

'He has made everything beautiful in its time' Ecclesiastes 3:11
Our school-wide topic this term is 'Time' and will be explored through many areas of the curriculum.

Illnesses & Attendance

At this time of year, we can expect to see a rise in seasonal viruses and infections such as COVID-19, flu and norovirus. Under current national guidance parents are encouraged to send children to school if they have mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or a slight cough, in order to maintain attendance. We are still taking measures within school to help prevent the spread of infection by encouraging good hygiene and maintaining good airflow in the classrooms.

May we also remind you that if you are aware that your child is a little under the weather and may require paracetamol during the school day it is helpful if you can supply this. School Paracetamol is for emergency and unexpected illness during the school day.

Scarborough Gymnastics

Class 4 should arrive at school in PE kits on Tuesday please so that we can depart promptly for our session at Scarborough Gymnastics. Please note the information on the consent letter about no zips, buckles, buttons, or jewellery. Long hair should be tied back please. Please bring uniform into school to change into afterward.

Can you help FOCAS?

FOCAS would love to hear from anyone that might be handy at running a disco, or perhaps you have a useful contact? Please speak to a FOCAS team member or pop into the office if you think you can help.

PE Lessons

A reminder of PE days in each class this term:

Class 1 – Monday PM Class 2 – Friday PM
Class 3 – Friday PM Class 4 – Tuesday AM Gymnastics
Please ensure PE kits are fully named and ideally in school at all times as they come in useful for extra layers and spares. Thank you.

Residentials – We have sent out some information today to Class 3 and 4 about residential trips. Please do speak to the office or Mrs Palmer if you need further information or help.

Fri – 19th Jan



Hand in hand we learn

Good Work Awards

Star of the Week

Class 1 – Scarlett.B
Class 2 - Carys
Class 3 – Fletcher
Class 4 – Callum

Excellent English

Class 1 – Theo
Class 2 – Levi
Class 3 - Rudi
Class 4 – Charlotte

Marvellous Maths

Class 1 – Roman
Class 3 – Grayson
Class 4 – Luke

Fantastic Foundation

Class 1 – Bobby L-C
Class 2 - Ellie
Class 3 - Emily
Class 4 – Toby

Well done to the **blue** house who scored the most house points this week.

There will be a Lenten service in Church on Tuesday 6th February. This will be a Service rather than a performance but parents are welcome to join us.

Calendar for after Christmas

Monday 22nd Jan: breakfast, afterschool club

Tuesday 23rd Jan: breakfast club, afterschool club, Class 4 Gymnastics

Wednesday 24th Jan: breakfast club, afterschool club, Violin lessons

Thursday 25th Jan: breakfast club, afterschool club, Forest Schools Class 2, Cello Lessons

Friday 26th Jan: breakfast club, afterschool club

Dinner menu for next week

Monday: Pasta in Cheese Sauce, Muffin

Tuesday: Sausage & Mash, Apple Crumble & Custard

Wednesday: Mince & Dumplings, Angel Delight & Cookie

Thursday: Chicken Korma, Cheese & Crackers

Friday: Fish Fingers, Iced Bun

Alternative options of Jacket Potato's and sandwiches are always available. Please can Class 1 parents let the office or class teacher know if your child would like an alternative option, either for the week ahead or day by day.

Please can we remind you that we are a NUT FREE school.

Local News & Events

- Pickering Town FC are holding fun School holiday football camps starting February half term. These will be run at Malton Sports Centre on the Monday, Wednesday & Friday. Please see attached for further information.
- Please see attached information from Malton Library about their exciting activities taking place throughout February.
- Malton White Star Band are starting a 6 week introduction to playing Brass on Tuesday 23rd January. Please see attached.
- The first-ever Clean Air Night run by Global Action Plan is taking place on **24 January 2024**, with the aim of shining a light on the uncomfortable truth about wood burning. For campaign information: <https://www.actionforcleanair.org.uk/>
- North Yorkshire Council have a number of free courses for parents and carers of children and young people with communication and interaction needs who live in North Yorkshire. Please visit [this website](#) for the full programme of events.