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SPRING TERM 2 DIARY DATES

19.03.26

Friday 20th March: Professional Development Day: SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday 24th March: Y5 Visit to Jorvik -York (!! consent & pay by Arbor)
 Friday 27th March: After school clubs finish
 Tuesday 31st March: Parent Consultations: Pupil Reports
 Wednesday 1st April: Parent Consultations: Pupil Reports
 Thursday 2nd April: H TEMPEST Class photographs
 Thursday 2nd April: **SCHOOL CLOSURES** end of term
 Monday 20th April: **SCHOOL OPENS** – Summer Term 1
 Wednesday 22nd April: Dental Checks in school– Rec/Year 1
 Monday 4th May: SCHOOL CLOSED – Bank Holiday
 Friday 22nd May: **SCHOOL CLOSURES** - half term
 Monday 1st June: **SCHOOL OPENS** – Summer Term 2
 Friday 17th July: **SCHOOL CLOSURES**
Monday 20th July/ Tuesday 21st July: Professional Development Days: SCHOOL CLOSED

CONTACT NUMBERS

Please notify the school office if any of your contact details have changed - address, landline number, mobile phone number etc.

DINNER MONEY

All school dinners to be paid via your **ARBOR account**.
£12 per week

Dear Parents and Carers,

School is closed TOMORROW, Friday 20th March, it is a Professional Development Day.

This week our Year 6 pupils have had their Mock SATs, practicing for the real thing. The children were great and tried their very best. We also had a group of children representing our school in a local tri-golf event. As always, our children were amazing, developing new skills and trying their very best.



Many of our families have been fasting over the last few weeks for Ramadan. We would like to wish all our families celebrating Eid.....Happy Eid!

SCHOOL PAYMENTS All school payments eg Dinner Money, Educational Visits, Events, Residentials, Lost books, Discos, etc have now moved to the Arbor system. Payments can be made via your own ARBOR accounts. 91% of our families have already activated their account. If you have not activated your account please **seek your email from Arbor to do so**. The system will enable you to access your child's information.

PARENT CONSULTATIONS/ PUPIL ANNUAL REPORTS

We will be holding our Parent Consultations to hand out our children's annual reports on Tuesday 31st March and Wednesday 1st April. **The booking system via Arbor is now live until 12 noon on Friday 27th March.** Your appointment time can only be made via your Arbor account. If you have any issues – please contact the school office. Thank you.

PARKING

Please could you park considerately. We do have a number of families with blue badges and we are finding that people are parking in the two marked bays at the front of the building. **Please could we retain the bays for blue badge holders only.** We have also received complaints about Cawood Drive, during drop off times. We request that all families park and drop off responsibly, without causing issues for residents and other road users. Thank you!

UNIFORM

Uniform is red jumper/cardigan, white shirt/polo shirt, grey or black trousers/skirt and black shoes.

PE uniform is to be worn for PE – see below. PE uniform **MUST** be worn if representing our school in Sports events.

SPRING TERM 2 PE DAYS: We ask that the Year 1 – Year 6 children **come to school in their kit** (white t-shirt, black shorts, joggers and a sweatshirt, plimsolls or trainers). The children's PE days are:

PE TIMETABLE: SPRING TERM 2 2026		
	Indoor	Outdoor
M	Nursery/Reception	Year 3 (2NS/2AJ)
T	Year 6 (2BV/2KT)	Year 5 (2HB/2DJ)
W	am: Year 1 (1AC) / Year 2 (1MG) pm: Year 3 (2NS/2AJ)	Year 6 (2BV/2KT)
Th	am: Nursery/Reception pm: Year 4 (2CR/2 JH)	Year 1 (1AC) / Year 2 (1MG)
F	Year 5 (2HB/2DJ)	Year 4 (2CR /2 JH)



EASTER RAFFLE

Staff are currently donating Easter eggs for our Easter raffle which will be drawn in assembly during the week beginning 30th March. Tickets are now available daily before school 8.40am–9.00am, at a cost of 20p cash.



IMPORTANT DATES 2026: NATIONAL ASSESSMENTS

KS2 YEAR 6 Statutory Assessments: Monday 11th May – Friday 15th May 2026

YEAR 4 Multiplication check: Between Monday 1st - Friday 12th June 2026

KS1 YEAR 1 Phonics Assessment: 8th – 12th June 2026

TERM TIME HOLIDAYS

School attendance is mandatory for all pupils. Parents should plan their holidays around school breaks and avoid seeking permission to take their children out of school. **School holidays during term time will not be authorised and Fixed Penalty Notices are being issued by the LA. The DFE does not consider a need or desire for a holiday or other absence for the purpose of leisure and recreation to be exceptional circumstances.**

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All Spring term after school clubs **will be finishing on Friday 27th March.**

The Summer term list will be available after the Easter break.

SPRING TERM AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS: Finish 27.03.26	
Early Bird Club 8.10 – 8.40am (Y1 – Y6 30max) Finishes 02.04.26 - reopens Monday 20 th April	
Please ensure all children (Y1-Y6) are collected at the correct time (Bold below) by an appropriate adult (OVER 18). *Year 6 pupils may walk, if school has already received written permission.	
Monday	Table Tennis 4.00pm Mario Kart Club 4.10 pm Maths Masters 4.10 pm
Tuesday	Mighty Warriors 4.10 pm Y6 Homework 4.00 pm
Wednesday	KS2 Multi-sports (Gp 2) 4.10 pm
Thursday	Big Kids 4.15 pm TTRS 4.00 pm
Friday	Archery 4.20 pm Trampolining 4.10 pm

EARLY BIRD CLUB (8.10 – 8.40am (Y1 – Y6 30max))

Families who access and use our Early Bird Club **MUST** book in advance via the Arbor app. Families who pay to access the service also need to pay, in advance of booking. Thank you!

As Early Birds is operated voluntarily by staff, at no cost to the school, the limited funds generated support the purchase of new games and equipment for our early birds. The children were consulted and purchases so far have included traditional games: Solitaire, Snakes and ladders, Domino runs and several marble runs. Our new games have been very popular with our children.



MEDICATION

Only prescribed medication (4x daily) can be given in school.

All medication **MUST** be delivered to and collected from the school office.

Thank you!