



CARLTON MINIOTT PRIMARY ACADEMY

Dates for your diary 2020

- 9th March - Class 5 Cake Stall
- 9th March - Class R Thirsk Library & Bookshop Trip
- 19th March - Yrs 3/4 visit to Roseberry Topping
- 19th March - FOS Disco
- 23rd March - Class 4 Cake Stall
- 24th/25th March - Yrs 3/4 Easter Eggstravaganza
- 25th March - Visit by MandM Productions Touring Theatre Company performing The Railway Children
- 27th March - Mrs Jameson's last music lesson of the term
- 30th March - Yrs 5/6 'York Dig' visit
- 1st April - Classes 5 and 6 Landing Day at 1.30pm
- 1st April - Easter Lunch
- 2nd April - Year 5 Enrichment Day at Thirsk School
- 3rd April - School closes for Easter

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School Council Report

World Book Day - this was a great hit. Well done for such amazing outfits. I hope you had fun time-travelling through classrooms; KS1 made some lovely make-up and KS2 had fun making some amazing artwork. I hope you all enjoyed it (can't wait for next year).
(Lily G - Yr6)

Thank you for supporting our Horrible Histories World Book Day. The children spent the morning rotating round the classrooms, where the activities in each one were themed around different time periods. This was a really good celebration of information books and the wonders of non-fiction. Each child will receive a book token which can be used either to buy a book specially published for World Book Day or against the price of any book of their choosing.
(Mrs Mallett)

Years 1 and 2 Furry Friend - This week Years 1 and 2 had a furry visitor, Ralph. Ralph is Mrs Preston's dog. She kindly brought him into school to help the children with their 'Pets and Vets' topic. All the children loved Ralph and we can't wait to see him again.
(Lily G - Yr6)

CATS at Sowerby Primary

Well done to Seth, Jake, Freddy, Macie, Ruby and Keeley for representing the school so well at the CATS Festival at Sowerby Primary on Thursday 5th March. Everyone tried so hard and worked well as a team. Congratulations to Keeley for being awarded the CATS trophy for showing great sportsmanship, commitment and enjoyment - well done.





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Dates for your diary 2020 continued

- 20th April - Staff Training Day, school will not be open to pupils
- 21st April - School opens for Summer Term

Pop-Up Library (Class R)

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Almond and her pop-up library into school.

Class R are the first class to be able to choose from a wide selection of beautiful picture books, hand-picked from Thirsk Library just for us by Mrs Almond. The pop-up library will be rolled out to other classes throughout the year.



Music For Life



This week Sowerby Music and FOS sponsored a visit from Voces8 into school. Emily brought in four of her colleagues; 1 Soprano, 1 Alto, 1 Tenor and 1 Bass singer.

They spent an hour with the children performing singing pieces and teaching the children vocal activities and songs.

Years 3 and 4 completed workshops during the day and it all culminated with a fantastic performance from all the children and Voces8 at the end of the day. A big thank you to Sowerby Music and FOS for supporting us with this exciting musical event.

School Dinner - Easter Lunch

Our next School Dinner Themed Day is on Wednesday 1st April. The special 'themed' menu includes the choice of Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Mash and Veg; (v) Veg Casserole or Jacket Potato and for dessert Easter Nest; Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt. These options are listed on ParentPay and can be ordered and paid for in the usual way.



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Coronavirus

Please see attached a letter addressed to Parents/Carers from Nigel Ashley, CEO of Elevate Academy Trust with updated information about this virus. These letters can also be found in the 'Parents' section of our school website.

MSA Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Midday Supervisory Assistant. Come and join our friendly team of Midday Supervisors working from 12.15 to 1.15 pm, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. If you are interested in applying please see details on our school website or contact the School Office for further information.

Water Bottles

Our policy is for our pupils to have access to a drink of water in school. We ask that pupils have a named water bottle with them which is to be taken home at the end of the week (or more frequently) to be washed.

If your child does not have a water bottle of their own they are available to buy from school, for your child to keep, at a cost of £1 per bottle.

FOS Disco

The next FOS disco will be held on Thursday 19 March.

The Reception/KS1 disco will be held from 5.45pm-6.45pm and KS2 7-8pm. Entry is £3.50 per child, which includes a drink, a hotdog, a bag of crisps and a piece of fruit. Additional hotdogs, cans, sweets and novelty items are available at extra cost.

Junior Bake Off

Please see attached details about Junior Bake Off, a Channel 4 programme, looking for young budding bakers between 9 - 15 years old.

Interested bakers can apply online and applications close on Sunday 5th April 2020 .

Academy logo



Dear Parents and Carers

Coronavirus Update as at 05.03.2020:

A Central Working Group has been set up to monitor, advise and review the situation on a daily basis. We are closely following the Government's guidance for Education Settings and any updates they issue.

Head teachers are receiving Government updates on a daily basis and are aware of any changes that are being made, which they will implement.

Teachers and staff are encouraging the children to wash their hands on a regular basis and to blow their noses with a tissue.

Procedures have been put in place in the event anyone shows symptoms of the virus.

Please can we ask you to continue to support us at home by ensuring you and your children wash hands on a regular basis.

Also, if your family has recently travelled to or through any of the high risk countries or you have been in contact with any relatives or visitors who have recently travelled abroad or through any high risk countries which as at 03.03.2020 are:

- Hubei province in China in the last 14 days, even if you do not have symptoms
- Iran, lockdown areas in northern Italy or special care zones in South Korea since 19 February, even if you do not have symptoms
- other parts of mainland China or South Korea, Hong Kong, Japan, Macau, Malaysia, Singapore, Taiwan or Thailand in the last 14 days and have a cough, high temperature or shortness of breath (even if your symptoms are mild)
- other parts of northern Italy (anywhere north of Pisa, Florence and Rimini), Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar or Vietnam since 19 February and have a cough, high temperature or shortness of breath (even if your symptoms are mild)

Please can you let the Head teacher know immediately and keep your child/ren away from school until further advice is given by the Academy.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact your head teacher.

We will of course keep you informed of any updates.

Thank you

Nigel Ashley
CEO

Head teacher

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