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'The Best for Every Child -a Unique Child of God'
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Dear Parent / Carers

Our Christian Value this term is **Respect**

Our Ethos Statement this week is: **So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets. Matthew 7:12**

Autumn Term

Already we are at the end of week 6 – where does the time fly off to?

This week we welcomed Skipping School into school to work with our children in year 4 on their skipping skills. The children built upon those skills learned in year 2 and had a great time to boot.

Our children in year 4 had a day in York Railway Museum where they enhanced their learning about railways in a very visual and hands on way. Our year 2 children spent the day at Harewood House where they found out all about minibeasts. Both groups of children represented our school very well on their trips. Well done children.

Pupil of the Week

<p>1K 1K's pupil of the week is Skyla Watson. Skyla held a meeting with the class to discuss ways to improve our school. She was fantastic! She listened intently to other pupil's ideas and even came back to me later in the day with other ideas children had shared with her. As well as this, Skyla is a role model to the class, always trying her best in lessons. Keep it up Skyla 😊</p>	<p>1RM Our pupil of the week this week is Lyla. Lyla has been a super role model this week, listening carefully to the whole class teaching and answering lots of questions and getting really involved in class discussions with lots of super ideas to share. She has really impressed us with her maths skills and she has done some fantastic problem solving linked to part-whole models. Well done Lyla! 😊</p>
<p>2J Our pupil of the week this week is Cooper Clarkson. Cooper has really been impressing me with his attitude towards his work over the last few weeks. He's showing a determined growth mindset and is trying his best in all lessons. He is working on improving his handwriting and his reading is improving quickly too. This week Cooper especially impressed me when learning jumping skills in our Real PE lesson. He demonstrated a</p>	<p>2S This week we have chosen Nafisatu Sulaiman as our pupil of the week. Nafisatu is a delightful member of our class who is always making the right choices. She tries her best in every lesson but we've been especially impressed with her English this week and how hard she's working on her beautiful handwriting! Keep up the hard work Nafisatu! Well done! 😊</p>



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fantastic 3/4 turn tuck jump with superb balance and bounce! Keep it up! 😊	
<p>3P</p> <p>This week, I have chosen Thea Smart as our pupil of the week. Thea is a kind and caring member of 3P who always supports others when working in a partnership or team. This week, we have been really impressed with Thea's perseverance and determination in maths. We have been tackling some tricky column addition problems and I have seen her put 100% effort in and make massive improvements. Well done Thea, keep it up! 😊</p>	<p>3R</p> <p>This week I have chosen Kitty for her super work in maths. Kitty has had a fantastic week and has made excellent progress in maths using column addition method. She's been racing through the work and persevering with tricky reasoning and problem solving challenges too. Kitty always works hard, tries her very best and approaches learning with positivity. She is also very kind and a super friend to others in 3R. Well done Kitty! You are a superstar 😊</p>
<p>4L</p> <p>My 4L Pupil of the Week is Scarlett Pickard for a wonderful week of learning! Scarlett is a fantastic role model to the rest of the class; her behaviour is exemplary. Scarlett always puts 100% into everything she does and always responds to challenges to the best of her ability. She has shown good knowledge and understanding in our maths work linked to place value. She also represented our school brilliantly on our school trip to York Railway Museum, supporting others in our class and showing a real enthusiasm about what we have learned! Keep up the fantastic effort, Scarlett! 😊</p>	<p>4W</p> <p>Well done to all of 4W for a busy and fab week which included a trip to York Railway Museum. It's been another tricky decision but this week our pupil of the week is Antoni. Antoni is such a fantastic member of 4W. He always comes into school with a smile on his face, ready to learn and try his best. His behaviour is exemplary as is his work. He was also so enthusiastic on our trip yesterday and represented our school fantastically well. Well done, Antoni. 😊</p>
<p>5E</p> <p>Isabelle Wilkinson is our pupil of the week this week. She has a wonderful attitude to all lessons and shows this in various ways: through putting her hand up, joining in with discussions or asking for help. She is in charge of her learning and will always ask for advice to push herself onwards. Well done and keep it up, Isabelle! 😊</p>	<p>5H</p> <p>I have chosen Charlie Pullan as pupil of the week because of his fantastic description writing in english this week. He has been using excellent vocabulary and presented his work beautifully. He has also really impressed me with his attitude towards his maths. He has shown a growth mindset and been getting onto all of the challenging next steps. Well done Charlie! 😊</p>
<p>6C</p> <p>Darcey Curbison for a brilliant start to life in Y6. During all lessons, Darcey can always be relied upon to add depth to our class discussions, by providing predictions, information or by asking probing questions. She also has a fantastic knowledge of vocabulary, which she uses to add to and improve her writing to aid the reader's understanding. Well done Darcey 😊 keep up the impressive attitude and superb efforts to support our high level Year 6 conversations!</p>	<p>6M</p> <p>Tobias Gautrey for his exceptional attitude in every lesson and the way he is a real role model in 6M. Tobias has his hand up in every lesson and is very enthusiastic, participating appropriately in all subjects. This week I have been particularly impressed with his maths knowledge on multiplying by 10,100,1000 and BIDMAS; he applied everything he was taught and solved some very tricky problems. Well done Tobias. 😊</p>

