

*“Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.”*

**Matthew 22:37**



### Lets Learn Together

Class 1 continue to enjoy their 'Lets Learn Together' sessions on a Thursday morning at 9am. Please come along and share a hot chocolate and a story with your child.



### Multi-sports

Year 1 and 2 went to a multi-sports afternoon at Malton Sports Centre on Wednesday.

*“We played dodgeball, football & basketball. I enjoyed it”* by Maisie.

*“First it was football then 2 games of dodgeball and then we had to get the bean bag in the hoop from the furthest away. It was good and I would like to go again”* by Reggie.

### Sheffield Trip

We are thinking of organising a Saturday trip to Sheffield for children **and** parents/guardians, similar to the one we did to Manchester a few years ago. This would include free time for you and your family (there are lots of free museums and activities that we can tell you about) followed by a Sheffield Steelers Ice Hockey match in the evening. Children's tickets to the Steelers are free and adults would be charged at £12.50 each. School will cover some of the cost for the trip but we may need to ask for a contribution to transport costs. Please can you complete the form on the link below to express your interest – even if this is a no or only a maybe at this stage it will help to give us a more complete picture:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=VrbOfioAMUeUDPzvZTFMDsvcNDcTnaBLIIMMvpZCIQJURUxNMzi2TFhSt1MOSFFEWjZSURLOTVZUC4u>

### Strike Action

You may have seen in the media that the National Education Union (NEU), one of the trade unions representing the teaching profession, has announced its intention to strike. We will confirm for definite ASAP next week whether this will effect our school.

**Fri – 20<sup>th</sup> Jan**



*Hand in hand we learn*

### Good Work Awards

#### **Star of the Week**

Class 1 – Hugo

Class 2 – Beatrice

Class 3 – Matthew

Class 4 – Coryn

#### **Excellent English**

Class 1 – Lola

Class 3 – Joshua

Class 4 – Shonee

#### **Marvellous Maths**

Class 1 – Alfie

Class 2 - Rachel

Class 3 – Annie

Class 4 – Toby

#### **Fantastic Foundation**

Class 1 – Bobby

Class 3 – Miles

Class 4 – Jason

Well done to the **yellow** house who collected the most house points this week.

Some children are missing uniform that is clearly named – Please can you all check at home that you haven't ended up with items by mistake.

### Calendar for the next Week

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan:** Class 3 Cookery School, breakfast/afterschool clubs

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Class 4 Gymnastics, breakfast/afterschool clubs

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Jan Dec:** breakfast/afterschool club

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Class 1 Lets Learn Together, Class 2 Forest Schools, breakfast/afterschool clubs

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Jan:** breakfast/afterschool club

### Dinner menu for next week

Monday: Chicken Bites, Shortbread

Tuesday: Pasta Parcels in Tomato Sauce, Apple Crumble & Custard

Wednesday: Roast Chicken Dinner, Artic Roll & Peaches

Thursday: Chilli Con Carne, Cheese & Crackers

Friday: Salmon Fishcakes, Chocolate Sponge

School dinners also include a variety of seasonal fruit, veg, and salad.

Alternative options of Jacket Potato and sandwiches are always available. Please can parents of children in class 1 let the office or class teacher know if their child would like an alternative option.

### Parentpay

**Dinners** – Please can we urge you to set up the auto top-up facility or place some money on your account for school dinners as these should really be paid for in advance. School dinners cost £2.50 per day for all children in Year 3 upwards that are not entitled to free school meals. School are subsidising the cost above £2.50.

**Milk** – Milk payments for this half term are now overdue for those that pay for milk. The government provides funding for children to receive a glass of milk until they turn 5. After this it is currently charged at 24p per day if you would still like your child to receive it. Please let us know well in advance of the next half term if you would like to make changed to your child receiving milk.

### Local Events & Activities

Norton Hive library have their next Busy Bees craft morning on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January 10.30-12.30 for children aged 3-11 years. It will be a rather appropriately themed snowmen session this time round! Please see attached poster.

Thank you to all those who had a school dinner on Census day.