

ST PETER'S BRAFFERTON CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Helperbees Preschool 

Small school, big heart

8th September 2023

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the new school year and welcome to our new families! It has been a joy to see the children so positive and happy to come back to school and back into the school routine.

This week:

Helperbees have been exploring lots of the areas in their room including painting, play doh, water play and playing with their friends. They have also started learning the days of the week.

Class 1 have been busy learning new routines, welcoming new friends, starting their phonics learning and enjoying a new story 'The Colourful Chameleon';

Class 2 have had a great time learning football skills in PE and have ended this week with a fabulous Egyptian day to launch their new history topic on Ancient Egyptians

Class 3 have written dragon eye poems and used a range of art medium to create their own dragons eyes. They have also started 'The Iron Man' as their class novel and built their own Iron Men models. They looked super!

Phonics information evening

Miss Ellis is holding a phonics information evening on Wednesday 13th @ 5pm for new parents. This will give you an introduction to Read, Write Inc (our phonics programme in school) and how you can support your child to read at home.

Open Morning

We'd like to invite all our families to stay for our 'Open Morning' on Fri 22nd 9.30 -11am. We're also welcoming new families for next year's Reception families so please spread the word! We have spare flyers in school if you can put them up in nearby doctors/shops/playgroups.

Thank you for your support in the first week back.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S. Anderson



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Helperbees

All of Helperbees for coming into Helperbees so well and playing with new friends beautifully.

Class 1

All the Class 1 for being so positive coming into school and welcoming lots of new Reception and Year 1 friends.

Class 2

All of Class 2 for transitioning so well into their new year groups! We are so proud of you!

Class 3

All of Class 3 for transitioning so well into their new years and rising to the challenge of being 'top' of the school!

Dates for your diary

Tuesday mornings (until Oct half term)—Class 1 Forest School (wear Forest School Kit- waterproofs and wellies)

13.9.23 5pm Read, Write Inc Parent Meeting (Class 1 parent introduction to phonics and reading in school). In school and on Teams. Please email the office to let us know if you can attend.

19.9.23-22.9.23 Scholastic book fair (open after school each day 3.30pm-4.15pm)

22.9.23 Open morning 9.30-11am (for new parents with 24/25 starters and current parents). Visit classes and see the children working. Refreshments available too.

24.10.23 Skip2BFit and Box2BFit Day- whole school

27.10.23 Break up for half term

[Term Dates > St Peter's Brafferton Church of England VA Primary School \(st-peters-brafferton.n-yorks.sch.uk\)](https://st-peters-brafferton.n-yorks.sch.uk)

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Saturday 16 September 3.00 pm

Bishop Monkton Village Hall

Lempen Puppet Theatre - The *Amazing Thing*

A fantastic mix of 3 Brothers Grimm Tales!



*As I was walking down the beach, one bright and sunny day,
I saw a great big wooden box, a-floating in the bay.
I pulled it in and opened it up, and there to my surprise,
I discovered a ...?..?..?... right before my eyes!"*
What's in the box? A strange and weird thing?
Something terrible, or a thing of beauty?

Peter Grimm opens the box to find the 'Thing' that takes him on a journey through a medley of well known Brothers Grimm tales. An original story told with acting and live music to delight all the family

£10 adult £7 child Show length one hour

Bishop Monkton Village Hall HG3 3TN *Full theatre lighting and stage*

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