

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

As we come to the end of another wonderful school year, I would like to thank our students, staff, parents and carers for their continued support and dedication.

A special farewell goes to our Year 6 children as they leave us for the next stage of their journey. We are incredibly proud of everything they have achieved during their time at our school and wish them every success and happiness as they begin their new adventures.

We would also like to say a heartfelt thank you and goodbye to Mrs Murphy. Her commitment, care and contribution to our school community have touched the lives of so many children and families, and she will be greatly missed. We wish her all the very best for the future.

Have a safe, happy and relaxing summer break, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back in September.

WE SAY FAREWELL TO OUR YEAR 6 PUPILS

As we say farewell to our wonderful Year 6 pupils, we do so with immense pride and affection. They have been fantastic role models, leaving behind a legacy of kindness, resilience and achievement. It was a joy to see how much they enjoyed both their Leavers' Disco and their graduation - two very special moments that truly celebrated all they have accomplished during their time with us. We would also like to extend our heartfelt thanks to parents and carers for joining us at the graduation ceremony and for your continued support, encouragement and involvement throughout the years. Your partnership has played a vital role in their journey. We wish our Year 6 pupils every success and happiness as they take their next steps - you will always be part of our school family.



WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO THIS HALF TERM...

YEAR 6 PIZZA EXPRESS TRIPS

Our Year 6 pupils had a fantastic time during their visit to Pizza Express, where they learned all about how pizzas are made and even had the opportunity to create their own delicious pizzas to bring back to school. The trip was a well-deserved treat following their SATs and a wonderful way to celebrate all the hard work, determination and effort they put into their tests. Well done, Year 6!



YEAR 4 LEEDS MUSEUM TRIP

Our Year 4 children had a wonderful trip to Leeds City Museum, where they enjoyed exploring the fascinating exhibits and discovering more about history, nature and world cultures. They showed great curiosity and enthusiasm throughout the visit, and their excellent behaviour made us all very proud. The trip was a fantastic opportunity to bring their classroom learning to life and inspire their love of discovery.



YEAR 5 ARMLEY MILLS TRIP

Our Year 5 pupils had a fantastic visit to Armley Mills, where they enjoyed learning about Leeds' rich industrial history through a range of interactive exhibits and activities. The children were enthusiastic and engaged throughout the day, asking thoughtful questions and demonstrating excellent behaviour. It was a valuable opportunity to bring their learning to life and deepen their understanding of the local area.



YEAR 1 CLEETHORPES TRIP

Our Year 1 children had a wonderful day at Cleethorpes, making the most of the sunshine as they played on the beach and enjoyed spending time with their friends. A particular highlight was, of course, eating delicious ice creams by the seaside! The children were a credit to the school throughout the trip and created some fantastic memories together.



RECEPTION SKELTON GRANGE TRIP

Our Reception children thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Skelton Grange, where they explored the outdoors and took part in a range of exciting hands-on activities. They showed great enthusiasm, curiosity and excellent behaviour throughout the day, making the most of this wonderful learning experience. Well done, Reception!



CARNIVAL

Our annual Carnival was once again a wonderful celebration of the diversity that makes our school community so special. Each year group proudly represented a different country, sharing their learning through colourful costumes, music and energetic dance performances. It was fantastic to see the children showcasing their talents and embracing cultures from around the world. We were especially delighted to welcome so many families to join in the celebrations this year, helping to create a joyful atmosphere and making the event a truly memorable occasion for everyone involved.





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WHAT WE CAN LOOK FORWARD TO IN THE NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR...

As we look ahead to the new academic year, we are excited to offer a rich programme of memorable experiences and inspiring opportunities for our pupils. Highlights will include a range of engaging trips such as the Year 6 visit to the Royal Armouries, the Year 4 Yorkshire Water trip, and the Year 5 exploration of the M&S Archives, alongside the ever-popular Year 6 Residential and their RERF trip. Our younger pupils will also enjoy hands-on learning through visits like Year 2's trip to the Thackray Medical Museum and special workshops including Fire! Fire!, Den Building for Year 4, and the immersive Wonderdome in the Rainbow Room and Year 2. We are also delighted to welcome enriching experiences such as Ian's Mobile Farm for Reception and the Rainbow Room, as well as exciting VR workshops across the school. With creative opportunities like The Cave theatre production for Year 3 and many more whole-school events planned, the year ahead promises to be full of curiosity, discovery, and joy in learning for every child.

MEET THE TEACHER

Although we are all looking forward to a well-earned summer break, we are already preparing for an exciting new school year. We are delighted to invite parents and carers to our Meet the Teacher sessions, where you will have the opportunity to meet class teachers and phase leaders and hear key information about the year ahead, including important dates, expectations, routines and uniform.

Years 1-3: Wednesday 2nd September, 3:30-4:00pm
Years 4-6: Thursday 3rd September, 3:30-4:00pm

We hope to see you there!

IMPORTANT DATES:

- **SEPTEMBER 1**
Training Day - School closed
- **SEPTEMBER 2**
School reopens
- **OCTOBER 23**
Training Day - School closed
- **JANUARY 4**
Training Day - School closed
- **MAY 28**
Training Day - School closed
- **JULY 22**
Training Day - School closed