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Dear Parent / Carers

Our Christian Value this term is: **Compassion**

Our Ethos Statement this week is: **"In everything I showed you that by working hard in this manner you must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" Acts 20:35**

Remaining training days this year:

Friday 27th May

Monday and Tuesday 25th and 26th July

Summer Term

As we move back to a more normal way of working in school this term – due to Leeds Local Authority ending the use of the COVID Risk Assessment, we are starting to think about how we can come together as a school community in prayer. We have been very fortunate that Mrs Swann and Mrs Leng are also keen to come back into school and lead our worship and we are moving more to joining together as a whole school.

We are aware that there are still cases of COVID in school and are mindful of keeping our hand washing routines and cleaning routines as robust as ever.

We were notified by Leeds City Council that vaccinations are now available for children aged 5-11 – the vaccinations will not be held in school – see below for further information:

Children aged 5 to 11 are now eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine. Parents and guardians can now book appointments for 5 to 11 year olds. You can call the National Booking Service on 119 to make an appointment. You will need to take your child to a local pharmacy or vaccination centre.

Don't forget that this weekend is a bank holiday and school will be closed on Monday.

You may have noticed our 'Royal' entry - to the Cookridge Scarecrow festival situated by Mr Osborne's bungalow. The event is on this Sunday and Monday and is run by Leeds Mods. It is a wonderful community event and there are always lots of great entries to see around Cookridge.

See the poster attached for more information.

Have a lovely bank holiday weekend.


Pupil of the week

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Oscar Paynter is Pupil of the Week 😊 Oscar has a brilliant attitude to learning and especially impressed us with his maths work over the past few weeks. Oscar has a really good

RWB

We have chosen Frankie Salter as our pupil of the week. In our maths Frankie has been applying his number knowledge during our group work task. We have been representing numbers on a tens frame and part-whole model

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understanding of numbers beyond ten and is using brilliant reasoning skills to explain the number pattern. Well done, Oscar 😊	to explore the composition of numbers in greater depth. Frankie has done a great job, well done Frankie! :-)
1A This week my pupil of the week is Ben Graham. Ben has really impressed me with his maths, especially when starting to learn multiplication this week. He has worked really hard to understand a new concept and has been extremely helpful in all our class discussions. Well done Ben, keep up all this concentration! 😊	1RM This week in 1RM, Gabriella Stoker is our pupil of the week. Gabriella has tried hard across all lessons this week and has really stood out to all of her teachers. Gabriella has worked especially hard in Gymnastics and showed her fantastic balancing skills. Well done Gabriella :-)
2J My pupil of the week this week is Amelia Furlong. Amelia is always the first one to shoot her hand up to answer questions in class, demonstrating super listening skills and an enthusiasm to learn. She has been impressing me in her reading, writing and maths recently and she showed some excellent reaction and response skills in our PE lesson on Wednesday. Amelia is a good friend to others and is always helpful around the classroom. Well done Amelia. 😊	2S This week we have chosen Harriet Stott as our pupil of the week. Harriet is doing really well with her reading and has really impressed all the adults who are working with her. Both her fluency and understanding are constantly improving and we're very proud of her effort and enthusiasm! She also always has a smile on her face and has done some fantastic skipping this term too. Keep it the hard work Harriet, well done! :)
3P This week I have chosen Eloise Heels as our pupil of the week. Eloise shows a mature and curious approach to her learning, this week I have been particularly impressed with her descriptive writing in English. Throughout studying the Greek myth 'Theseus and the Minotaur', she has used adjectives and fronted adverbials effectively, offering excellent contributions to our class super sentences. She has also become confident reading aloud to the class with good tone and intonation. Well done Eloise! 😊	3R This week I have chosen Max Middlemiss as my pupil of the week. Max is an incredibly kind and caring member of 3R, and is always helping others in the classroom. His behaviour is excellent and he always tries his very best. This week he has impressed me with his maths work, he has worked independently to solve tricky problems involving fractions of amounts. Well done Max! Keep up the good work 😊
4L My 4L Pupil of the Week this week is Lucas Stott 😊 Lucas has had a fantastic week with not only his learning but also demonstrating what a kind and caring member of the class he is! Lucas has shown great friendship towards someone new to our class. He has absolutely loved reading our class text and has written a detailed letter, which really showcases his understanding of the text! Lucas has also shown great perseverance with his tricky decimals work in math. Well done Lucas, keep up the hard work! 😊	4W Well done to everybody for another excellent week in 4W. As usual I have had a very tricky decision in choosing my pupil of the week but this week I have gone for Malachai. Mal has had a super week, he has really been working hard on maintaining his focus in lessons, as a result he has produced some excellent work. We have been looking at decimals in maths and he's really impressed me with his grasp on that. In English he's really enjoying our class novel linked to our topic of the Romans and has given some really thoughtful ideas. Well done, Mal! 😊
5E Amelia Matson is our pupil of the week this week. She is a gem every week and has been extremely helpful in setting up the visual timetable each day. Her writing has impressed	5H I have chosen Rose for pupil of the week because she always works hard, she always tries her best in every subject and presents her work beautifully. She has a fantastic attitude towards

