



Covid Update

Thank you for your continued support with trying to keep everyone safe and slow the spread of infection. Can I please remind you that if your child is showing the recognised Covid symptoms then they need to go for a PCR test rather than testing using a lateral flow test. Where an individual is already showing Covid symptoms, then a PCR test is the most effective way to determine whether someone is positive.

History Visits

This week we have finally finished our local History visits. These have involved almost all pupils from Year 1 through to Year 6 visiting some of the many historical sites that we have in Thirsk. These have included Castle Garth to learn about Thirsk Castle, Thirsk Museum, Pudding Pie Hill, Worlds End Bridge and the former site of the Mill. Thank you to all of the parents and carers that came along to allow these trips to take place.

Bikeability

This week has seen the start of the Bike ability training for Year 6 pupils. They have been learning basic cycling skills, practicing firstly on the school playground and then putting their skills in to action on the local roads. For those Year 6 pupils that are yet to do this, we hope to be running more cycling proficiency later in the school year.

Photos

On Tuesday 30th November we will be having the school photographer visiting the school. We will be taking individual photos and sibling photos (of children that are part of our school) during the day. This year, due to Covid, we have decided against doing photos involving siblings not in our school. We hope to restart this next school year.

School Site

As the temperature drops please take care on the school site. Although the site is regularly gritted, in colder weather please do take care -especially on the path that goes around the children's Centre.

Attendance

Class	% attendance this week (all pupils)
	All pupils
Reception	82.4%
Year 1	87.6%
Year 2	94.3%
Year 3	91.8%
Year 4	96.8%
Year 5	91.9%
Year 6	91.9%
Whole school	91.7%

Dates for Your Diary

29th Bikeability G1 Day 2

30th School Individual photo

Dec

4th Dec PTA Christmas Fayre

8th Flu vaccine mop up

10th Christmas Jumper day

13th Virtual Christmas Panto

14th Virtual PTA Raffle

Yr5 & 6 Xmas Party (pm)

15th PTA Polar Express Movie Night

KS1 Xmas party (am)

Yr 3 & 4 Xmas party (pm)

16th Reception Nativity

17th EYFS Xmas Party

St Mary's Church visit

**JOIN US
FOR
FESTIVE
FUN**



Save the date

**Saturday 4th
December**

1pm till dark

**Thirsk Community Primary
School**

Christmas Market

Market stalls
Inflatables
Carol singers
Brass band
Santa
Hot food and drinks
Children's fayre games
Bottle tombola
And much much more

**Parentkind
Member Association**

PTA Christmas Fayre

If you would like a stall at the fayre—please contact one of the PTA members or call at the school office.

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS



Christmas Reads

Our wonderful display of Christmas Reads in our amazing library !!



Children In Need



Many thanks to everyone who donated towards this worthy cause.

We managed to raise £140
Thank You