

Thank you to everyone who has demonstrated social distancing during drop off and pick up times!



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Roseberry Academy News

Enjoy Believe Achieve Inspiring Lifelong Learning

I have seen some amazing learning this week! Children have worked their socks off and the work that they have produced has been of an excellent standard. Behaviour has been superb and children have been kind and thoughtful towards one another. It's as if we've never been away from school. I feel so very proud to belong to our Roseberry family!

Mrs Channing

Pupils of the week

William Sibly

Denver Neary

Joseph Twomey

Harley Austick

Frankie

Livingstone

Maisie Hill

Jamie Flanagan

William Rowan

Tweak of the week!

I am delighted that our staggered arrival and departure times have worked well, enabling people to social distance. I am aware, however, aware that some parents with small children have to wait for up to 30 minutes to collect their older children at the end of the day. Now that we are in the swing of things, I propose that we change the time for EYFS, Y1 and Y2 pick up to 3pm from Monday 21st September. All other timings will remain the same.

What happens if a member of the Roseberry family develops coronavirus symptoms whilst in school?

If anyone in school becomes unwell with a new and persistent cough or a high temperature, or has a loss of, or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia), they will be sent home and advised to follow 'Stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection', which sets out that they should self-isolate for at least 10 days and should have a test to see if they have coronavirus (COVID-19).

If they have tested positive whilst not experiencing symptoms but develop symptoms during the isolation period, they should restart the 10 day isolation period from the day they develop symptoms.

Other members of their household (including any siblings) should self-isolate for 14 days from when the symptomatic person first had symptoms.

I understand the frustration of not being able to acquire a test in a timely manner and am grateful that you will ensure (or have ensured) that your family isolates whilst waiting to access a test.

Home discussion question

Stan asked...

What should we do to be a good friend to others?



Important information!

Microsoft Teams is now used by every class in school. Teachers share important information and homework via Teams and children will be asked to upload their work onto their class channel rather than bringing in paper based work and models from home. Teams will be used as our online home learning platform for children who need to isolate so that they don't fall behind with their learning. Photos of children's learning may also be shared via Teams, as well as on our class blogs on our website.

Even our Parents' evening appointments will be via Teams video link in October!

It is really important that you and your child know how to access this platform and that you check your class channel on a regular basis.

If you are not sure how to access your child's account please make contact with your child's teacher who will be happy to help you!

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Please let us know straight away if your child / family have COVID-19 symptoms
or if you are contacted by the Track and Trace service. Thanks!



If you're late, please wait at the gate!

Children: If you arrive late for school and the gate has already closed, please press the buzzer and wait for one of our lovely office ladies to let you in.

Breakfast Club

Do you need early morning childcare? If so please note that our Breakfast Club starts at 7.30am! The cost per session is £4.00 per child, payable via ParentPay. This covers the cost of breakfast and childcare from 7.30am until 8.45am.

If you wish your child to attend Breakfast Club, there is no need to book - just bring your child to the upper school from 7.30am onwards, ring the doorbell and hand your child over to Miss Charlton and Mrs McGreevy. There's lots of fun to be had (and a scrumptious breakfast) before the school day begins!



Act of Kindness

Our Act of Kindness award this week goes to Daisy Bonfield-Jones and Carys Kelly for being extremely kind. They noticed that one of their classmates needed a friend and made sure she had not one, but two friends to be with at break and lunch time!

Golden Time

One of the highlights of every Friday is Golden Time, where children are rewarded for their super behaviour and hard work. They are offered the chance to take part in enrichment activities, which include using our beautiful wildlife areas for exploration, bushcraft and fun! Golden Time now takes place within our bubbles and so the range of activities on offer is reduced compared with previous years. However, the opportunities on offer will change on a regular basis and I know that teachers will make sure children have lots of fun, whilst learning new skills including those of resilience, perseverance and teamwork! Remember to work hard, behave well and be polite, children. That's the way to keep ALL of your Golden Time!

Roseberry Kids Club

Are you looking for after school childcare? Roseberry Kids Club has vacancies most days from 3pm - 6pm. For further details, or to arrange a visit, please call 07837073970.

Diary dates

September:

Mrs Murton's class Bikeability (dates to be confirmed). Children will need a roadworthy bike and a helmet.

October:

1st School photographer - Individual photos in school only (no family/sibling groups this time, sorry)

5th Y1 Visit to Danby Moor Centre - more information to follow

7th and 8th 3.30pm - 6.30pm: Online Parents' evening appointments via Teams - please see the letter that came home on 18th September 2020

23rd Harvest Assembly shown live on Teams so that parents may see us!



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