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Friday 9th July 2021,

Dear Parents, Carers & Friends,

Non-Uniform Day

On Wednesday, we will be supporting Finn and the Williamson family to raise funds in memory of Finn's brother Josh. As part of Sarcoma Awareness Month we are inviting the children come in non-uniform to join #TeamBones on the 14th July for Orange Wednesday. Children may wear something orange or simply non-uniform. Donation buckets will be at the school gates in the morning.

Confirmations

Congratulations to Monty, Thomas, Lyla and Connie who were confirmed into the Church of England last night by the Bishop of Whitby. A double congratulations to Connie and Lyla who were also baptised at the same time. Certificates were presented to the children in Celebration assembly this morning.

Collections

We have two collections running in school at the moment. Parents are very welcome to contribute if they so wish.

Firstly many of you will know that Rev. Paul will be leaving the parish at the end of August. Rev. Paul has worked very closely with the school and provides much support to the school both as a vicar and governor. He will be very much missed by both children and staff.

Secondly, Miss Wardle will be getting married in the summer after her wedding being delayed last year due to Covid.

If you would like to make a donation please label the envelope clearly and ask your child to place it in the class Covid box. Thank you.

Missing Uniform

We have a red school logo jumper missing from the Early years class. This has the name stitched on the front. There is also a pair of named black school trousers missing too. Please could you check that these have not been brought home by mistake and if found return to the school reception. Thank you.

Could we also remind you that all items of uniform, including shoes, should be named as this helps us to return items to the correct child.

Hidden Harm Campaign

The North Yorkshire's Safeguarding Children Partnership (NYSCP) is asking everyone in North Yorkshire to be alert to changes in children and young people that could suggest they are suffering "hidden harm" or abuse. As more meeting places, clubs and venues open up as further Covid-19 restrictions are lifted, they are asking you to be their eyes and ears in the community and report any concerns you might have for children. Pressures on families arising from periods of social isolation during the pandemic have increased the risk of mental and physical harm to children and young people, but these signs of harm have been harder to detect, due to the lack of usual face-to-face interaction.

Read more about how to spot the signs of hidden harm on the NYSCP website here:

www.safeguardingchildren.co.uk/parents-carers/what-is-hidden-harm

NYSCP have also produced a podcast about Hidden Harm – listen [here](#).

You can report any concerns about a child or young person anonymously on 01609 780780.

NYSCP is a partnership between North Yorkshire County Council, North Yorkshire Police and North Yorkshire Clinical Commissioning Group.

Diary Dates

Y6 Leavers Service	Thursday 22nd July 1.30pm
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Next week I will be in Danby School on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday and at Egton School on Tuesday and Friday.

With best wishes,



Liz Orland
Headteacher

The information below has not changed but is still relevant.

REMINDER - Staff Contact

Please contact your class teacher via email in the first instance if you require assistance with any aspect of the remote learning or google access, such as passwords. Thank you.

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Please note that staff emails are only monitored during the hours of 8am and 4pm Monday to Friday. For anything urgent outside of these hours please contact the admin email.

admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk

REMINDER - Covid Guidance

We have updated our parent guidance which you can find [HERE](#).

We now have a [Face Covering Protocol](#) in place.

REMINDER - Rapid lateral flow testing for households and bubbles of school pupils and staff

On Sunday 28 February, the [Department of Health and Social Care announced](#) that from Monday 1 March, households with primary school, secondary school and college age children, including child care and support bubbles, can test themselves twice every week at home as schools return from Monday 8 March. Households, childcare and support bubbles of primary, secondary and college staff can also be tested. Twice-weekly testing will also be offered to adults working in the wider school community, including bus drivers and after school club leaders. The twice-weekly test kits can be accessed:

- via employers if they offer testing to employees
- at a local test centre
- by collecting a home test kit from a test site
- by ordering a home test kit on-line

This [guidance](#) provides information on who can be tested and how you can get a test.

REMINDER- Covid testing

If your child starts to show any symptoms of Covid or you have taken them for a Covid test please let us know via the admin email, even at the weekend. We are still required to report all cases of Covid linked to our school and monitor our emails for covid notifications daily. Thank you.

REMINDER - Term Dates

Friday 23rd July - Break up for Summer at 3.15pm

Whitby Food Bank

We continue to act as a local collection point for the village and immediate areas for Whitby Food Bank. There is a collection box at the front of school should you wish to make a donation of essential items to the food bank at any time. We are working to be Covid safe, the box is located beside our sanitising station and items will be quarantined before being exchanged with the bank. Do check out their website to see which items are greatly needed at the moment. Thank you. www.foodbank4whitby.org.uk