



Behaviour policy

You may be aware that since we have returned to school in September we have introduced a new behaviour policy. The new behaviour policy is based around the work of educationalist Paul Dix and is routed in celebrating making wise decisions and good choices. Our key message to all children is that we would like them to be 'ready, respectful and safe' each day.

Ready is -ready for learning, ready to listen, ready and prepared for the lesson/ day ahead.

Respectful is -respectful to each other, respectful to the adults that they work with and respectful to each others feeling.

Safe is -making sure our actions keep ourselves and others safe.

In each classroom there is a recognition board where pupils that demonstrate these skills and attitudes are celebrated. Where there are concerns relating to behaviour pupils may be given a 'yellow card' or a 'blue card'. When this happens pupils will spend time with Mrs Kaufman reflecting on what needs to change. To read the policy in full please visit the school website.

Parents Evening

Thank you to all the parents/ carers that came to this weeks parents evenings. Overall, these events have been well attended and it has been really good to welcome parents and carers back in to the school building again. If you have yet to meet your child's teacher please contact the school office to arrange an appointment. Thanks to those of you that took time to fill in the parent questionnaire -if you would like to do this and haven't done so it is on the school website.

Football Competition

A huge well done to the pupils in Year Six that went to the football competition at the high school. All the pupils that took part played really well and tried their very best. Good luck to the girls that are taking part in next weeks competition.

PTA

Finally a huge thank you to the PTA for arranging the 'Boo -Bash' later today. The dedicated team have spent a lot of time organising this event and on behalf of all the pupils and families that are coming I would like to say thank you.

Attendance

Class	% attendance this week (all pupils)
The Hive (R)	95.5
Sutton (Y1)	94
Roseberry Topping (Y2)	100
Helvellyn (Y3)	90.7
Scafell (Y4)	98.6
Snowdon (Y5)	96.6
Ben Nevis (Y6)	89.3
Total	94.4

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS



Dates for Your Diary

October

18th High Sch Open Morning
21st Girls Football Competition
22nd Close for half term

Nov

3rs Influenza Vaccinations
8-12th Wow week History
12th Children In Need

Open Days

Is your child ready to be starting school in September 2022?

Are you thinking about moving schools?

No need to worry, we have open days for yourself and your child to visit our amazing school.

Thirsk Community Primary School is a warm and welcoming school for your child to learn, to be happy and supported to achieve their personal best. To book a place for a school tour on any of the following dates, please contact the school office on 01845 524349 or email admin@thirsk-pri.n-yorks.sch.uk

We are looking forward to showing you around our enrichment based school, and the following dates and times are available for booking;

Monday 22nd November 1.45pm or 4pm

Tuesday 23rd November 9.45am or 4pm

Wednesday 24th November 1.45pm

Additionally, we are holding an information evening on Wednesday 24th November at 5.30pm. Where you will be able to meet the Early years team, receive information about the school and have a look at our reception classrooms. Please use the details above to book a place.

We look forward to meeting you all.

Any queries, please contact the office team on 01845 524349 or email admin@thirsk-pri.n-yorks.sch.uk and we will be able to support you.



FAO Parents of nursery age children
(who were born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018)

If you have a child who falls into the age range above they are due to start school in September 2022 and you must apply for a primary school place for them to start in Reception.

The deadline to submit your application is 15 January 2022

You must apply for a school place even if your child has an older sibling at the school you would like them to go to or they are attending a nursery attached to the school.

This information is for families living in North Yorkshire. Families living outside North Yorkshire will need to contact their home authority to obtain their information regarding school admissions.

The information you need to apply for a primary school place is available at www.northyorks.gov.uk/school-admissions including:

- the criteria used by the authority to allocate school places at maintained schools
- links to the admission arrangements for schools which are their own admissions authority, such as certain academy schools and voluntary aided schools
- arrangements for the admission of pupils to primary schools, including any social or medical reasons why your child should be given special consideration for allocation to a particular school;
- specific school information including the number of places allocated and statistics for the 2021-22 academic year
- eligibility for home-to-school transport;
- The online parent portal where you will be able to create an account and apply online for a school place,

It is important that you read all of the information on the school admissions and transport pages before completing the online Common Application Form (CAF).

Online applications - you will need to:

- Create an account if you do not already have one (you will receive a verification registration email);
- If you already have an account you can reset your own password, we cannot do this for you;
- Log back into your account to add your child's details and dob
- Select the round you are applying for ie Reception Application to Start - September 2022*. You can then add your school preferences and other details;
- **Remember to submit your application.** When you have submitted your application you will receive an email confirming that the Authority has received your CAF, keep this as proof you have made an application. Please contact us if you do not receive an acknowledgement.

*The school round that is available is specific to your child's date of birth (dob), if it is not showing after you have added your child's details please check that you have input their dob correctly. If your child is out of their chronological year group you will need to email us for a paper version of the form.

Paper applications - if you do not have internet access, you can request a copy of the information for parents and a paper copy of the common application form, contact details overleaf.

Remember you must submit an application form no later than 15 January 2022.

Late applications - any application received after this date will be considered late and will be dealt with after those received on time. This could affect the allocation of your child's school place, for more details see

Children and Young People's Service ■

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In Search of Light



A light-hearted morning at holiday club - let your children shine

Stories, activities, crafts & treasure trail

When: Wednesday 27th October 2021, 10am-12pm
Where: East Thirsk Community Hall
Contact: thirskparishes@gmail.com





Harvest Festival Lunch 20th October 2021

We are to have a Harvest Festival Lunch on Wednesday, 20th October. Lunch will be:-

Roast Chicken with Stuffing and Gravy

Mashed Potatoes

Seasonal Vegetables

Harvest Bread



Fresh Fruit

Apple & Toffee Cake

Yoghurt

Children who normally bring a packed lunch are invited to join us for lunch on this day.

The lunch will cost £2.55 for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6, Reception, Years 1 & 2 are covered by the Universal Free School Meal.

SATURDAY 30TH OCTOBER

10 AM – 12 NOON



**THIRSK METHODIST CHURCH
AND
SALVATION ARMY**



**THE
KIDS COMMUNITY
WARDROBE**

**"GOOD QUALITY USED CHILDREN'S
CLOTHES AVAILABLE
AT
EXTREMELY LOW PRICES".**



REUSE, RECYCLE, AFFORDABLE



**TEAS, COFFEES
AND
SOFT DRINKS AVAILABLE.**



**AT THE METHODIST CHURCH
ST JAMES GREEN**

Harvest Festival

**20th October is our Harvest Festival Special
Lunch**

**All food donations to be brought in on Friday
22nd October—please note this is a Non-school
Uniform Day**



THE REOPENING OF YOUTH CLUB

Hello,

I am Ryan, the new Youth Co-ordinator
At Community Works in Thirsk.

I am writing to tell you and your
parents That Youth Club in Thirsk will
be restarting from the 20th October,
every Wednesday evening at 4:00pm
until 5:30pm for you to all come a long
too again. The times in future may
change as we are doing small groups to
start us off and we will be splitting up
the two age ranges in to groups as it
gets going.

I am looking forward to meeting you all and getting to know you
individually and have some fantastic activities and sessions planned
for you all to be involved with. If you are planning on attending please
can you confirm that you will be coming by calling [01845 524494](tel:01845524494) or
emailing ryan@communityworks.uk before Monday please.

See you all on Monday, have a great weekend!

R Swain

