



**Robert
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PRIMARY ACADEMY

Newsletter

Thursday 26th January 2023

Things have been very busy in school. Our children are working hard and are enjoying their new topics.

YOUNG VOICES CHOIR

We started the year with some fabulous singing from our Young Voices choir. Families really enjoyed seeing them at Sheffield Arena. Thank you to all those parents who sent emails to school, it was great to hear how much you and your children enjoyed the event.



A LION VISITED SCHOOL!

We are delighted to add another trophy to our cabinet but I think it's the first one to be presented by a lion! Well done for winning the Lions and Kid Roar project.

YEAR 6 HAD A VISIT FROM A JUDGE

They spend time learning about the rule of the law. I wonder if this inspired some of our future generations.



UNIFORM REMINDER

Please can we remind you that **leggings** are not to be worn other than on PE days as part of our PE uniform, PE uniform should be plain black, no **logos** or branding. Keeping our PE uniform unbranded keeps it affordable to all. Plain black joggers and sweatshirts are widely available. When items are unbranded there are no comparisons amongst the children which can have a negative impact on confidence.

Please follow our school policy, it is important to us that we develop a sense of unity and belonging. If you have issues with locating suppliers or and in need of some support, the school is happy to help.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS AND BOOK LOOKS.

As we did in the Autumn term we will be inviting you to look at your child's books. Children should be collected at the end of the day as normal and then parents will come with them to the brown hall doors at the back of school if their child is in Year 2 or 3 or the old entrance to the left of the EYFS outdoor classroom if they are in Year 4, 5 or 6. The halls will be open from 3.20-4.30 on Tuesday 31st January. Teachers will not be available to meet with you at this time.

You are now able to use the School Cloud system to book appointments with class teachers. The appointments will provide the opportunity for you to discuss anything you may have seen in books or any questions you may have as well as an update on your child's progress

TREES BOOK LOOK SESSION

Parents are invited to look around the classroom and see some of their children's work on Tuesday 31st January. Children should be collected from their classrooms at 3.15 as normal. Staff will then close the doors and set up the classrooms before reopening the doors at 3.30pm. The classrooms will remain open until 4.20pm.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Check below for updates

DATE	ACTIVITY
Wednesday 1st February	Industrial action- arrangements to be confirmed
Friday 3rd February	Valentine's Disco
Week commencing 6th February	Parents evening appointments
Tuesday 7th February	Internet Safety day
Friday 10th February	School closes for half term
HALF TERM HOLIDAY	

Monday 20th February	Children return to school
Wednesday 1st March	Service family Cafe 2.15-3.15 Brown Hall
Tuesday 7th March	CEO Gail Brown to visit school
Friday 17th March	Staff training day- school closed
Monday 20th March	SCHOOL STEM WEEK
Friday 24th March	Easter Discos
Friday 31st March	School closes for Easter holidays
EASTER HOLIDAYS	
Monday 17th April	Children return to school Year 4 Pedestrian training
Monday 1st May	MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 8th May	BANK HOLIDAY FOR THE CORONATION
Tuesday 9th to Friday 12th May	KS2 SATs week
Tuesday 16th May	Service family Cafe 8.45-9.45 Brown Hall
Friday 19th May	Summer Discos
Friday 26th May	School closes for half term
HALF TERM HOLIDAY	
Monday 5th June	Children return to school

Wednesday 7th June - Friday 9th June	School residential for Year 6
Monday 12th June	Class and team photographs
Friday 23rd June	Sports day
Friday 30th June	Back up sports day
Monday 3rd July- Friday 7th July	Sports week
Wednesday 12th July	Service family Cafe 2.15-3.15 Brown Hall
Wednesday 16th July	Year 6 Graduation
Friday 21st July	Children break up
Monday 24th July and Tuesday 25th July	Staff training days
SUMMER HOLIDAY	
Monday 4th September 2023	Staff training day
Tuesday 5th September	Children return to school

We will also add these dates to the school calendar on our website for your reference.

Best wishes
Donna Bedford

Headteacher



STORYWORLD ADVENTURES
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...New venues!**

Multi-sensory storytelling classes for babies and children and their grown-ups

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Mondays
Fawcett Community Centre
- Adventures For All - 10.45am
Fulford Social Hall
- Adventures For All - 2.00pm

Fridays
Tadcaster Barn
- Adventures For All - 9.05am
Wilberforce Community Centre
- Adventures For All - 10.50am
Spearhead Hall - Strimond
- Crawlers & Toddlers - 10.00pm
- Pre-Schoolers - 2.00pm

Find more details and booking links on our Facebook and Instagram pages or get in touch with any questions. storyworldadventuresyork@gmail.com

