



Newsletter – Issue 22 26th February 2019

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Y3! IT'S YOUR BUN DAY THIS FRIDAY THE 1st OF MARCH – YOUR TURN TO BRING IN THE BUNS!

Don't forget each of you in Y3 should bring in either a packet of biscuits/buns/cake (homemade or shop bought) **on or before Friday 1st March!** We will sell everything that is brought in to the rest of the school at break time on Friday! All money raised to go towards our Children's Hospital Snowflake Appeal ☺ **All buns/biscuits/cake will be sold for 20p each – THERE WILL BE NO TUCKSHOP ON THIS DAY!**

Please help us raise funds by supporting this event!!!!

Thank you ☺

CONSULTATION – YOUR HELP NEEDED!

The Head of Commissioning for Inclusion and Schools wants to hear your views about how Sheffield achieve their vision of being an inclusive city, where all children and young people who would benefit receive the education, health and care support they are entitled to and need, and to ensure that as many children as possible receive education and support in a local mainstream school.

They are launching a six-week consultation around how best to invest in, improve, grow and expand the specialist provision for children with additional needs.

Parents and carers of children with SEND, school support staff and anyone else with an interest in provision for children and young people with SEND are encouraged to complete the survey via the Consultation Hub at:

<https://sheffield.citizenspace.com/performance-research/provision-for-children-young-people-with-send/>

The consultation is open between Monday 18th February and Sunday 31st March.

Jesus said: "Love one another as I have loved you."

At St Thomas More our Mission is to love and to be loved. We believe that Love is:

Kindness, justice, acceptance, forgiveness and friendship; it is unconditional and inclusive, allowing each one of us to learn and to grow to become the wonderful person God created us to be.

Important Dates:

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 25th February – Friday 8th March
Fairtrade Fortnight

Thursday 28th February
Y5 School Library Afternoon @2:15pm – 3:15pm

**Friday 1st March
Y3 Bun Day!**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY FOR SPRING

2:

Tuesday 5th – Wednesday 6th March
Y4 Residential Trip

Tuesday 5th March
Pancake Day - Have a pancake made for 50p!

Wednesday 6th March
Ash Wednesday Mass in School @ 9:30am

Thursday 7th March
World Book Day Showcase @ 2:25pm – 3:15pm

**Friday 8th March
Y2 Bun Day!**

Friday 8th March
F2 School Library Afternoon @ 2:00pm – 3:00pm

Monday 11th March – Monday 18th
Science Fortnight!

World Maths Week!
Monday 11th March – Friday 15th March

Tuesday 12th March
F2 Stay & Play @ 9:00am – 10:00am

Tuesday 12th March
Y4 School Library Afternoon @ 2:15pm - 3:15pm

Thursday 14th March
NSPCC Assembly and Workshops

**Friday 15th March
School Snowflake Fundraising Day!**

Friday 15th March @ 3:20pm – 5:15pm
The Greatest Showman Sing-a-long!

**Friday 15th March
Y1 Bun Day!**

Monday 18th March
Science Fair @ 2:45pm

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

THANK YOU Y4!!

A massive thank you to Y4 who provided the buns, cakes, biscuits and donuts the week before half term for their Bun Day – you were amazing! They raised a fabulous **£78.87!!** Y3...it's your turn this week – it's going to be a really tough act to follow but we are sure you can do it! Thank you to all our families and pupils for supporting this event 😊

Thank you to School Council for sorting and delivering all the trays of goodies to each class and counting up the money raised 😊



THE GREATEST SHOWMAN SING-A-LONG!

FRIDAY 15TH MARCH @ 3:20PM – 5:15PM



The Friends Association are organising "The Greatest Showman" sing-along **on Friday 15th March at 3:20pm – 5:15pm!** Come along and watch this fantastic movie and join in with the songs!

The price will be £2 per child which includes a drink and a snack. If you would like your child to attend please send £2 into school in an envelope marked with your child's name and class **by Tuesday 12th March**. All proceeds raised to go to Friends Association.

Please note this is a PG film so by sending your child you are agreeing to them watching this and you will need to arrange for your child to be collected from school at 5.15pm.

