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HEADTEACHER NEWS

COMIC RELIEF (RED NOSE DAY): Our theme for this year's Comic Relief: wear something that makes you smile. The sea of colour during celebration assembly really did bring a smile to us all!



The children watched a short film about a boy named George and how Comic Relief has helped him overcome the challenges he faces with his autism. If you are able to donate please do so via Parent Pay - thank you!

A SINGING SCHOOL: At ASJ we sing every day and what joy it brings. This week has been no exception. Mr Gleeson led singing practice on Thursday with songs for our Easter Service, which will take place at Adel Church on Thursday 30th March. This year we are learning a mixture of old and new: 'From Heaven You Came', 'Celebrate', 'All Things Bright and Beautiful' and 'Easter Jubilation'.

PARENT CONSULTATION EVENINGS

Tuesday 29th and Wednesday 30th March: 3.30 – 6pm

As with the autumn term parents' evenings, we will be using an online appointment booking system called SchoolCloud, which allows you to choose your appointment time with your child's class teacher. Once booked, you will receive an email confirming your appointment.

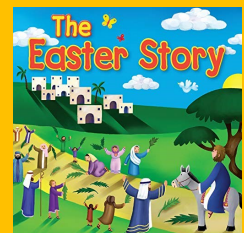
SchoolCloud goes live at 6pm on Monday 20th March for you to book an appointment. Please visit <https://adelstjohnthebaptistcofe.schoolcloud.co.uk/> to book your appointments. You will need to login with the information below. It is really important you enter your child's preferred name otherwise the system will not recognise your details, for example, logging in with Samuel when we have Sam on our system.

Child's First Name

Child's Surname

Date of Birth

Upcoming Dates



**Year 3 and 4 Easter Play
'The Easter Story'**

Wednesday 22nd at 2pm and
Thursday 23rd at 6pm



Information event for parents: 'How is reading taught at ASJ?'

TUESDAY 2ND MAY AT 9AM in the hall. This is a date change from the original advertised date of Thursday 23rd March.

Dear God,
Thank you that you offer forgiveness to all, through Jesus.
Sorry for the times when we have been slow to say sorry to others or not quick enough to forgive.
Please help us to ask for forgiveness when we make a mistake and to accept an apology kindly.
Amen.





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**Proud to present our Well Done and
Gold Award certificate holders**



House Points

House Team Names	This Week's Total	This half term's total
Bolton Abbey	840	2300
Fountains Abbey	1104	2810
Rievaulx Abbey	950	2245
Kirkstall Abbey	793	2298

Our target for whole school attendance is 97%

Attendance from Sept. to date is: 96.2%

Attendance last week was: 94.3%

	Attendance since September %	Attendance since last week %
Reception	94.5	92.1
Year 1	97	97.1
Year 2	97.3	97.1
Year 3	96.7	92.8
Year 4	96.1	93.3
Year 5	96.5	94.6
Year 6	95.4	92.9



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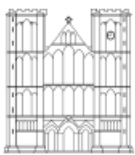
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DATES FOR THE DIARY (new dates added in red)

23rd March	Football Y6 away at Meanwood Primary
24th March	School Council to Leeds City Hall for a Youth Summit
28th & 29th March	Parent Consultation Evenings
29th March	Year 3 & 4 Aim High Writing day at Ireland Wood Primary
30th March	Worship Committee - Easter Service at church
30th March	Science Day: Investigating bubbles
31st March	Training Day 4. School finishes for Easter
3rd to 6th April	Easter Holiday Club Week 1: 8am - 5.30pm
11th and 12th April	Easter Holiday Club Week 2: 8am - 5.30pm
17th April	School reopens for the summer term
18th April	Year 6 Parent Information Meeting: SATs & Carlton Lodge
19th - 21st April	Year 5 Residential to Ingleborough



RIPON
CATHEDRAL

I am inviting children of the primary schools of the region to write a prayer for the King. All the prayers that are submitted will be on view in the Cathedral for visitors to read. From these, the Lord- Lieutenant of North Yorkshire - the King's senior representative, Mrs Johanna Ropner - the Canons of the Cathedral and I will choose some prayers to be included in a special exhibition within the Cathedral from Saturday 29th April for two weeks. A small number will also be included in the prayers at the special service for the region to be held on Sunday 7th May at 3.30pm in the Cathedral.

The children whose prayers are included in the service will be given, along with members of their families, special seats in the main body of the Cathedral for the service.

- Prayers should be no more than 100 words.
- Prayers may be decorated and should be on A4 paper (white or coloured).
- The name of the author of the prayer, age, and school should be written on the reverse of the paper.
- Those whose prayers are to be included in the special exhibition in the Cathedral and those whose prayers are to be included in the regional service, will be informed by email to their school on Friday 21st April.
- Prayers to be sent into your child's school by **Monday 27th March**

I wish you and your school communities every good wish in these weeks leading up to Easter. Dean John