

Carr Junior School

AIM HIGH, SHINE BRIGHT!

W/C 11th SEPTEMBER 2023 WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Hello!

It has been a great second week back into the new school year. It is wonderful to see how quickly the children have settled back into their learning routines and they are showing super resilience towards the curriculum expectations of the new year group they are in. We are really proud of how brilliantly the children are following our new school rules: Be Ready, Be Respectful, Be Safe.

This week, we sent home the newsletters for each year group and the Knowledge Organisers which the children will be referring to during their Learning Adventures. These will tell you what the children are going to be learning and the new knowledge we will be teaching them. You can help at home by looking at the facts together, trying to remember some and testing each other!

We hope you have a lovely weekend. Mrs Kerr

Uniform Expectations!

Thank you for your continued support with ensuring the children are looking very smart this week. We want to see children in the correct uniform on PE days as well as non-PE days. As a reminder, please see below.

Correct uniform (on NON-PE days)

Burgundy jumper or cardigan (with or without school logo)

- White blouse, shirt or polo t-shirt
- Grey or black skirt of regular length, shorts, trousers or culottes
- Red checked or striped dress
- Black shoes or trainers

Uniform for PE days

- Burgundy jumper or cardigan (with or without school logo)
- Plain black or navy shorts, plain black or navy leggings or tracksuit bottoms (depending on weather or if doing outdoor PE)
- Plain white t-shirt
- Plain black trainers or plimsolls

Please note that earrings cannot be worn for PE and must be removed. Long hair should be tied back for health and safety reasons.

PE Days!

Please see the newsletters for PE days for each year group.

Attendance!

Attendance at school is really important. We need to see the children in school, on time every day. If they are unwell and need to stay at home, you must contact the school office each morning of their absence so that we know they are safe. Morning registers are taken at 8.45am, and our doors are open from 8.40am. If children arrive after the register has closed at 8.50am, they will be recorded as late. If we start to notice concerning patterns in your child's attendance or punctuality, we will be in touch with you to support you so that attendance improves quickly.

Homework Expectations!

The newsletters have all the information about our homework expectations. As a school, we are quite light on our homework requirements. This is because we want to place a greater emphasis on the 'basics' which we believe make the most difference to childrens' learning. This is why we focus on reading, spelling and times tables. Please support and encourage your children at home to complete the homework set. It will make a huge difference to the progress your children will make. If children can't complete online homework on TTRockstars or Spelling Shed, we have a club available at lunchtime for children to attend and get their homework done. For those who do not complete homework, by the end of the week, the children will spend one of their playtimes completing it on a Friday. Thank you for your support.

Music Opportunity! - Spaces left!

For any budding musicians in Y5 or Y6, we have an exciting (and free!) opportunity for children to sign up. We have been offered 24 spaces at an interactive music workshop using an instrument called a WOOFYT, which is a man-powered organ. The visit will take place in the afternoon on Thursday 28th September within school hours. If you would like your child to benefit from one of the places available, please email the admin team or pop into the office. The places will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Thanks!

Meet the Teacher!

This year, we would like to invite parents into school to meet the new class teachers and hear about the routines and expectations within the class. We will be holding this event on **Wednesday 20th September**. Please see the times below for your child's year group. The meetings will take place in the classrooms.

Nurture Class - 3.20pm

- Y3 3.35pm
- Y4 3.55pm
- Y5 4.15pm

Y6 - 4.35pm

Please come along to the classes at each of the time slots to hear a short presentation from the class teacher. If you are unable to attend, we will be putting the presentations on the class pages of the school website so that you can see the information which has been shared. We hope to see lots of you there!

Health & Safety and Safeguarding

- We have sent you a copy of our policy for making sure that children get to and from school safely. If children are in Y5 or Y6 they are allowed to start walking to and from school on their own. If you would like your child to walk home alone, please complete the form so that we can make a record of who has permission. This will start from Monday 18th September. If we have not received notification of who is allowed to walk home alone in Y5 or Y6, we will assume they are not allowed to and will keep them safe at school until they can be collected.
- Please read and sign the planner pages 5 15 so that we can update our records. Thank you.
- If you would like to contact our Pastoral / Family Lead, Miss Daniella Harrison, please select Option 3 to be directed to the correct office.

Thank you.



