



Yorkmead Primary School



Friday 15th July 2022

Dear Parents',

I trust you all had a great weekend celebrating Eid. We have our Eid Mela celebration event today. I'm looking forward to seeing many of you there. I have been roped in for the stocks! Bring your money and drench me as much as you can. The event runs from 12-2pm.

Unfortunately, this week I had to postpone sports day. As a parent myself, I can appreciate your frustration if you had booked time off work to come and watch your children compete. Our playground has little shade and a concrete floor. With the expected temperatures forecast, I took the decision to prevent any children from becoming unwell. The forecast for next week looks like being particularly hot again. Therefore, if this is the case I will cancel sports day. I will make that decision on Monday to give parents as much notice as possible. It takes as little as 10 minutes to start developing sunstroke and 2 days to recover. Safety for all, is always our top priority.

You will now see that we have new bollards outside school to help keep your children safe. Thanks to the many of you for not parking outside school.

This week's work of the week goes to:

- Year One Amelia (Sussex) and Ayaan (Cornwall).
- Year Two Ishaan (Kent) and Humaira (Cumbria).
- Year Three Hamdaan (Essex) and Zoya (Gwynedd).
- Year Four Hamza (Dorset) and Safa (Scottish Highlands).
- Year Five Abdul (Suffolk) and Junyad (Derbyshire).
- Year Six Ashton (Northumberland) and Sara (County Antrim).



Well done Year Reception!

Reception	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five	Year Six
82%	78.3%	79.4 %	80.3 %	75.3 %	74.3 %	74.9 %

Attendance below 95% is a concern, if your child's attendance falls below 90%, they are considered as being persistently absent and you will be visited by our Educational Welfare Officer.

Best wishes. Mr Newman-Smith



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Inset Dates for your Diary!



Monday 5th and Tuesday 6th September 2022.

Tuesday 3rd January 2023.

Monday 17th April 2023.

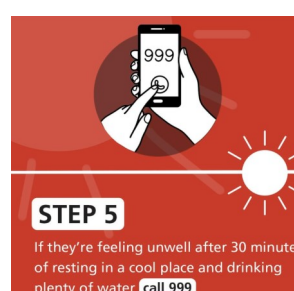
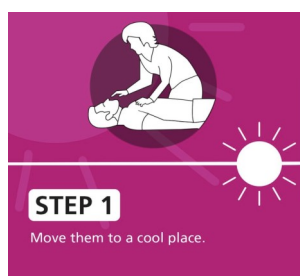
Children break up from school on Thursday 21st July (normal time).

September 2022

Children return to school on Wednesday 7th September, the school gates will open at 8:45am.

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Guidance from the NHS





Summer Diary



Dates

Date:	Event:	What do you need to do:
Wednesday 6th July	Moving on up day! Children spend the morning in their new class.	Send your child to school as normal.
Tuesday 12th July	Sports Day. 	All children wear PE kit to school, bring a bottle of water and sunhats if it is sunny. KS1 9:30—11:00am KS2 1:30—3:00pm Parents are welcome to come and watch on the playground.
Friday 15th July	Y6 leavers assembly in the school hall.	Parents are invited to watch, please wait at the gate until you are let in, please be on time. 11:00—12:00pm
Friday 15th July	Eid Mela 	Join us for an Eid celebration in the playground, there will be refreshments, mehndi, music and much, much more! Please bring small change. 12:00—2:00pm
Thursday 21st July	Y6 leavers Breakfast. 	9:10—10:10am in the school hall. Children come to school as normal, no charge for breakfast.

End of term: Thursday 21st July

Back to school: Wednesday 7th September