



Carr Junior School

AIM HIGH, SHINE BRIGHT!

W/C 17th APRIL 2023 WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Hello!

It was lovely to welcome all of the children back to school this week after our holiday. It has been great to chat to them and find out about all of their Easter eggs! I have been really impressed with how quickly they have settled back into the school routines in the new term and how smart most of the children are looking. Along with our newsletter today, you will find the newsletters and knowledge organisers for the new Big Idea, 'The World Beneath Our Feet'. You can find out all about each year group's Learning Adventure by reading these and by trying to memorise the facts from the knowledge organisers together. Year 3 began their North Yorkshire Learning Adventure with a trip to Filey this week and we couldn't be more proud of how they conducted themselves and represented the school - well done Carr Stars!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Kerr

Health & Safety and Safeguarding

- We have noticed that some children are wearing hooped earrings for school. The only earrings we allow to be worn are studs. If children are wearing anything other than studs, they will be asked to remove them and take them home. Thank you for your support with this.
- Please could parents collecting children from the Upper school playground, supervise any younger siblings closely. We have had some damage done to our garden area / raised beds and we know that younger siblings are often seen playing in that area after school and pulling things out of the raised beds. 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.

Improving our School

This week, we have been looking at our Personal Development offer across the school. We have audited our curriculum and we feel that this area is a real strength of the school. We have some further actions to complete to strengthen it further but we are really pleased with our progress so far.

Strikes Update!

Please see the attached letter for more details. The school will be OPEN for ALL classes on the next National Strike days - Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May.

Reminders for Next Week:

- We are running a Crown Competition in celebration of the King's Coronation. Please see the information below.
- On Monday 24th April, Y6 pupils will be holding a Cake Sale for school funds after school by the main school gate. All cakes will be 50p and donations are welcome. Thank you.
- On Tuesday 25th May, we will be holding the Pea Hunt!
- On Thursday 4th May, the Infant School will be closed as it is being used as a Polling Station. This does not affect Carr Junior School and we will be OPEN for ALL pupils.



Mr Gray's handy hints to keep our children safe online!

Tying in with our series of school assemblies - You and your child can find out more about how you can be SMART with a heart and follow our top tips for using the internet safely and positively.

<https://www.childnet.com/young-people/4-11-year-olds/get-smart/>

Monday Coffee Morning

Coffee morning will be taking place on Monday 24th April just after drop off. We hope to see lots of parents there. Please pop in to say hi to our Wellbeing in Mind lady - Kirsty.

You **must** tell your child's school if they cannot go in, and why not.

If the school agrees that it is okay for them not to be at school, it is called an **'authorised absence'**. That means they **can** be off school.

Absence from school



Children are expected to attend school for 190 days each year.

Attendance during 1 school year.

95%

90%

85%

80%

75%

70%

65%

Equals days absence.

9 days

19 days

29 days

38 days

48 days

57 days

67 days

Equals approx. weeks absent

2 weeks

4 weeks

6 weeks

8 weeks

10 weeks

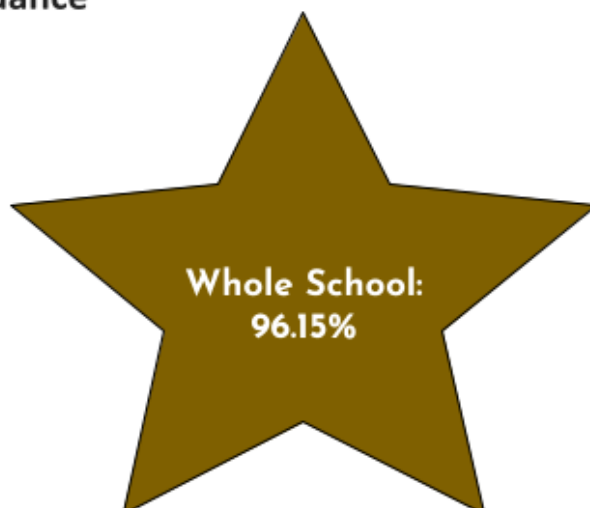
11.5 weeks

13.5 weeks

Children who miss a lot of school achieve less.

Attendance

3H - 94.38%
 3P - 95.48%
 4A - 98.21%
 4KG - 95.85%
 4T - 97.04%
 5H - 95.16%
 5M - 96.33%
 6F - 98.62%
 6J - 93.87%
 6MW - 97.14%



TTRockstars

Here is this weeks top 10!

Leaderboard

Rank	Name	Group	Rock Status	Studio speed 7 days ago
1	Henry F.	3H	Wannabe	25.00
2	Lilly M.	3H	Garage Rocker	13.04
3	Bailey N.	3H	Unsigned Act	9.23
4	Amelia H.	3H	Garage Rocker	12.50
5	Oliver N.	3H	Busker	10.91
6	Bethany W.	3H	Wannabe	33.33
7	Angel H.	3H	Garage Rocker	10.53
8	Lydia B.	3H	Wannabe	13.64
9	Blake J.	3H	Wannabe	11.76
10	Zachary G.	3H	Support Act	4.48

Rank	Name	Group	Rock Status	Studio speed 7 days ago
1	Harley N.	5H	Rock Legend	2.17
2	Ronnie R.	6MW	Rock Hero	0.85
3	Sophie B.	6F	Rock Legend	1.90
4	Rosie H.	6J	Rock Legend	3.45
5	Ruby N.	6F	Rock Legend	1.91
6	Amelie T.	6F	Rock Legend	1.61
7	Oliver P.	6F	Rock Legend	1.35
8	Phoebe T.	6J	Rock Legend	1.28
9	Alfie-Jay C.	6MW	Rock Hero	0.65
10	Alan Junior Q.	6MW	Rock Legend	1.60



3H - ELEANOR C
3P - COURTNEY C
4A - VINNIE CM
4KG - EMILIA H
4T - CHARLES L
5H - NOAH C
5M - WILLIAM M
6F - OLIVER P
6J - JOHNNY D
6MW - EMMA S

3H - ALL OF 3H
3P - ALL OF 3P
4A - JUBAL M
4KG - EZRA FW
4T - SADIE S
5H - SONNY P
5M - IZAACK W
6F - HAYDEN R
6J - BLAKE B
6MW - AISYAH M



BEA S 5H
SONNY P 5H
HARLEY N 5H
SACHA W 5H
HARVEY D 5H
EDDIE A 5H
SAM W 6F
JONAS B 6F

Coronation Crown Competition

Design and make a crown to wear in the VIP assembly on the 5th May. There will be exciting prizes for you to win. You can use anything: sponges, plastic, paper mache, card and so much more!

The rules are:

- It has to sit on your head.
- It cannot break when it is put on your head.

Good luck and I can't wait to see your crown in the VIP assembly.



Happy Healthy Holidays

WHAT: Holiday Football Fun Course

WHEN: Tuesday 30th - Friday 2nd June

WHERE: Huntington Secondary School YO32 9WT

TIME: 10am to 3pm

REFRESHMENTS: Water, snacks and packed lunch will be provided

WHO: Families eligible for benefits-related free school meals living in York



FOUNDATION



How to book: Enter the following code Yorkie23 at https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/yorkcity/york-city-courses/multi_activity.html

This secures your space and means you are COMMITTED to attend all course dates. You can book one or both courses. Spaces are LIMITED with bookings closing Friday 19th May 4pm. These FREE Holiday courses are designed to give young people the opportunity to get active this school holiday. Please note that if you booked onto a previous course and did not take up your space we reserve the right to withdraw bookings.