

Elvington Primary School Newsletter 18.10.2018



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Message from Miss Collier.

This week I have thoroughly enjoyed spending time in classrooms. Teachers have carefully planned some exciting learning opportunities for our pupils, ensuring their learning is stimulating and meaningful. KS2 classes have been baking varying goodies, to support their instruction writing. Class 1 and 2 have been learning about the importance of walking to school week. Thank you to all the families who have walked or scooted to school this week. Let's see how many can walk tomorrow on the final day of 'Walk to school week'.

The School Council have met with Mrs Granger twice this half term. They have great enthusiasm and are brilliant at making suggestions as well as taking on the views of other pupils. They have thought long and hard this week about our plans for the forthcoming Children in Need day. Further information will follow soon.

In our final week of half term we look forward to our parents' evening on Tuesday and Thursday evening. I hope you will find these useful and valuable.

There is no sharing assembly on the final Friday of term, but there will still be golden book awards, and a song from the Young Voices Choir. We hope to see you there.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Best wishes,
Miss Collier
Working together, we can all achieve success

School Photographs.

The school children and their siblings were all well behaved and boasting beautiful smiles when the Photographer visited last Thursday. Proof cards have now been distributed with the children and photographs can be ordered instantly online or by filling in the card and returning it to the class teacher in the bag provided by the 9th November 2018.



Use of Infant Entrance.

As we approach half term, we would like to ask parents of pupils in Class 1 and 2 to begin leaving their child at the entrance door each morning. We will ensure that teaching assistants are always available to pass on any important messages, if you can't leave a note in your child's planner. Please support your child in developing their independence by encouraging them to come in to school on their own each morning. This will also help the infant entrance area to be less congested



Walk to School Week.

Many thanks to all those who have encouraged children to walk, scoot and cycle from home to school and also those that have parked at the Doctors Surgery and completed the rest of the journey on foot. The children have discussed the health and environmental benefits. The winner of the inter-class competition for the most participants will be announced next week.



Autumn Term 2018

Tuesday 23rd October 3:30pm – 6:30pm
Parents' Evening
Thursday 25th October 3:30pm – 6:30pm
Parents' Evening
Friday 26th October
School Closed- Training day

Friday 9th November
WW2 Dress Up Day –KS2
Wednesday 5th December
Animated Theatre
EYFS/KS1 –The Magic Lamp
K2S –Tales from 1001 Nights
Tuesday 11th December 2:00pm
Nativity Performance –Class 1 and Class 2
Wednesday 12th December 6:00pm
Nativity Performance–Class 1 and Class 2
Tuesday 18th December
Christmas Dinner
Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday 19th December
Christmas Parties
Non-Uniform Day
Friday 21st December 2:30pm
Christmas Church Service

Dates added or changed this week are shown in red.



Golden Book.

Class 1- Anika De Kock
Class 2 - Thomas Skelton
Class 3 - Eva Foster
Class 4 - Skye Brazil
Class 5 - Alice Wright
Headteacher's Award – Sebastian Osborne

Sharing assembly.

This is held every Friday at 2:50pm in the school hall.

Oct 19th – Class 1

Nov 9th – Class 5
Nov 16th – Class 4
Nov 23rd – Class 3
Nov 30th – Class 2
Dec 7th – Class 1
Dec 14th – YV Choir
Dec 21st – Christmas Church Service



Fish Friday.

Due to unpopularity, Salmon Fishcakes will be replaced with breaded Fish Fingers from now on. Please note that on the last day of this half-term, Thursday 25/11/2018, the Friday menu of Breaded Fish with Chips or Wholemeal Cheese and Tomato Quiche with Chips, will be offered instead of Beef Bolognese and Vegetable Curry.



Family Matters York is a small charity which cares about and supports families across the City of York. They work with a number of individuals who are trained to deliver parenting courses and provide relationship support. The group are offering the following courses for parents next term:

Time Out for Parents - The Primary Years at New Earswick Children's Centre on Tuesday 13th, 20th, 27th November and 4th, 11th December from 12.45pm to 2.45pm.

Separated Parents - Elim Corner on Tuesday 6th and 13th November from 7.30pm to 9.30pm.

Time Out from Anger - Cornerstone, St. George's on Thursday 15th, 22nd, 29th November and 6th December from 12.45 to 2.45pm.

To book a place or for any further information please contact Helen Atkinson on 07393 147259 helenatkinson@fmy.org.uk

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Week 2

