

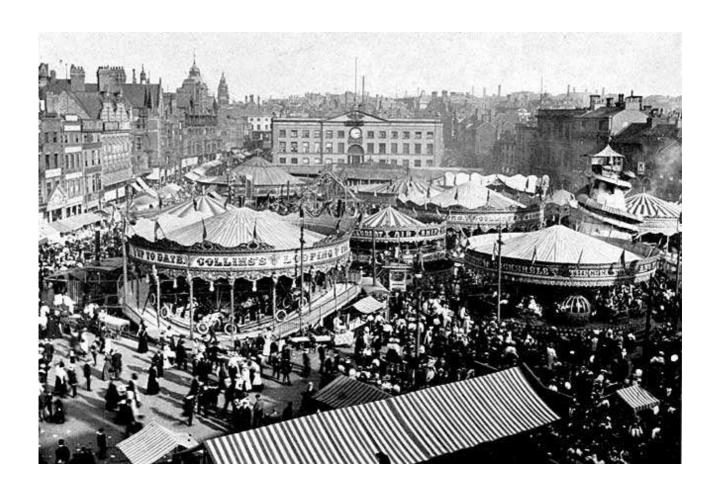


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Year 3 Autumn Term 1 2012

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic Let Me Entertain You!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- Finding out about Fairgrounds in the past and researching the famous Nottingham Goose Fair.
- Investigating how advances in technology changed the purpose and popularity of Fairgrounds through the ages.
- The progression of film from Black and White silent films to modern day Blockbusters.
- The history of theatre and performance from Ancient times to modern day.
- Circus themed week and WOW days.

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

Take your child to the library & get a book about the topic.
Get them to think about their favourite forms of entertainment.
Talk to older family members about the kinds of entertainment they
enjoyed when they were younger.

What does your child know about Forms of Entertainment?

Before the Topic		
After the Topic		

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be will be learning about <u>Right and Wrong.</u>

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of New Beginnings.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis, learn the spellings they have been given and practice their times tables. Children will be given the chance to attend a homework club on Wednesday lunchtime for assistance and support with their homework if it hasn't already been completed at home. Please note if homework is not handed in on a Thursday children will be kept in at break time to complete.

MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	Homework in
FRIDAY	Homework will be given out

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Skills 7 Football	Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm
(starts Monday 17th Sept)	
Family Learning	Tuesdays 9.00 – 10.30am
(starts Tues 18 th Sept)	·
Credit Union	Tuesdays 3.15pm

Forthcoming Events

Friday, 14 th to Monday 17 th Sept	Year 6 to Liddington
Tuesday 18 th Sept : 3.30 - 4.300pm	Open tour of new buildings
Friday 28 th Sept	Year 6 to Crucial Crew
Wednesday 10 th October	Harvest Festival Assembly
Thursday 11th October	School Photographer (individual photos)
Monday 15 th October : 5.30 – 8.00pm	Parent Consultation Evening
Weds 17 th October: 3.30 - 6.00pm	Parent Consultation Evening
Friday 12 th to Weds 17 th Oct	Book Fair in school
Monday 29th Oct to Friday 2nd Nov	Half Term
Monday 5 th November	Return to school