

ST PETER'S BRAFFERTON CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Helperbees Preschool 

Small school, big heart

27th January 2023

Dear Parents,

Number Day—3rd February

Next Friday, we will be having a 'number day' in school. Children are welcome to come in non-uniform—they can dress as a number (please don't buy anything special, it could be face painting a number). We will be doing lots of number games and activities across the day.

Parent Governor

Following our Parent Governor ballot, we have a new parent governor, Anna Blackwall. Thank you to Claire Dwyer for her support and work as our parent governor. Each governor plays a pivotal role in shaping the school's future.

Lockdown

As part of our safeguarding procedures in school, we are advised to practice a Lockdown drill, just like we do our termly fire drill. The children and staff have done this today; we have kept this very 'low key' so not to alarm or frighten them. They may talk about this at home.

Parent evenings

We would like to invite our families to our Parents' evenings this term on Tuesday 28th February and Wednesday 1st March. These will predominately be face to face appointments—we are happy to do Teams appointments if requested. We will be sharing the children's work and discussing pupil progress. A letter will follow with preferred dates and times which need to be returned to the School Office by Tuesday 21st February.

Teacher strike action

We do not expect any of our classes to be disrupted by the strike action. All children must attend school as normal. If anything changes, we will let you know as early as we can.

School pathways

Please could you ensure your children use the path up to and out of school at the start and end of the day as there is occasionally some vehicle movement on the school driveway from delivery drivers or Forest School.

Wishing you a lovely weekend!

Your sincerely,

Mrs S. Anderson



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Helperbees Fearne for her continuous smile and joining in with our action songs.

Class 1 Wren - helping her friends with their work and practicing amazing part-whole models at home

Class 2 Austin for all the effort he has put into his maths and English this week. I loved his Table Dawdler poem! Well done!

Class 3 Dawid for a great attitude and humour in his Highwayman Poem!

Dates for your diary

Swimming begins every Thursday (1st half term Class 2 and 3, 2nd half term Class 1)

Forest School every Tuesday (1st half term Class 3 and 2nd half term Helperbees)

30.1.23 Spiritual leader pupil training with Philippa Smith (Diocese Advisor)

3.2.23 Number day-non uniform (number theme)

7.2.23 Safer Internet Day with the theme 'Want to talk about it?' - whole school activities

8.2.23 Young Voices for Year 4, 5 and 6 Sheffield Arena. Leave school at 12pm. Return approx. 11.30pm.

10.2.23 Break up for half term

w/c 13.2.23 Half term holiday club open to all year groups

19.2.23 All age worship @ St Peter's Church (time tbc)

20.2.23 Return to school

23.2.23 PTA Crazy hair disco! 6-7.30pm in school (use the hall door to enter/exit)

28.1.23 & 1.3.23 Parents Evenings

2.3.23 World Book Day- details of event to follow

10.3.23 Class 3 to visit Ripon museums for a Victorian crime and punishment day!

PTA news

Crazy hair disco

Thurs 23rd February 6pm-7.30pm

Kindness

Inclusivity

Community