Important Dates:

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY FOR SPRING 2:

Tuesday 19th March
Y5 D&T Afternoon

Wednesday 20th March
Y3 School Library Afternoon @ 2:15pm – 3:15pm

Wednesday 20th March
Y3 School Library Afternoon @ 2:15pm – 3:15pm

Thursday 21st March
World Poetry Day

Thursday 21st March
Y3 Multi-skills Festival @Yewlands

Friday 22nd March
Y3 Trip to York Transport Museum

**Friday 22nd March
Reception Bun Day!**

Friday 22nd March
Y5 Wacky hair Day for £1.00

Friday 22nd March
Y1 Library Afternoon @ 2:45pm – 3:15pm

Tuesday 26th March
Y2 School Library Afternoon @ 2:15pm – 3:15pm

Tuesday 26th March
Y5 & Y6 SWFC Environmental Afternoon

Wednesday 27th March
Y6 Engineers Without Borders Session

Wednesday 27th March
Y5 Leeds Cricket Trip

Thursday 28th March
Y6 School Library Afternoon @ 2:15pm – 3:15pm

Friday 29th March
Y5 Backwards Day for £1.00!

Friday 29th March
F2 Crazy Hair/Hat day for £1.00

Monday 1st April – Friday 12th April
Easter Holiday

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Monday 15th April – Thursday 18th April
Y5 Bikeability

Thursday 18th April
Y6 Lenten Liturgy @ 2:15pm

Friday 19th April & Monday 22nd April
School Closed for Good Friday & Easter Monday

Tuesday 23rd April
Easter Bonnet Competition - £1.00 entry fee

Friday 3rd May
Staff Bun Day – Proceeds to The Good Shepherd Fund – 20p a bun!

Wednesday 19th June
Notre Dame Roadshow at School @ 5:30pm – 7:30pm

Wednesday 3rd – Friday 5th July
Y6 Residential Trip

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

SCIENCE FORTNIGHT!



MONDAY 11TH MARCH – MONDAY 18TH MARCH

During the above dates classes will be completing investigations and experiments throughout the weeks. Each class will be set a 'Challenge' that they will need to investigate!

Science Fair - Monday 18th March 2019 at 2:45pm:

We will be having a science fair for parents! All parents welcome from 2:45pm in the hall. Children from each year group will be demonstrating their learning from that week and examples of the challenges that the children were set will be demonstrated 😊

Tea, coffee, biscuits and cake will be served for a small donation - all donations going to our Sheffield Children's Hospital Snowflake Appeal! 😊

SCHOOL COUNCIL PANCAKE DAY FUNDRAISER!

TUESDAY 5TH MARCH

It is Pancake Day on Tuesday 5th March and to celebrate School Council are giving all our children the opportunity to have a pancake made for them and raise money for our Sheffield Children's Hospital Snowflake Appeal! To have a pancake made we are asking for a **donation of 50p**. We will need to know in advance how many children want to have a pancake so please could you send in your 50p in a named envelope to class **by Monday 4th March** so we have time to get the right amounts for each class to make the pancakes! Thank you for your support 😊



WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

Last Weeks Attendance & Punctuality

Class	Percentage Attendance	Lates
F2	95.7	0
Year 1	98.7	2
Year 2	96	2
Year 3	99.3	0
Year 4	96.3	2
Year 5	97.3	0
Year 6	98.6	0
School Total	97.4	6

Well Done Y3 you will receive an extra playtime for your fantastic attendance last week!

100% Attendance & Punctuality Winners

F2	Kornelia
Year 1	Ava
Year 2	Gracie-Ann
Year 3	Max
Year 4	Rebekah
Year 5	
Year 6	Samantha

OUTSTANDING HOMEWORK!

Class	Winner
F2	Lily
Y1	Kylan
Y2	Gracie
Y3	Zeph
Y4	Leo
Y5	Aoibhin
Y6	Paulos

GROWTH MINDSET AWARD WINNER!



This week's winner is Vienna in Y1!

You've received this award for coming in every day with a smile on your face, taking your time with all of your work and learning that making mistakes makes us become 'incredible' learners! Well done Vienna! :)

Super stuff Vienna! 😊

LUNCHTIME CELEBRATION WINNERS!

FS2/KS1	Vienna Y1	for	Always being kind and helpful to all members of our school community. Lots of adults have also commented on your beautiful manners! Thank you and well done!
KS2	Nikola Y4	for	Your sensible and mature attitude and always being willing to help out with Job Squad. Thank you and well done!



Our Out of School Achievement Children!

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

IMPORTANT CHANGES TO BREAKFAST CLUB

There will be some changes made to breakfast club. From **Monday 4th March** children attending Breakfast Club should be **dropped off, signed in and paid for at reception** rather than in the hall.

