

## Adel St John the Baptist Church of England Primary School Newsletter

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For class blogs, curriculum coverage and key information about your child's class, please click on your child's year group to take you to the corresponding class page on our school website:

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#### HEADTEACHER NEWS

A warm welcome to the summer term. I hope the Easter break was an enjoyable and restful one. For our Muslim families, Eid Mubarak!

Year 5 Residential to Ingleborough Activity Centre: Last

Wednesday to Friday I had the pleasure of joining our Year 5 children on their residential to Ingleborough Hall, North Yorkshire. We

were so lucky with the weather - clear blue skies and mild. The children were active from dawn until dusk: caving, walking, orienteering, toasting marshmallows around the campfire, country dancing and the nightline to name just a few! The children were a delight - so polite and well-behaved and threw themselves into all the activities. Much thanks goes to Mr Routledge

for organising and to Mrs Williams and Mrs Starkey for giving up their own family time to accompany the trip. Click on the Year 5 blog above to view pictures of the fun we had.

Year 2 and 6 SATs meetings: Thank you to the parents and carers who attended the Year 2 and 6 SATs meetings this week. As promised, the information shared is now on the class pages. Please click on the class links above to view the information. For the Year 6 SATs meeting, we would really appreciate if you could complete a very short questionnaire by clicking here. Thank you.

Relationship and Health Education: On Friday 5th May at 9am we will be hosting an information meeting for all parents and carers on our relationship and health education. Our RSE curriculum is a planned and progressive programme from Year One which gradually and appropriately begins to prepare our children for adult life. Please attend to find out what is taught and the resources we use to support our lessons.

NEU Teacher Strikes: Last Friday, a letter was sent out explaining the classes whose teachers are striking on **Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May**. <u>Please click here to view the letter.</u> Due to the strikes all sports clubs will be cancelled on these two days.

Easter Holiday Club: Our Easter holiday club was a huge success and very well attended. During the first few weeks of the summer holidays, we have decided to run a summer holiday club. Details will be available in due course.



# CLASS PHOTO DAY Wednesday 3rd May

Children to come to school dressed in school uniform. For P.E., please could your child bring their P.E. kit in a separate bag to change into.



PTA selling soft drinks outside school **Tuesday 25th April**.

#### TRAINING DAY

### Thursday 4th May 2023

School closed to pupils. Our site is being used as a polling station which is why the training day is on a Thursday.

#### Dear God,

Thank you for our wonderful school and all the excellent learning we do here.

Thank you for all the staff and the help they give us.

Forgive us for the times when we don't do things right, as we forgive others

Help us to keep our school rules and to respect everyone and everything in the world around us.

Help us to treat others the way we want to be treated ourselves.

Lord, please accept our prayer. Amen.



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# Proud to present our Well Done and Gold Award certificates holders



Photo to be uploaded. Delay due to no internet access at school.

House Points		
House Team Names	This Week's Total	This half term's total
<b>Bolton Abbey</b>	765	765
Fountains Abbey	840	840
Rievaulx Abbey	735	735
Kirkstall Abbey	811	811

Our target for whole school attendance is 97%

Attendance from Sept. to date is: 96.3%

Attendance last week was: 97.7%

	Attendance since September %	Attendance since last week %
Reception	94.5%	96.6
Year 1	97%	98.3
Year 2	97.3%	97
Year 3	96.7%	97.9
Year 4	96.2%	98
Year 5	96.6%	98.3
Year 6	95.6%	97.8



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### DATES FOR THE DIARY (new dates added in red)

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24-27th April	Practice SATs week
25th April	PTA selling soft drinks outside school
27th April	Year 5 Egyptian Day
27th April	Teacher strike day—possible disruption to school
28th April	Y2 Adel Walk
1st May	Bank holiday
2nd May	Teacher strike day—possible disruption to school
3rd May	Class photographs
3rd May	Year 2 Collective Worship. Parents and carers warmly welcomed to join. P.m.
4th May	Training Day 5. Pupils not in school
4th May	KS1 and KS2 Dance Festival—John Smeaton Academy
5th May	Parent/Carer PSHE Curriculum Information meeting: RSE 9:00—9:45 am
8th May	Bank holiday (King Charles coronation)
9-12th May	Y6 SATs week - SATs Café from 8.20am
22nd May	Y5/6 girls football tournament—Yeadon Westfield
22-24 May	Y6—Bikeability
25th May	AIM High Writers Y1 and 2
26th May	Break up for half term
12th - 16th June	Healthy Living Week



#### Adult learner drop-in

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April, 10.00am-7.00pm

Are you thinking about your next steps? Have you never had the chance to get a degree?

Pop into the LLC to learn more about studying as a mature student and find out about the support available to help you get back into learning!

Drop-in anytime between 10.00am and 2.00pm, or 4.00pm and 7.00pm, to:

- ✓ Explore our courses for adults (part-time options, flexible entry requirements)
- ✓ Hear from current students and course tutors
- ✓ Find out about financial support to study
- arphi Learn about other support available and get advice on your next steps

Children are welcome, and feel free to bring a friend!

→ Book your place for our Adult learner drop-in