me this week where (having also been ill) returned and completed a brilliant monster creation with back story and fantastic description. Well done! 😊	her learning and shows a growth mindset when answering challenging work. Well done Rose! 😊
6C Luke Wilson for his efforts this week. He is working hard in his lessons and demonstrating the right attitudes and behaviours for year 6. This has been shown in our maths lessons, where he is involved in all our class discussions on angles, making relevant connections in our reading sessions and working creatively in our computing lessons while making stop-motion animations. Well done Luke - keep up the great attitude and effort! 😊	6M Chloe Towers for her exceptional attitude over the past week. She is growing in confidence in all areas but has been noticed more so in Maths. She has shown her knowledge of long multiplication and division and solved some tricky problems involving this method. Well done Chloe- keep it up 😊

Dates for your diary

Mon 2 May – School closed (Bank Holiday)
 Tue 3 May – Reception trip to Hesketh Farm
 Fri 6 May – Year 3 trip to The Royal Armouries
 Tue 17 May – Year 1 trip to Harlow Carr
 Thur 26 May – Queen's Jubilee Day!
 Fri 27 May – School closed - training day
 Wed to Fri 8 – 10 Jun – Year 6 residential to Peat Rigg
 w/c 13 Jun – Year 6 bikeability
 Thur 23 Jun – Year 4 trip to Bradford Media museum (information to follow soon)
 Mon 11 Jul – Rec to y5 Treat Day (information to follow!)
 Thur 21 Jul – Year 6 treat day (Inflatable)
 Year 2 trip - TBC

School Absences

If your child is absent from school for any reason please contact the school office. If the reason for absence is a holiday you must complete a holiday request form prior to the absence. (If the the absence is for just one day an email may be sufficient). If you have any queries please contact the school office.
 Many thanks

School trips - volunteers needed!

Now we are able to resume school visits, we try to book in trips for each year group throughout the year, alongside getting out into the community for local visits such as to Holy Trinity Church, Tinshill Free Church and Geography based local walks. However, to do this we need to take plenty of adults to meet our risk assessment ratios, particularly for our younger year groups, and to support the children with their learning. So, we are hoping to compile a list of volunteers that would be interested in joining any year group on trips (or specify if you prefer to support your own children's year groups). It would be wonderful to have a list of volunteers that have availability on weekdays that we could contact if we needed adults to accompany us on trips or walk up to Church.

If you are interested, please email the school office info@holytrinity.leeds.sch.uk and mark your email 'trip volunteers'.

We will then contact you with a brief questionnaire about your availability and year group preferences etc

Be Curious 2022

Saturday 7th May, 10am - 4pm
Parkinson Building, University of Leeds
Woodhouse Lane, Leeds, LS2 9JT

Design, imagine, make, do, glue, explore and more at Be Curious 2022! Visit the University of Leeds on Saturday 7th May, 10am-4pm, for a day of FREE, fun activities suitable for all the family.

Get to grips with what really goes on inside a university with over 35 interactive stalls and activities, a hands-on Tinker Space, Maker Kits, performances, workshops and tours. Learn to pipette like a pro, meet Robbie the Robot, help us to craft a community blanket, take part in a chocolate trial, adventure into astronomy, find out what your poo says about you, and much more!

New for 2022 is the Be Curious Tinker Space, which encourages families to spend time getting back to all things hands-on. Explore research through creative activities and Maker Kits, which will be available for visitors to get making on the day, or take home to continue their Be Curious experience.

There's no need to book and all age groups are welcome.

View the full programme at www.leeds.ac.uk/becurious

Mathletics news

The Top 10 currently are:

1. Anita Cwener
2. Sebastian Wilson
3. Lyra Hakim
4. Jackson Jones
5. Eden Abidian
6. Florence Rogers
7. Kaelen Patel
8. Christian Holmes
9. Joshua Waite
10. Ella Waite

The Key stage trophies are awarded to 2J and 5E - well done to everyone who has contributed.

