

ST PETER'S BRAFFERTON CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Helperbees Preschool 

Small school, big heart

19th January 2024

Dear Parents,

Our big question in Collective Worship is 'What does it mean to live in hope? The children have been really good at reflecting and asking deeper questions about our Christian value of 'hope'.

Parents First Aid Course

We still have spaces on the Parent First Aid course on Monday 29th January 4.30 -7.30pm. This is very worthwhile for anyone who would like a refresher or have never done basic first aid. The cost is £25 pp.

School defibrillator

The DfE has provided all schools with a defibrillator., Ours is kept in the School Office for use during school hours. The village defibrillator is always available outside the doctor's surgery.

Padre John Goodbye

We have been very fortunate to have Padre John lead our Collective Worship each week and also support school with some wonderful services in Church. I am sure you will agree that Padre John is uplifting and well respected member of St Peter's Brafferton; his time and work at the school have been very much appreciated. Padre John was an interim post for St Peter's Church whilst the Diocese found a new Reverend and he will 'hand over' to Reverend Lottie Cranfield after half term. We will be saying 'thank you and farewell' to Padre John in his last Collective Worship with us on **Tuesday 6th February at 3pm**. Parents are welcome to come along to this.

Early Years

This term we are going to be working on our Early Years outdoor spaces. We are looking for cable reels, clean guttering, bags of compost for messy play and planks of wood (no splinters or nails protruding). If you can help with any other these items we would be really grateful.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S. Anderson

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Helperbees Elle for amazing number work and creativity, making beautiful pictures as gifts for all her teachers .

Class 1 Niamh. R for independently writing her name and enthusiasm for learning the correct formation.

Class 2 Wilf. J for his conscientious attitude in our writing sessions, including using a neat joined script.

Class 3 Freya. S for amazing attitude to work, lovely ideas in writing and helpful in forest school. Keep up the super work!

Dates for your diary

Spring 1—Class 3 Forest School Spring 2—Helperbees Forest School

23.1.24 Wonderdome visits school

24.1.24 Librarians—pop up club 3.30-4.30

2.2.24 Kevin Hollinrake to visit school and speak to Key Stage 2

6.2.23 Padre John—Thank you special Collective Worship –parents welcome

9.2.24 Break up for half term

19.2.24 Back to school

20.2.24 Reverend Lottie Cranfield visiting school with Padre John—special Collective Worship

26.2.23 Paralympian (Shaun Gaffney) to visit school and run sports and resilience workshops with whole school (run a mile sponsor sheet to come home with children)

15.3.23 Music assembly 9am—parents welcome

22.3.23 Break up for Easter

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

Swimming to start after Easter in the summer term for all main school classes

Arriving on school in time– Top Tips!

To help make mornings run smoothly and ensure punctuality:

1. Be positive about going to school.
2. It is a good idea to prep and lay out uniform, shoes, lunches and water bottles the night before.
3. Have a list your children can see, of tasks they need to complete in a morning such as get dressed, shoes on, water bottle filled, teeth brushed etc so they know what they need to do to be ready to leave on time.
4. Set an alarm in your phone or on Alexa when there are 10 minutes left to leave the house so your children have a reminder that it is almost time to go.
5. Turn off TV and screens during breakfast and get ready time.
6. Whether you drive your children to school or walk with them make sure that you leave the house in good time to arrive for 8.50am
7. If your child walks to school alone, ensure they are out of the house in good time to get themselves to school.

Safeguarding Information

You can speak to a Safeguarding Lead in person, via phone on 01423 360250 or email dsl@s-peters-brafferton.n-yorks.sch.uk

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs S. Anderson

Deputy Safeguarding Lead: Miss S. Atkinson

Safeguarding Governor: Mr M. Dennett

Basic Paediatric First Aid Awareness for Parents

Monday 29th January

4.30pm – 7.30pm



£25 per person (payment via ParentPay)

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Please book via email on admin@st-peters-brafferton.n-yorks.sch.uk

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