TTRockstars

Here is this weeks top 10!



Rank	Name	Group	Rock Status	Studio speed 7 days ago
1	Lily M.	4K	Wannabe	19.35
2	Megan H.	4K	Wannabe	15.00
3	Pippa L.	4K	Wannabe	28.57
4	Angel H.	4A	Unsigned Act	9.23
5	Oliver N.	4A	Gigger	8.00
6	Jack M.	4A	Rock Legend	10.34
7	Evan G.	4A	Support Act	4.38
8	Harri E.	4A	Rock Legend	1.90
9	John Q.	4A	Gigger	9.68
10	Lydia B.	4A	Wannabe	17.14
Rank	Name	Group	Rock Status	Studio speed
				7 days ago
1	George L.	6F	Rock Legend	1.78
2	Harley N.	6F	Rock Legend	1.89
3	William W.	6MW	Rock Legend	1.63
4	Elsa M.	6F	Headliner	2.34
5	Jasper W.	6F	Headliner	3.61
6	Dylan J.	6MW	New Artist	-
7	Here's I	6F	Headliner	3.41
	Henry L.	-		
8	Jack H.	6MW	Rock Legend	1.47
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3H - DAISY T 3P - EDDIE E 4A - ELIZA B 4CG - LEXI B 5B - GRACE W 5J - ERIN T 5M - SADIE S 6F - LEO P 6MW - ELLIE W 3H - JACK H 3P - EDITH H 4A - ADELAIDE W 4CG - LUKAS W 5B - STELLA B 5J - MUZAMIL N 5M - ALEX S-F 6F - RUFUS H 6MW - FREDDIE M



EDITH P 5B JUBAL M 5B ARTHUR O 5B KAILUM M 5M York Swimming Academy are super excited to announce the reopening of Carr Junior School pool and the addition of **BRAND NEW CLASSES!** New customers can benefit from our **AMAZING INTRODUCTORY OFFER - 4 x lessons for just** £20!

Children can start in our 'Discovery Ducklings' classes from new-born before progressing to our Learn to Swim Program from 4yrs old. We implement Swim England's Learn to Swim Framework, an all-inclusive programme designed to take the non-swimmer from his or her first splash to full competence in the pool. The framework has clear progressions between each stage and children are awarded a variety of certificates on their journey to becoming fully competent. We believe a fun learning environment is the most effective so your child/ren are guaranteed to have a good time whilst learning a lifelong skill!

Spaces are available now for start in September, book now to secure the space and avoid disappointment! Enquire now at <u>info@yorkswimmingacademy.com</u> or 01904 891 845

Carr Junior School:

Wednesday 16:00-19:00 (Stage 1-3) Thursday 9:30am-11:00am (Preschool lessons 0m+) Friday 9:30am-11:00am (Preschool lessons 0m+) Sunday 8:30am-12:00pm (Preschool Lessons 18m +, LTS S1-3)



NHS York and Scarborough BRASSTASTIC Children's Therapy **HAVE A GO AT BRASS!** eech Sound **FREE family workshop and concert Development Workshop** Try out a brass instrument Find out what makes brass bands special When should I refer Enjoy a toe-tapping mini concert How are speech sounds made? a child? How do speech What types of speech sounds develop? sound difficulties do children experience? What can I do to support a child with speech sound difficulties? This e-learning session is suitable for Professionals that work with children with speech sound difficulties **24 SEPTEMBER** Parents of children with speech sound difficulties 3-5PM The course gives a brief overview of how speech sounds are made/develop and advice and strategies to consider when working with children with speech sound difficulties. NATIONAL CENTRE FEATURING Cost: Free; to professionals and parents in the York, Selby, Scarborough, Whitby and Ryedale FOR EARLY MUSIC YORK RI GOLDEN RAIL WALMGATE YORK Date and Time - Friday 13th October 2023 * 9.30am - 11.00am BAND OR Date and Time - Tuesday 5th December 2023 * 3.45pm - 5.15pm YORK RI DEVELOPMENT PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL WWW.NCEM.CO.UK/EVENTS/ For more information to book a place, please contact us at yhs-tr.childrenstherapytraining@nhs.net BAND HAVE-A-GO-AT-BRASS ote this is an interactive session so you will need access to a camera and microphone to