The Breakfast Club runs from 8:00 am to 8:50 am (latest entry 8:30 am), with children given breakfast and supervised until school starts. **The cost is £3 per day.**

WORLD MATHS DAY!

World Maths Day is usually celebrated on Wednesday 6th March 2019. However due to World Book Day and Pancake day happening in the same week, classes will be marking this day by doing activities on one morning during the **week commencing Monday 11th March**. Parents will be invited into classes between **9.00am -9.30am** on the morning that your child's class will be celebrating.

Please see below for details of the day that your child's class will be celebrating and what your child's class will be up to!

CLASS	ACTIVITY
F2 FRIDAY 15TH MARCH	F2 will be exploring patterns with colour, shape and size and natural patterns outdoors. We will then be creating our own pictures based on patterns.
Y1 THURSDAY 14TH MARCH	Y1 will be exploring all different kinds of shapes. We will then be completing an exciting DT shape building challenge!
Y2 THURSDAY 14TH MARCH	Class Two will be carrying out their very own times tables investigations on World Maths Day with a carousel of activities on each table which will help children with their practice of the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables!
Y3 FRIDAY 15TH MARCH	Y3 will be having a morning consisting of problem solving and reasoning. We will start off with a maths meeting and then they will be working in groups to solve different problems. They will then be explaining to their friends how they solved them. We will also be holding a times tables competition where certificates will be given out.
Y4 FRIDAY 15TH MARCH	Year 4 will be looking at making numbers. Throughout the morning we will be playing Countdown, exploring Mayan maths and creating our own method for recording numbers.
Y5 FRIDAY 15TH MARCH	Year 5 will be exploring mathematical art and we will create our own logical artwork! As it's our PE day for the Snowflake Appeal, we'll also take part in active maths activities throughout the day. Our sponsored mile in the afternoon will be accompanied with some times tables songs to keep us going!
Y6 FRIDAY 15TH MARCH	Y6 will be using the Cuisenaire rods to develop and further our reasoning skills linked to ratio and algebra.

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FRIDAY 15TH MARCH – OUR SNOWFLAKE FUNDRAISING DAY!

Please remember that your child does not have to take part in the event but can still donate on the day.
Lessons will be as normal on the day



CLASS	EVENT	COST
F2	Pyjama Day	£1.00 per child
Y1	Pyjama Day	£1.00 per child
Y2	Pyjama Day	£1.00 per child
Y3	Crazy Hair Day! (If you don't want to have your hair crazy you can wear a hat/cap instead!)	£1.00 per child
Y4	Pyjama Day	£1.00 per child
Y5	PE Day – Come in active wear! Sponsored mile in the playground!	Sponsored event
Y6	Girl/Boy Dress Up – Come as your opposite! Charity Football match	£1.00 per child



THE BUN DAY FUNDRAISING!

- Every Friday one class will be responsible for bringing in a selection of cakes/buns/biscuits for them to sell that break time to the rest of the school for 20p. It could be a small cake that we can slice, a pack of buns, a pack of biscuits or some homemade cake or buns.

- If each child in in class brings in one of the above, we will have enough to sell to the rest of the school – you can bring in more than that if you want to though!

- Please can we ask that **NO ITEMS CONTAINING NUTS ARE SENT IN.**

- There will be **NO TUCK SHOP ON THESE FRIDAYS!**

- Here is the time table for each class's bun days:

CLASS	DATE
Y6	Thank you Y6!
Y5	Thank you Y5!
Y4	Thank you Y4
Y3	Friday 1st March - THIS FRIDAY!
Y2	Friday 8th March
Y1	Friday 15th March
RECEPTION	Friday 22nd March
TOTAL RAISED SO FAR	£227.47

We really hope you can support us with these Bun Day events – it will really make a difference to our contribution to the Children's Hospital Snowflake Appeal! Thank you in advance for your support! 😊



