



St Lawrence's C of E Primary School

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Caring, Considerate, Courageous

As I have loved you, so you must love one another. (John 13:34-35)



A Message from Miss Hammond

This week Year 1,2,5 and 6 visited the cinema. We are so incredibly PROUD of how well they represented our school on their walk to and from the cinema as well as during the film. Year 5 and 6 in particular really looked after our Year 1's and 2's setting a great example and being wonderful role models. It was also really lovely to see you during the parent meetings this week and I wanted to say thank you for the wonderful feedback we received about your children's learning and the support we provide in school. Thank you!

Year 4 Otters

In Year 4 this week they have been using dienes to help us round to the nearest ten and nearest hundred in Maths!



The class also celebrated **Odd Socks Day** on Monday to mark the start of Anti Bullying Week. This is to show that it is okay to be different and to stand up against bullying and discrimination.



Some of you may have noticed 2 new faces in the playground this morning - as a school we have recently been successful in bidding for access and support from the York Mental Health Support Team. We would like to say a big hello and welcome to Rachel and Bryony from the York Wellbeing in Mind Team who will be working closely with us as a school this academic year, looking to support and promote mental health and wellbeing across staff, pupils and you, our wider school community.

This half term they will be coming in regularly to get to know us and learn all things St Lawrence's, so please stop and say hello if you see them. As part of the project they would love to hear your opinions on what is currently offered to promote mental health and wellbeing and anything further you feel may be needed - a link has been sent to you via email and if you would like to contribute then this will be greatly appreciated.

Rachel and Bryony are very excited to begin working in our school and following a review of your feedback will start with tailored activities. In the meantime, please explore the Wellbeing in Mind Team's Instagram and X (Twitter) page to see what the service is already getting up to across York and North Yorkshire.



Diary Dates

Friday 24th November	Rally Road Racers - Cinema Trip - Y4
Friday 24th November	Super Mario Bros - Cinema Trip - Y3
Tuesday 28th November	SEN Parents' Coffee Morning - 8.45am to 9.45am
Monday 4th December	Christmas Tree Decorating Day
Monday 4th December	Y3 - YoYo Christmas Walk Through Experience
Monday 4th December	Y4 - York Minster: Pilgrimage in a Hour Trip
Tuesday 5th December	EYFS Taster and Toast - 8.30am
Monday 11th December	Y5 - York Minster: Creative Creations
Tuesday 12th December	Y4 Last Swimming this term
Tuesday 12th December	EYFS Nativity - Performance 1 - 9.15am
Tuesday 12th December	KS1 Christmas Performance - Year 1 Parents - 2.15pm
Wednesday 13th December	EYFS Nativity - Performance 2 - 9.15am
Wednesday 13th December	KS1 Christmas Performance - Year 2 Parents - 2.15pm
Friday 15th December	Christmas Jumper and Lunch Day!
Monday 18th December	Y1/2 - York Minster: Creative Creations Trip
Monday 18th December	Y3 & Y4 Christmas Party
Tuesday 19th December	Christmas Service at St Lawrence's Church - 9.15am
Tuesday 19th December	Y5 & Y6 Christmas Party
Tuesday 19th December	Christmas Disco (more details to follow)
Wednesday 20th December	Nursery & Reception Christmas Party
Wednesday 20th December	Y1/2 Christmas Party
Thursday 21st December	Break Up for Christmas
Friday 22nd December	TRAINING DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED

Attendance for this Week



Reception - 87.88%



Year 1/2 - 97.50%

Year 3 - 90.40%

Year 4 - 100%

Year 5 - 89.44%

Year 6 - 97.92%

Whole School - 94.43%

'Proud' Awards

Each week, the Class Teachers pick two children from their class who were really good at showing our 'PROUD' values.

This week's superstars are:

Nursery: Jessica Guy

Reception: Andre Mbiza

Year 1/2: Ibrahim Akgul and Autumn Sullivan

Year 3: Yena Lee and Tyler Grant

Year 4: Dylan Anderson and Abraham Sinaga-Jones

Year 5: Thomas Townsend and Victoria Foster

Year 6: Aziz Faisal and Jaxon Cameron

Music: Tillie Bancroft and Yena Lee

We are really proud of you! Very well done.

We are so PROUD of you

Lunch Menu

Jacket Potato option available every day!

Please find our full menu on our school website: <http://www.stlawrencesschool.org/parents/school-meals-menu>

Week Commencing: Monday 20th November

Monday	* Meat Free Mondays * Margarita Pizza , Cheese and Tomato Quiche, Jam Doughnut Muffins
Tuesday	Spaghetti Bolognese or Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread, Chocolate Cookies
Wednesday	Roast Chicken or Quorn Bake with Mashed Potatoes, Jelly
Thursday	Chicken Korma with Rice or Macaroni Cheese , Oaty Fruit Crumble
Friday	Crispy Batter Fish or Quorn Nuggets with Chips and Beans, Artic Roll

Week Commencing: Monday 27th November

Monday	* Meat Free Mondays * Margarita Pizza, Autumn Vegetable Bake, Chocolate Crunch Cookie
Tuesday	Meatballs with Pasta or Cheese and Potato Pie, Sponge Cake
Wednesday	Roast Gammon or Veggie Sausage with Mashed Potatoes, Fruit in Jelly
Thursday	Chicken Tikka Masala or Vegetarian Enchiladas with Rice, Honey and Oat Muffins
Friday	Crispy Batter Fish or Quorn Burger with Chips and Beans or Peas, Ice Cream



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SEND Parents' Coffee Morning

Sleep Tight – helping you to help your child sleep

Tuesday 28th November 8.45am – 9.45am

Why is sleep important?

Why do some children with special needs struggle
with sleep?

Bedtime routines

Share ideas and tips with other parents



Please let Mrs Crooks in the
School Office know if you
are planning to come along