Dates for your diary

Thur 19 Oct – Yorkshire Dance Festival at The Carriageworks

Friday 20th October – PTA Autumn Extravaganza 5pm-7pm in school

w/c 23 Oct - Parents Consultations

Wed 25 Oct – Year 6 trip to Eden Camp

Fri 27 Oct – training day



w/c Mon 30 Oct – half term holiday

Thur 9 Nov – **Nasal Flu immunisations (please consent via link sent by email)**

Mon 13 Nov – Odd Socks Day – Anti-Bullying week

Wed 15 Nov – Year 3 trip to Herd Farm

Mon 27 Nov – Year 2 trip to The Thackray Medical Museum (information to follow)

Tue 5 Dec – 9:30am Reception Nativity

Wed 6 Dec – 2:15pm Reception Nativity

Fri 8 Dec – Christmas Jumper Day

Tue 12 Dec – KS1 Nativity (AM)

Thur 14 Dec – KS1 Nativity 2pm

Thur 21 Dec – KS2 Christmas service in Church (AM and PM)

Christmas dinner

Fri 22 Dec – Carols round the tree 2pm

Parent Prayer Group

Next meeting Wednesday 8th November. We meet in the school conference room from 9am with the meeting starting at 9:30. We finish at 10am – all are very welcome

Parents Consultations

Just a reminder to book your parents evening appointment, please follow the link:

<https://holytrinityleeds.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

500 Words Story Competition – 2023

Attention all budding authors! 500 words is a competition run by the BBC which invites children of all abilities to use their creativity and imagination to write a story they would love to read without the pressure of having to worry about spelling, punctuation and grammar. The story needs to be 500 words (or less) and can be about anything you like as long as it's an original idea. If you need some inspiration there's some past stories on the website. The stories will be judged on characterisation, plot, originality, language and overall enjoyment.



The competition is split into two age categories: 5-7 and 8-11 and the stories will be judged by a host of award-winning and best-selling authors including Francesca Simon and Malorie Blackman! If you think you'd like to enter follow the link below to find out more information and all the details on how to enter. You have until **10th November** to submit your stories. There are some pretty amazing prizes to be won and it could be your first step to becoming a publish author one day!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words/about-500-words/zctk7v4>

Thursday Choir

The after school choir will be resuming after half term for children in years 2 to 6 – more information to follow soon.

SEN Parents meeting

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 18th October at 9am in the Conference Room, please feel free to come along.

Mathletics

This week the trophies are awarded to 1K for the second week in a row, and 5E who I know have been really working as a team to get to the top of KS2!

The top 10 mathletes for participation across school are:

1. Maya Zelikson
2. Daisy Young
3. Christian Holmes
4. Jessie Wilkin
5. Holly Cotton
6. AJ Mills
7. Louise Endersby
8. Sienna Mae Hedger
9. Abdulrahman Hamdoush
10. Harriet Pickersgill

Cath Hellings
Headteacher



YMCA
OCTOBER HALF-TERM
TUESDAY 31ST OCT - THURSDAY 2ND NOV
FOOTBALL CAMPS 2023

CHILDREN WILL NEED A PACK
LUNCH AND BOTTLE OF WATER
(CAN BE REFILLED THROUGHOUT
THE DAY)

Fee per day
£22

Time
10am - 4pm

**FUN & PERFORMANCE
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Purpose of the camps
Working to improve
each players football
knowledge & ability

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NETBALL HOLIDAY CAMPS

PERFORMANCE CAMP
*Monday 30th & Tuesday
31st October 10AM-3PM*

Camps will be in the sports hall

**DEVELOPMENT
CAMP**
*Wednesday
1st Nov
10AM-3PM*

Performance camps are
for players aged 11+
who are currently
playing at club level.
The development camp
is for anyone aged 8-14
who wants to develop
their netball skills.

BOOK NOW

SPACES ARE LIMITED! camps are now live on our online booking system.
Email info@ymcaleeds.co.uk for further information.
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