



A happy school committed to kindness, excellence, community, respect and aspiration.
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Dear parents and carers

10 January 2025

Happy new year! It has been lovely to welcome the children back this week and hear about the lovely events of the festive break.

Children in Y3 enjoyed using VR headsets to launch their topic, Polar Opposites, followed by some fantastic artwork..



This week's assemblies have focused on fundamental British Values: democracy; the rule of law; individual liberty; mutual respect; and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith. Hopefully your child will be able to explain what these mean.

I am delighted to let you know our application for Tesco Stronger Starts has been successful and our proposed project to develop an outdoor reading area has been put forward to a customer vote in Tesco stores. Voting will commence in store from Mid-January 2025 until end the of March 2025. This is the next step in realising our ambition of being a 'reading school'.

You will be able to vote in the following Tesco stores:

- Main Scarborough Store YO11 2PN
- Burniston Rd Express YO12 6PH
- Scarborough Castle Express YO11 1BG

Allergies – Please note that we are a nut aware school. Children who suffer from nut allergies can develop a severe, potentially life-threatening allergic reaction. If someone has a nut allergy it is not just eating nuts that can cause a severe reaction, just being touched on the skin or smelling the breath of someone who has had nuts or a product containing nuts can trigger anaphylactic shock (which can cause breathing and swallowing difficulties).

First aid staff in the school are trained to use the Epi-pens (an injection of adrenalin) which is required immediately if this happens.

So please can we ask that no products containing nuts are brought into school, this includes (but is not limited to): chocolate spread sandwiches, peanut butter sandwiches, some cereal bars, cakes that contain nuts, biscuits / cookies that contain nuts, peanut butter cakes, some Asian food, including satay sauces that contain nuts. Our cooks and catering managers are fully trained and updated in special dietary management. More information can be found on the [North Yorkshire Council website](#), and you will also find a Special Diet Welcome Pack which can be downloaded from the Resource page.

Free school meals are available to all Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils and to children whose parents receive certain benefits. The government have extended free school meal eligibility to children in all households who have no recourse to public funds, subject to maximum income thresholds. Visit the [North Yorkshire Council website for more information](#).

LOST PROPERTY - The lost property box is over flowing with **un-named** school uniform, coats, drink bottles etc. Please call in after school and collect any items before next Friday when it will be donated to the uniform recycling centre or discarded. It is important for you to name these items so we can sort and return them to your child.

DINNER MENU W/C 13 January

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday SPECIAL MENU BEST OF BRITISH	Friday
(V) Pizza Vg Mexican Veg Burrito Potato Wedges Peas & Sweetcorn Egg Mayo Sandwich Baked Bean Jacket Potato Chocolate Brownie	Curried Chicken Rice (v) Pasta Bake Carrots & Broccoli Crusty Bread Cheese Sandwich Tuna Jacket Potato Sticky Toffee Pudding & Custard	Minced Beef Pie (v) Broccoli Cheese Bake Gravy Mashed Potatoes Medley of Vegetables Homebaked 50/50 Bread Tuna Sandwich Cheesy Bean Jacket Potato Flapjack	Chicken Pie (v) Cheese & Bean Pasty Mashed Potato Medley of Vegetables Ham Sandwich Cheese Jacket Potato Syrup Sponge & Custard	Fish Star (Salmon) With chips (v) Cheesy Bean Loaded Potato Skins Peas & Carrots Ketchup Sliced Wholemeal Bread Cheese Sandwich Baked Bean Jacket Potato Chocolate Orange Mousse Cake

Thank you for your continued support

Robert Webb, Headteacher

Key Dates

- 13th January – NY Police delivering online safety workshops to all pupils
- 14th January – Swimming lessons for Birch Class begin
- 20th January - RNLI delivering water safety assembly to all pupils
- 21st January – EYFS visit to Sea Life Centre
- 24th January – NY Fire Service to deliver road safety assembly to all pupils
- 14th February – School Closes for spring half-term
- 24th February – School Opens
- 11th March – Parents’ evening #1
- 20th March – Parents’ evening #2

