

"Children are at the centre of all we do."

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Our newsletter is also available to view on the school website at: <u>https://heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk/parents/newsletters</u>



LOVELY COMMENT RECEIVED THIS WEEK

I just want to say a really big thank you to yourself, staff and everyone invo lved in getting the school gates open th is morning.

There would be a lot of extra unseen h ard work and I'm very grateful to you fo r this especially today so that younger children could come for their taster day. ...

So thankyou as always doing everythin g to keep school going and I'm so grate ful. Thankyou

St John the Baptist Church Yedingham Garden Party on Saturday 28th June

2 pm onwards at Manor House,

Yedingham. By kind permission of Mr & Mrs Triffitt.

Tombola, Raffle, cake stall, Cream teas, plants and more.

Any donations of prizes, cakes, books, bric a brac & clothing would be greatly appreciated & can be left with Roger & Joy at School House, Station Road, Yedingham or with any member of the PCC. Thank you.

Everyone Welcome



SCHOOL FOOTWEAR

Many children are attending school in school shoes, some are wearing trainers. School uniform is smart black shoes please and we will be expecting children to wear these from September.

SCHOOL LIBRARY BOOKS

All school library books to be returned next week for a stocktake and sort out ready for the new school year. Thank you for your continued support.



RECYCLING BOXES

Now we all have the new bins delivered to our Ryedale homes, if people have spare unbroken recycling boxes that they don't have a use for, we will gladly use them in after school club. Black or green ones please.

These can be popped on the ramp near the office and we will move them into school.

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SEND support

For those families with children with specific needs, Special Educational Needs and Disabilities support (SEND) can be hard to find, follow or understand. The parentcarervoice group can provide support to families to find the information they need. Their contact details are here. The parentcarervoice group will also attend our Open Evening in the summer term so that everyone feels supported.



PE KIT

Our full PE kit is white T shirt or sports T shirt, black or dark blue sports shorts or trousers and sports trainers. In cooler months, children may choose to bring a sports fleece or top to wear. Please will you ensure your child is wearing all of these items on PE and sports club days. NYC rules state they should not take part if their kit is deemed unsafe for activities.

Several children have recently not attended school in full sports kit on PE days or days when attending a sports club. We have been lenient and phoned home on several occasions for kit to arrive in time for the session. Due to workload, we cannot be doing this routinely. If a child is not dressed appropriately, they will be taught the PE but cannot take part in the practical part of the lesson. To prevent children missing practical PE sessions when not in kit on their PE day, a parent has requested reverting back to children changing into PE kit at school for their PE lessons. This happened in schools pre Covid.

Changing takes 15 minutes of each lesson so results in far less PE teaching taking place for all children each week. It would also mean that children miss time being taught by sports coaches at clubs due to getting changed and changed back. Space for children changing separately is also an issue in our small school.

Due to the increase in pupil numbers since 2017, we do not have enough space in school to store 80 PE kits. Children would therefore need to bring their PE kit to school each day when they have PE, just like they do at secondary school. This means that children are still missing PE if they forget their kit and all children would have less PE teaching every week.

In order to help all families remember PE days, a regular day is identified by class teachers each term. This day will only change if other sports or school events are scheduled and notice will be given. These days are written into planners by children and included in school newsletters and on dojo at the start of each term.



MOBILE PHONES IN SCHOOL

Just a reminder that if children need to have a mobile phone in school that this is handed into the office at morning registration and collected at the end of each day. This is to limit items going missing and safeguarding legislation states that no phones should be near young children in schools.

EAST BARNBY 2025 Lots of fun and adventures at East Barnby!





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