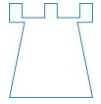


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Monday 7th November 2016

Dear Parents / Carers,

Phonics Evening

On Tuesday 29th November we will be holding a 'Phonics Evening' at 6.00pm. This session will be open to all parents of children in Bulmer and Neville Classes, although everyone is welcome. We hope as many parents / carers as possible will come along to find out how we teach the children phonics.

Phonics is a way of teaching children to read quickly and skilfully. They are taught how to:

- ★ recognise the sounds that each individual letter makes;
- ★ identify the sounds that different combinations of letters make - such as 'sh' or 'oo'; and
- ★ blend these sounds together from left to right to make a word.

Children can then use this knowledge to 'de-code' new words that they hear or see. This is the first important step in learning to read.

Open Evening for New Starters

We are holding an open evening on Tuesday 15th November for parents / carers of those children who are going to be starting school in September 2017. The session starts at 6.00pm and will provide an opportunity to meet the staff and look around the school.

PTFA Christmas Event

Our PTFA Xmas fair is on Saturday 3rd December. This is always a great event and we hope you will all continue to support us.

School Clubs

Tuesday: Singing 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Wednesday: Creative Club for KS2, 3.30pm – 4.45pm

Thursday: Judo 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Friday: Multi-skills (KS1) 3.30pm – 4.15pm
Football (KS2) 3.3.0pm – 4.30pm

Children's Second-Hand Book Sale

Thank you to everyone who supported this sale.

We sold 330 books!



PTFA Monthly Draw!

Last chance to buy tickets this week!
See Natasha for more details.

Star of the Week

Congratulations to the children who were presented with the 'Star of the Week' trophy on Friday.

Bulmer Class – Thomas Marwood

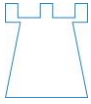
Neville Class – Dylan Derrett

Galtres Class – Sydney Baker Mollan

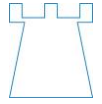
Howard Class – Kirsty Noble

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Important Dates!

Friday 11th November: Bulmer and Neville class trip to the farm.

Tuesday 15th November: Galtres and Howard class trip to York.

Open evening for new starters 6.00pm

Thursday 17th Nov: Piano assembly at 3.00pm.

Friday 18th November: Galtres class, author workshop in school.

Tuesday 29th November: Phonics evening for parents at 6.00pm

Tuesday 6th December: Nativity (Bulmer and Neville Classes), 2.30pm and 6.00pm

Monday 12th Dec – Friday 16th Dec: Class parties this week (more info to follow nearer the time)

Tuesday 13th December: Carol Service at 7.00pm (Galtres and Howard Classes)

Friday 16th December: Last day of the term.

Tuesday 3rd January 2017: Teacher training day

Wednesday 4th January 2017: Children return to school

Sporting Events for the Autumn Term

Thursday 10th November: Cross country event area finals at Knayton.

Staff development and training

Thursday 17th Nov: Mrs Holdsworth, Mrs Bartlett and Mrs Capper, phonics training (am only)

Curriculum Overview

Here is an overview for the curriculum themes for this academic year.

Autumn: All About Me – whole school theme

Long, long ago – Key Stage 2 York – Key Stage 1

Spring: Countries – Key Stage 2 Where do you live? – Key Stage 1

Let's grow – whole school theme

Summer: British history – Key Stage 2 In our time and before – Key Stage 1

Fieldwork for geography – whole school theme

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