#### **Newsletter**

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#### LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER WITH FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

#### **Our School Vision**

## LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER WITH FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

With Faith, anything is possible
Believe in yourself
With Hope, all things are brighter
Believe in your future
With Love, we are never alone
Believe in others

Our vision is based on the Parable of The Mustard Seed.

Click <a href="here">here</a> to read more about it.

# Our Collective Worship focus next week in school is:

Generosity

# Our behaviour focus next week in school is:

Being generous and kind.

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up just as in fact you are doing." 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Autumn Term 1 2024		
DATE	EVENT	
w/b 7 <sup>th</sup> October	Celebrating Neurodiversity	
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> October	World Mental Health Day – Mindfulness lessons for all children	
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Years 3 and 4 visit York Chocolate Story	
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Octo- ber	2-3pm Harvest Festival at Church for children and parents R-Y6	
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Non-Uniform Day for chil- dren - £1 Break up for Half Term	
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Training Day	

#### **Attendance**

Our attendance target this year is 93.5%

This week our attendance figure is 94.5%

This week the number of late marks is 21

Nightingales	94.5%
Robins	95.8%
Hawks	95.9%
Eagles	92.2%

Remember, school starts at 8.45 am. Children are marked as late if they come to school after 8.55am. **The number of late marks this week is 22.** Please ensure your child is here at 8.45am ready to learn.

## **Reception Stay and Play**

We asked all parents who attended the stay and play session for some feedback. 100% of parents said that the environment was engaging and purposeful and the displays

reflected what children were learning and as a result of the session, 96% of parents knew more about what their child was doing every day.

friendly very colourful
cosy
colourful
educational
busy
plenty to do
professional

### **Parent Voice**

Thank you to all the parents that came to our Parent Voice on Thursday. Parents asked for the lunch menu to be sent home and going forward, we will do that at the beginning of every term. It was also requested that end

of Year Expectations be sent home. That was also done via email thus week There are a few more requests that we are working on but it always so lovely to be able to work in partnership with our families.



### **Church News**

Reverend Wendy is planning to start a **Caterpillars Club** for all 0-36 month old children + an accompanying adult on **Tuesday October 22nd 1.30- 3pm** in **St Mary's Church.** Play, toys, music and story + coffee/tea for all adults. Do pop in and meet up with or make new friends! No charge!

### **Harvest**

Can children bring food for our Harvest Food Bank collection order to support Selby Food Bank? Tinned and packet foods are perfect! We will be dropping the food off at Church in the last week of half term.

## **Applying for High School**

Children born between 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014 are due to start secondary school in September 2025. These children are our current Year 6s. You can apply from 1 September 2024. The deadline is 31 October 2024. Please click <a href="here">here</a> to apply.



## **Star of The Week**



Elsa	For being a lovely kind friend
Kailan	For being kind and generous
Lewis	For being such a kind and gentle
	member of the class.
Precious	For being super kind to Mrs Slater.

## Writer of The Week

Islan
Colby
Rocco

# Reading Raffle Winners

Melody Hunter Ba Bella A

### **Class Dojo**

50—Rory, Lilly Be