CELEBRATION AWARDS

Friday 15th February

F2	Oskar	for	Your enthusiasm for learning more on our trip to Eureka 🇺🇸 You enjoyed the day and loved sharing everything you found out. Well done!
	Leylan	for	Super listening skills when learning about Chinese New Year! You loved to find out new things and try some Chinese food! 😊
Year 1	Joshua	for	Trying really hard with your presentation and your handwriting in Maths and English. Keep it up Josh :)
	Myles	for	Blowing us away with your knowledge about the Royal Family and sharing this knowledge with the rest of the class. Well done Myles :)
Year 2	Anaya	for	You have blown our socks off this week by creating informative poster telling a younger child how to take care of their bodies and stay healthy! Super work, Anaya!
	Spencer	for	Always trying your hardest this week in your learning and your positive attitude to this! You have come in every morning ready to learn and discover new things! Well done, Spencer!
Year 3	Tabitha	for	For being a fabulous role model, for always trying your best and for supporting others. Good luck in your new school. We will miss you!
	Max	for	For having a fabulous attitude to your learning this week and for being really helpful around the classroom.
Year 4	Connar	for	Outstanding progress on telling the time. This achievement reflects the amazing focus on your learning both at home and at school. Keep it up Connar!
	Raphael	for	Applying a deeper understanding of decimals and fractions to his work. I'm very proud of the effort that you have put in and the outstanding outcomes you've achieved.
Year 5	CJ	for	Being such an inquisitive investigator during our science afternoon. You were so engaged with the experiments and asked great questions!
	Aimee	for	Being a fabulous scientist this week. You weren't afraid to get messy in the cornflour to explore its messy liquid and solid properties!
Year 6	Samantha	for	Challenging yourself in your writing working on greater depth objectives! Keep it up!
	Sienna	for	Having a SUPER learning attitude and challenging yourself in algebra this unit! Keep it up!

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

Moment Two: Catholic Schools: Families of Faith Week Commencing 11th March 2019

Here is the next piece of information regarding our work in school linked to the diocesan topics. The children will be receiving daily lessons and reflections for w/c 11.03.19 on this second moment along with homework linked to this second moment topic. Homework will be given out on 13.03.19

Each day of the Week has its own unique theme with associated resources that the classes will follow.

The daily themes are:

Monday: Our Family at Home

Tuesday: Our School Family

Wednesday: Grandparents: A Special Part of Our Family

Thursday: Our Parish Family

Friday: Our World Family

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:

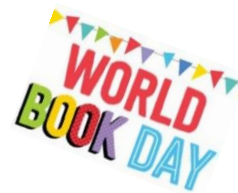
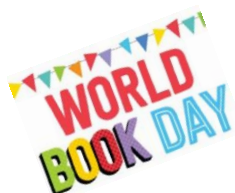
Due to no one signing up, the following clubs have been cancelled:

KS2 GIRLS FOOTBALL WEDNESDAYS

F2/KS1 MIXED FOOTBALL THURSDAYS

So far we have we have 2 children sign up for the KS2 Boys Football on a Tuesday. This will go ahead as planned tonight but if we have no others signing up this will have to be cancelled as well.

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*World Book Day will be held on **Thursday 7th March 2019**. To mark this day, each class will be off timetable to complete book, genre and author-related activities, which we will present in **a family showcase at 2:45pm** that afternoon, all are welcome!*

*As always, children are very welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. The School Council will be judging the 'best costume' competition, and a winner from each class will receive a **£5.00 voucher for Waterstones**.*

Please see below for details of what your child's class will be up to!

Class	Activities
F2	F2 will be learning all about traditional tales. We will be listening to and acting out the stories and doing lots of related activities such as baking our own gingerbread men, tasting some of Goldilocks' porridge, and building houses for the three little pigs. We may even have a go at writing our own stories!
Y1	Year 1 will be having an exciting day performing poetry. We will be looking at the author Eric Carle. We will be comparing and reading some of his fantastic books.
Y2	Year 2 will be exploring the work of Roald Dahl, thinking about how we can create dream jars like Sophie in The BFG and how we can create a gruesome meal recipe for The Twits!
Y3	Y3 will be using a picture book by David Wiesner called Flotsam. This book has no words in it so we will be using images from the text to create our own fantasy story. We will also be creating artwork linked to the text.
Y4	Year 4 will be becoming absorbed in a picture book by Anthony Browne. We will be learning about the author, creating artwork, drama and rewriting part of the book to bring the wonderful writing to life.
Y5	Year 5 will be exploring the fantasy genre. We will look at authors such as Philip Pullman, JK Rowling and C.S. Lewis to explore how they created their famous fantasy worlds. We will write our own fantasy stories and create a class book, complete with illustrations!
Y6	Year 6 will be making the characters in our story come to life. The children will be dressing up as any character from our class book, "The Secret Garden". We will be acting out scenes, hot-seating the characters and creating our own "secret garden" 3D diorama! Parents – any cardboard or "garden-like" materials would be much appreciated!!

