

Yorkmead Primary School Friday 7th November 2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had a nice relaxing half term and enjoyed some quality family time. Now that we have pressed reset for this half term, please make sure you continue to read with your children, and follow suggestions made by your child's class teacher during parents evening to support their learning journey.

This half term we are focusing on school uniform. You will receive a text message if your child is wearing the incorrect uniform. You do not need to respond to the text.

On Tuesday, school photographs were taken. You child's order card will be given out today. Scan the QR code to place any orders.

Yesterday, Mrs Smith took a group of children to the University of Birmingham for a Darren Shan (author) Q&A event. What a wonderful experience outside of the normal curriculum!

The Young Shakespeare Company are visiting Y6 on Tuesday 11th November. It is essential that parents make payment on School Money. If you are in any financial difficulty, please come and see Miss Fletcher in the school office.

Flu vaccinations are taking place on Tuesday 18th November, thank-you to everyone who returned their forms.

I wish you all a pleasant weekend, lets hope it doesn't rain cats and dogs like it did on Wednesday!



Well done Year Four!

Whole school attendance this week: 92.3%

Reception	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five	Year Six
88.2%	93%	93.2%	91.7%	95.1%	92.6%	91.4%

Workers of the Week:

Year One	Aliza (West Midlands) & Azan (Warwickshire).
Year Two	Anaya (County Antrim) & Essa (Devon).
Year Three	Ayanna (Gwynedd) & Zahra F (Gloucestershire).
Year Four	Maryam (Scottish Highlands) & Adam (4 Dorset).
Year Five	Ayaan (Cheshire) & Shana (Hampshire).
Year Six	Sofia (Suffolk) & Sara (Yorkshire).

Best wishes,

Mr Newman-Smith



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Inset Dates

Closed will be closed to all pupils on the dates below:

Monday 5th January 2026

Monday 20th July 2026

One further date to be confirmed.

Diary Dates

		
Tuesday 11th November	Young Shakespeare Company visit Yr6	
Monday 17th - Friday 21st November	Anti-Bullying Week	
Tuesday 18th November	Flu Immunisations	
Monday 1st December	4 Scottish Highlands - Last swimming session	
Tuesday 2nd December	4 Dorset - Last swimming session	
Thursday 11th December	Xmas Jumper Day!	
	Cash donations welcome for 'Save the Children' charity.	
Wednesday 17th December	Nursery reading workshop	AM 10:45am
		PM 2:45pm
Friday 19th December	End of term.	
Thursday 11th December Wednesday 17th December	Xmas Jumper Day! Cash donations welcome for 'Save the Children' charity. Nursery reading workshop	