

Attendance

Poppy – 93.8%
Daisy – 93.6%
Sunflower – 97.3%
Foxglove – 91.8%
Tulip – 97.0%
Dahlia – 96.3%
Edelweiss - 97.0%
Hollyhock – 96.1%
Snapdragon – 92.2%
Orchid – 97.6%
Iris – 95.9%
Wisteria – 96.9%
Thistle – 92.3%
Aster – 96.7%
Lupin – 92.2%

Well Done to **Class**

Orchid for the best attendance in November. ★★

Upcoming Events

1st December – Key stage 1 & Yrs 3 & 4 Flu Vaccine
8th December – Panto in school
18th December – Reception Xmas Production
19th December – Yr 1 & 2 Xmas production PM
20th December – Yr 1 & 2 Xmas production AM
21st December – KS2 at church
22nd December – Christmas Fayre & Last day of term
9th January – Return to school

Welcome to our monthly newsletter. This month has been full of exciting events and as we get into the final month of the year there is plenty happening in school to look forward to. All our production dates are listed on the left and a leaflet detailing Christmas fayre info is attached to this letter. We look forward to seeing you in school over the course of December!

Children In Need

On Friday 17th of November we celebrated Children in Need Fundraising day along with the rest of the UK. We did our usual bun sale at break time and had a non-uniform day. **We raised £236.31.** Thank you all.



Pictured above Pupils enjoying children in need fundraising day



Pictured left Children queuing to purchase buns at the bake sale

Hindu Dance Workshop

At the end of last term we had a Hindu Dance workshop in school for years 2,3 and 4. It was thoroughly enjoyed by all the children and was a brilliant addition to their RE work. For this workshop to take place we kindly asked for a £2 donation from each child, however unfortunately only 36.6% of children made a contribution. This means that it was heavily funded by school which causes funds for further events to be cut. We like to give children a variety of opportunities throughout the year and contributions from parents help make this happen.

Cross Country

At the beginning of November some of the students took part in a cross country event at Brayton High School. It was a cold and miserable day but the children gave it their all and had a brilliant time and some great results.

Ryan from Year 6 came 1st in his race for his group.

Lillie (year 6) came 4th overall out of all the schools along with Sheraz (year 6) who came 7th and Lexie (Year 3) who came 10th.

Well Done everyone!



Pictured above are the children at the cross country event.

Big Local Event

This term our year 6 students have taken part in an event along with many other schools called 'Big Local'. The children went on a trip as part of this to the Regan Centre where different colleges, universities and trades had stations to give pupils a taster of what they can do when they leave secondary education. It opened the pupils minds to the different opportunities available after school which made it a great success.



Pictured above pupils at Big Local

Discoveries on Your Doorstep Launch

As you may recall we sent out a newsletter about the launch of an exciting new initiative in the area. The launch took place at school for a series of walking trails that have been created for everyone in Selby to enjoy whatever their age, ability or interests. Selby Trails are designed to encourage people to get outdoors and explore. As we hosted the launch our pupils got Selby trail explorer packs which we hope of been of interest. For more information about the trails please visit www.northyorks.gov.uk/selbytrails.

Christmas Fayre

Just a reminder that this year's Christmas fayre is on the 22nd of December and we are still gratefully receiving donations for the raffle. If you have any donations please bring them to the school office. Thank you.

Attendance

As is often the case at this time of year there has been a small number of children suffering from sickness. We feel that it is prudent to take this opportunity to remind parents/carers of the schools policy regarding sickness and diarrhoea:

If your child suffers from either sickness or diarrhoea there is a mandatory 48 hour period that they cannot attend school for after the sickness and or diarrhoea ends. This is to minimise the spread of infections.

To minimise the spread of infections we ask that parents encourage their children to practice good hygiene including regular and properly carried out hand washing before eating and after using the toilet.

Children can occasionally suffer from tummy ache that does not develop into sickness and we would encourage parents to send their child to school on these occasions if there are no other symptoms.