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION



FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT



25TH February – 8TH March 2019

Class	Activity
F2	F2 will be reading the stories 'The Little Red Hen' and 'Farmer Duck' to discuss fairness. We will be learning about the journeys of some Fair Trade items and will also be taking a local walk to the supermarket to see if we can spot these!
Y1	Class One will be learning about the journey of a banana! We will look at what fair trade is and how we can spot fair trade items in a supermarket.
Y2	Class Two will be thinking about how fairtrade chocolate is produced and learning about how this is fair to farmers. We will expressing our views through drama and persuasive letter writing.
Y3	Y3 Will be looking at what life is like for the worlds coffee farmers. We look at how fair the farming of coffee is in Kenya and hear from an actual coffee farmer to get their opinion.
Y4	Class 4 will be learning about the important work of the Fair Trade organization. We will be carrying out an investigation and creating graphs to help us think about how consumer power can be used to help farmers get a fair deal for their crops.
Y5	Year 5 will be investigating the topical issue of Fair Trade palm oil. We'll examine the issues surrounding palm oil production and investigate how Fair Trade companies are tackling these.
Y6	Y6 will be investigating Fair Trade through the context of money/economics through the life of a banana. We will investigate what happens to a banana before it reaches the consumer. We will discuss the reality of 'who gets what' from the sale of bananas. We will be evaluating the "fairness" of certain items and jobs linked to Fairtrade. We will be acting out certain scenarios linked to this too 😊

WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

F2 ATTENTION! CLASS TRIP SPRING FUNDRAISING INFORMATION:

Friday 29th March: Crazy Hair/Hat Day for £1!

Thank you for your support! 😊



F2 STAY & PLAY!

TUESDAY 12TH MARCH

Parents are invited on the above date to stay and watch a literacy lesson and participate in writing activities with your child afterwards. You will also be able to look at their writing so far in their literacy books. The session is designed so that you can observe how early literacy skills are taught and how you can support your child at home with this. You will also receive some key information about end of year reading and writing expectations for children in F2.

The session will run from 9.00am - 10.00am. Please let us know if you can attend 😊



Y3 TRIP TO YORK TRANSPORT MUSEUM

FRIDAY 22ND MARCH

As part of our topic on Transport Y3 will be visiting the York Transport Museum.

The children will need to bring in a **ruck sack, a packed lunch and warm coat.** We will be leaving school early so we will require children to be in school for 8:30am – if you drop them to the office they will be let in and supervised in class. We will aim to return to school for 3:30pm but it may be slightly later at approximately 3:45pm.

For this trip we are asking for a **voluntary contribution of £15.00 per child** to help towards the cost. As always if we do not receive enough contributions the trip may have to be cancelled.

If your child is entitled to free school meals and you would like to order a packed lunch to be provided please contact the school office. If you would like to volunteer on the trip and are DBS checked then please let either Mr Platts, Mrs Kirk or the office know.

Please complete the permission slip below and return to school with your voluntary contribution as soon as possible.

Y3 YORK TRANSPORT MUSEUM TRIP

FRIDAY 22ND MARCH

I give permission for my child _____

to attend the York Transport Museum Trip on Friday 22nd March.

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £15.00

I will ensure my child is in school at 8:30am on the morning of the trip.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

TRIPS AND EVENTS

Y5 ATTENTION! CLASS TRIP SPRING FUNDRAISING INFORMATION:

Thursday 7th March: Y5 will be selling bookmarks they have made for World Book Day for £1.00

Friday 22nd March: Wacky hair Day for £1.00 (as wacky as you like as long as it washes off!!)

Friday 29th March: £1.00 backwards day (clothes, movement and talking!)

Thank you for your support! 😊



Y5 & Y6 SWFC ENVIRONMENT AFTERNOON

TUESDAY 26TH MARCH

SWFC will be coming into school to do some work with Y5/Y6 on plastics and protecting our environment.

They will be visiting on the afternoon of Tuesday 26th March. They will be working with Y5 for the first hour to think about making a school pledge to save on plastics, and they will be working with Y6 for the second hour to create posters about saving the environment. We may even have a few players come in to help if we are lucky!

This will be really great opportunity to think about the environment within school and we can recycle, reduce and reuse in school and at home!



Y5 BIKEABILITY WEEK!