Cath Hellings
Headteacher

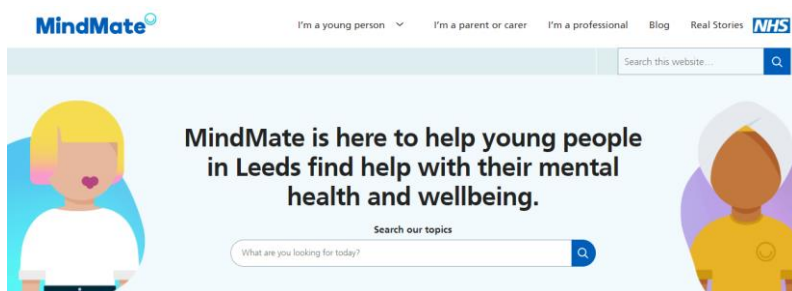


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Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are writing to inform you of a mental health and emotional wellbeing service available to young people called Kooth. We know that there are times when life can feel like a struggle and that, especially this year, some extra support can be needed. Recognising this, Kooth has been commissioned by Leeds NHS Clinical Commissioning Group to provide free, anonymous and safe online support for young people aged 10-18. Kooth is an online community (www.kooth.com) that is accessible 24/7, 365 days of the year and provides access to chat sessions with BACP-accredited counsellors and qualified emotional wellbeing practitioners. All out-chat sessions are done via text, and last up to an hour. Chat is available from 12pm to 10pm on Monday-Friday, and 6pm-10pm on Saturday-Sunday, providing a much needed 'out of hours' service. Kooth is accessible from any device that can access the Wi-Fi, allowing young people to seek help and support at a time and location that is suitable for them.

But Kooth is so much more than just having chat sessions. Young people can get peer-to-peer support, as well as get involved with activities designed to improve emotional wellbeing and resilience. They can participate by reading/ writing magazine articles, keeping a journal, setting goals and engaging in discussion boards and live forums. We allow young people to share their experiences safely, and everything contributed to the community is thoroughly moderated by the online team so that we can guarantee there won't be any trolling, bullying or judgement – they also won't be allowed to share any personal details with each other.

Kooth is not a replacement for any in person support for a young person; rather it is an additional means of accessing further support. There is no such thing as a problem that is too big or too small at Kooth. Our team reflects all communities and walks of life, so no matter what issue you come to us with there is somebody at Kooth who can and will help.



Mental Health Support, Information and Advice for Adults and Parents/Carers:

Key websites to access

www.leedsmind.org.uk

www.mindmate.co.uk

[Silvercloud self-directed website for parents/carers](#)

Northpoint have worked with Silvercloud Health to provide access to online support for parents and carers during the current situation.

The site has been designed by clinical experts with the aim of empowering you to think and feel better. The website includes programmes that are tailored to your needs. It contains easy to use content and interactive tools.

The online space is secure and anonymous. No identifying details are required apart from a contact e-mail address.

To access the site go to <https://nhs.silvercloudhealth.com/signup/> and enter the code 'north' when prompted.

Mental Health Support for Children and Young people

Mindmate www.mindmate.org

Teen Connect (13-18 years) Teen Connect is a helpline for Leeds based 13–18-year-olds who are in crisis. Open 6 pm – 2 am every night of the year. Call, go online or send a text 0771 566 1559 .

Kooth online counselling an emotional wellbeing service Kooth online counselling is a free, safe and anonymous service for 10–18-year-olds where young people can chat 1-2-1 with counsellors, access self-help articles 24/7 and connect with peers through live moderated forums. www.kooth.com

Give us a shout <https://www.giveusashout.org/>

24/7 Anonymous Text Support for When You Feel You Can't Cope. Text Us Today

For support in a crisis, Text Shout to 85258

Childline <https://www.childline.org.uk> - Whatever your worry we can help you. Call Childline for help and advice!
Tel: 0800 1111

The Mix Emotional support for under 25's. 24/7 Crisis messenger, 1-2-1 chat, forums and resources.
www.themix.org.uk

Resist or manage the urge to self-harm

The Calm Harm app has been customised for young people in Leeds (aged 12 – 25 years). It helps you resist or manage the urge to self-harm; it has a number of activities including breathing techniques to help reduce symptoms of stress and anxiety.

Safe Zone (11-17 years)

The Safe Zone is a crisis service for young people aged 11-17 in Leeds. It's open every Monday from 7pm to 10pm – the last drop-in to Safe Zone will be 9.30pm. Call 0113 819 8189 call before you go.

The Market Place

The Market Place offers free, confidential support in Leeds 11–25-year-olds. Call 0113 246 1659 or 0113 819 8189. 18A New Market St, Leeds. www.themarketplaceleeds.org.uk

Samaritans

Samaritans is available round the clock, every single day of the year, for anyone who is struggling to cope. Call 116 123 <https://www.samaritans.org>

Bereavement support for Children and Young People