tables Rock Stars

**Year 4** had the highest average number of correct answers in Battle of the Bands this week.

## Upcoming Events

6 October

The Bishop's  
Harvest Appeal

7 October

Stay & Learn

10 October

Hello Yellow

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## Collecting Children

If you have arranged for someone else to collect your child after school, please inform Amy directly.

## Families First



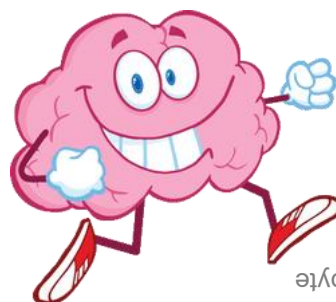
Families First is the term used in Hertfordshire for services that work together to support families who need extra help. We all experience difficulties at some point. Families First can help you find early help and information to prevent issues from getting worse.

## Managing Medicines

We can only administer non-prescription medicines when they have been recommended by a professional, e.g. GP, and written consent has been provided beforehand.

## Dr Inglis' Brain Training

What did the computer do for lunch?



Answer: He had a byte