

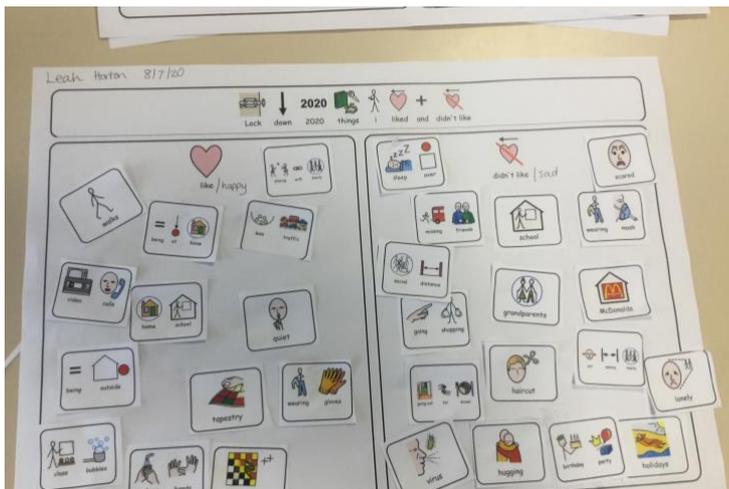
**Blue Class - Digger Surprise**

Last Friday, Daniel from Blue Class received a wonderful surprise as he was given permission to sit in the earth moving digger. He has been fascinated by the machinery which has been working in the school paddock. Daniel was allowed to touch the controls which he really enjoyed and he was even allowed to lock the cab up! This opportunity really made Daniel's day and you can tell from the photograph how much he enjoyed the experience. Thank you to the construction team for organising this unique opportunity.



**Yellow - Class Advantages and Disadvantages of Lockdown**

Yellow Class have discussed what they liked and disliked about the recent lockdown. The advantages were family walks, playing board games and being outside in the garden. The disadvantages included not being able to go on holiday, not being able to hug extended family members and wearing face masks. The class sorted through picture symbols to make their individual lists and created their Yellow Class Bubble display.



**Amber Class - Summer in the Garden**

Pupils in Amber class have enjoyed their 'Summer in the Garden' topic. After reading 'Sophie and her Grandads Garden' they learnt about how to look after seeds, and what care is required to enable the seeds to grow. Pupils planted beans and cress seeds, watering them regularly. The class then made egg and cress sandwiches. During art, pupils have worked together and created a classroom wall display, this includes artwork of butterflies, snails and dragonflies.



## Purple Class - Seaside Themed Cookery Lesson

This term Purple class have been learning about the seaside and have incorporated their learning into a seaside cookery lesson. Pupils have tasted and chosen sandwich fillings for a beach picnic, constructed a sandcastle cake stack, made fruit crabs and edible starfish. Pupils especially enjoyed bashing up biscuits to create a sand effect for the starfish and adding edible eyes. Each week teaching staff have seen class pupils become increasingly independent in their use of tools and more adventurous in their tasting of unfamiliar ingredients. Pictured are the sandcastle cake stack and edible starfish.



## Lottery SK – South Kesteven

Michael, a Willoughby parent is a lucky Lottery SK winner, he won a prize of £250. Michael has decided to treat his family to a Lazy Spa hot tub for his son Matthew to enjoy.

If you would like to take part, with the chance to win a prize, whilst also supporting Willoughby Academy please click on the link below <https://www.lotterysk.co.uk/support/willoughby-school>

Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 per week and you have a 1 in 50 chance to win a prize each week, with a top prize of £25,000

## Vacancies – Level 3 Teaching Assistant Apprentice (x4 posts)

**Salary:** National Apprentice Wage

**Hours:** 32.5 hours per week, 39 weeks per year,

**Start Date:** September 2020

We are seeking to recruit Apprentice Teaching Assistants who are highly motivated, dedicated and passionate about education, to join our successful and supportive team, here at Willoughby Academy. Self-confidence and enthusiasm combined with energy and perseverance are a prerequisite. During the Apprenticeship you will undertake a Level 3 in Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools qualification. You will be providing support to teaching staff by assisting in the delivery of class-based tasks to groups or individual students.

The successful candidates will be;

- Highly motivated and inspirational
- Creative and innovative, with excellent communication and inter-personal skills
- Committed to maximising pupil progress
- Adaptable and eager to meet the changing demands of the Academy and the needs of all pupils
- Able to motivate, lead, support and challenge pupils and staff to be successful
- Committed to the inclusion of all children with special educational needs
- Team players who shares the Willoughby vision
- Able to support specific needs in accordance with the requirements of pupils individual Educational Health and Care Plans.

The successful candidates should be qualified to GCSE level C or equivalent in English and Mathematics. Good interpersonal skills are vital, with a desire to develop techniques to motivate and support young people. For further details please visit; <https://prioryacademies.current-vacancies.com/Jobs/Advert/1954973?cid=1610&s=False&t=Level---Teaching-Assistant-Apprentices---x-Posts-&l=Willoughby-Academy>

## Terms Dates

The summer term ends on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020. The school welcomes all pupils back on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2020. All terms dates for next academic year are available via the school website.

## Term Times Magazine

The latest edition of term times is available via the link; <https://termtimes.ltd.uk/read-term-times-144>  
As per usual the magazine has a host of articles and competitions for families to enjoy.