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Weekly Newsletter - Friday 8th December 2023

Safeguarding Children in Our School

It is the responsibility of everyone to hold the safeguarding of children ahead of anything else.

This is a priority in our school. We have many systems and procedures in place should any concerns be raised.

If you have any concerns about a child, no matter how trivial you may feel they are, please speak to a member of school staff.

Conversations in school are frequent and always in the best interests of children.

If you would like to speak directly to Mrs McHarg or Mr Saunders, please do so.

OUT OF HOURS emergency support, please contact North Yorkshire County Council on **01609 780 780**.

childline

ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME
childline.org.uk | 0800 1111

Dinner Money

Please can you ensure that dinner money accounts are topped up at the beginning of the week.
(£3.25 per day / £16.25 per week)

You may be asked to bring in packed lunches for your child, if accounts are in arrears.

Parking

We understand pick up and drop off is such a busy time for school.

However, the emergency parking bay/bus stop **MUST** be kept clear at **ALL TIMES**.

This is for the safety of our students and having clear views of the road and moving vehicles.

**Strictly
No
Parking**

After School Clubs

Just a reminder that there will be no after school clubs week commencing 18th December or week commencing 8th January.

Hangout will be open as normal.

Christmas Post Box

The Christmas post box has arrived!

It's located near the school office.

Post your Christmas cards and they will be delivered to classrooms throughout the Month!



Missing Uniform

We have a lot of unnamed uniform in all of the cloakrooms. Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly labelled as these will then be returned to your child's peg.

Pantomime Trip

Foundation Stage had a lovely time at the pantomime watching Rapunzel this week.

Christmas Activities Information

Christmas Crafternoon 14th - parents/carers are invited in from 1:30 - 3:00. Parents will be asked to leave while the children tidy. You can then take your child (ren) home at 3:15 from their classroom door.

Christmas **jumpers** can be worn on Friday 15th for Christmas dinner.

Christingle 21st - Year 3 & 4 service is at 9:15. Year 5 & 6 service is at 10:45

CALLING ALL BAKERS!

The MSSA need your help! They need some tasty treats for their Christmas event.

Anyone who would like to donate a bake please get in touch with Miss Taylor.



Please remember school begins at 8:45am, and drop off is between 8:35am & 8:45am. Children who arrive after 8:45am will receive a late mark in the register and the reason logged.

Hangout Contact Number: 07756 040396

Dates for your Diary



- Tues 12th Dec - Choir Club visit Booth Hall
- Wed 13th - 15th Dec - Change to menu (see below)
- Wed 13th Dec - New Starters 2024 Open Morning
- Wed 13th Dec - Year 5 Swimming (Don't forget swimming kits)
- Thurs 14th Dec - Christmas Crafternoon (1:30 - 3:00 see over for more information)
- Fri 15th Dec - Christmas Lunch (Christmas jumpers can be worn)



Due to deliveries we have a slight change to the menu next week.

Wednesday 13th - Mexican Beef

Thursday 14th - Fish fingers & chips

Friday 15th - Christmas Dinner

Cold Weather

With the colder weather making an appearance please ensure children come to school with a warm coat, gloves/hat/scarf. (Please label all items of clothing)

We do check that FS and KS children are wearing coats. We encourage KS2 children to wear their coats.

In the event of any school closures, this will be communicated via the School Gateway and email.



AWARDS

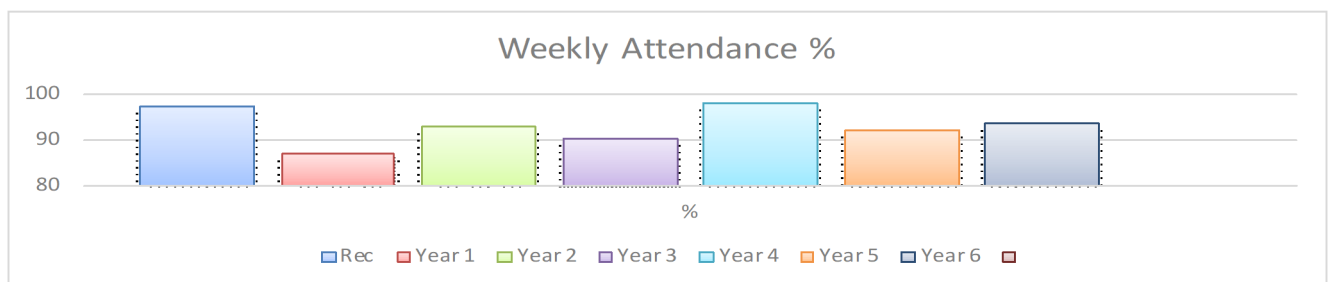


Each week awards are given out based on our six values. *Determination, Respect, Self-Belief, Teamwork, Honesty, Passion.* Well done to everyone receiving awards this week:

Charlie, Mirryn, Noah, David, Natalie, Jack, Emily, Braxton, Harry, Brooke, Joe, Robyn, Edie, Dexter, Ava-Rae, Stan, Freddie, Brody, Lilly, Harry, Reuben, Hadley, All Year 4, Harvey, Joan, Logan, Paige, Isaac, Katherine, Tia, Erin, Ethan, Harry, Miya, Harry, Connor, Jacob, Amelia.

Year 4 have the highest attendance this week with 98.1%

Well done!



Please be aware that we have people in school who suffer nut allergies.
Please be conscious of this when providing packed lunches & snacks.