**MONDAY 15TH APRIL – THURSDAY 18TH
APRIL**

Our School has been chosen as one of a few schools in Sheffield to receive Bikeability Cycle Training. This course seeks to give children the skills and confidence to cycle safely on the road. This fun course starts in the playground and will continue on quiet roads around the school.

In order for your child to take part, you will need to complete the consent form sent home from Miss McKay and return it to school by Friday 15th March. The training is FREE.

Ideally your child will use their own bike for the training, but bikes can be loaned to those without. Information about requesting the loan of these items is included in the letter sent home.

This course is suitable for children who can already ride a bike, and are pretty stable, i.e. be able to look behind whilst riding, without wobbling, and hold a signal for about 3 seconds. If your child cannot yet ride, you can advise Bikeability in the permission slip and they may be able to teach them during their time in school.

The cycling will continue whatever the weather, so please send your child with warm and waterproof clothing. Gloves are a good idea. We suggest that pupils wear trousers or tracksuit bottoms when training and, if the weather is warm, get them to bring sunscreen and a water bottle.

TRIPS AND EVENTS

Y5

D&T FOCUS AFTERNOON

TUESDAY 19th MARCH

Y5 will be lucky enough to have a D&T specialist coming in for the afternoon to support their D&T focus – just for the children this time! 😊

Y6 ENGINEERS CLASSROOM SESSION

WEDNESDAY 27th MARCH

Y6 have been given the opportunity to participate in the Engineers Without Borders “Water for Everyone Everywhere” classroom session with University of Sheffield Students’ Union students. This will take place on 27th March 13:30-15:00 in school! 😊

Y5 LEEDS HEADINGLEY CRICKET GROUND TRIP

WEDNESDAY 27th MARCH

Y5 have been invited to take part in a practical cricket session at Headingley Cricket Ground in Leeds and a classroom based Numeracy, Literacy and Geography enrichment activity. After lunch we will receive a tour of the YCCC Museum and even have access to behind the scenes areas of the ground – including the Player’s Area!

We will leave school at 08:45 to arrive in Leeds for 10:00. We will be returning to school at about 3.30-3.45pm depending on traffic.

Children should wear warm comfortable clothing suitable for participating in physical activity e.g. tracksuit bottoms and trainers or equivalent, but children do need to wear their school jumper or school polo shirt. Children will need to bring a packed lunch. If your child receives free school meals and you would like to order a packed lunch for the day, please contact the school office.

The cost of this trip has been partially funded by school, but we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £14 from parents, to help towards the cost of the transport. Unfortunately as always if enough voluntary contributions are not received to cover the cost of the trip, it will be at risk of being cancelled.

We need 3 volunteers for this trip so if anyone is interested please let Miss McKay or the office know.

Y5 LEEDS HEADINGLEY CRICKET GROUND TRIP

WEDNESDAY 27th MARCH

I give permission for my child _____

to attend the Y5 Leeds Cricket trip on Wednesday 27th March 2019.

I have enclosed a voluntary contribution of £14

Signed Parent: _____

Date: _____

TRIPS AND EVENTS

ATTENTION Y6! IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT Y6 RESIDENTIAL

Wednesday 3rd July – Friday 5th July

PAYMENTS DUE:

- The remaining amount due for the Y6 residential is **£140** and needs to be made by **the 29th March** please. The total cost of the Residential trip is £160 and as all children have paid a £20 deposit so the balance is now £140.
- The £140 payment can be made in full to be received in school by the 29th March via Parentmail.
- Or you can make the payment in two instalments of £70. The first £70 to be received by Thursday 28th February and the final instalment of £70 to be received by the 29th March via Parentmail.

All the above payments can also be made directly to school in a named envelope by the dates mentioned above.

If you would prefer any other payment options please contact the school office.

Thank you for your support.

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Do you have any members of your family or friends currently studying a Maths or Physics related degree course who want to earn some money and gain some work experience this summer?

Notre Dame is coordinating paid internships in Maths and Physics across schools in South Yorkshire as part of a nationwide programme funded by the Department for Education. This is a fantastic opportunity to earn £1200 whilst gaining valuable work experience and finding out more about teaching as a profession. You must be doing a Maths or Physics related degree to qualify for this opportunity. Priority is given to those applicants who are in the penultimate year of study (i.e. those who would be eligible to apply to start teacher training in September 2020), but there may be an opportunity for others to participate.

Interviews will be held during March and April, with the internships taking place between June 17th – July 12th inclusive. Please contact sbillingham@notredame-high.co.uk if you would like to be sent an application form.