



10th July 2020

Dear Parents,

The children have continued to have a great week in their newly formed 'bubbles'. As a Federation we are continuing to look at the updated guidance and will spend some time on Monday during our training day thinking ahead to September and forming a plan for schools to reopen to all pupils.

Please remember that there will be no school on Monday 13th July. This is a staff training day.

Zoom Meetings

You should have all received details about the class teachers who will be teaching your children next year. On Monday 13th July your child's new class teacher will be setting up a class zoom call at **11:00am**. We can only do this safely because we are all in school so we please respectfully ask that you do not ask teachers to contact your child via zoom whilst they work from home.

An email will be sent out to parents with details how to log on.

A few rules around zoom to ensure we safeguard our staff and yourselves:

- Pupils must be clothed and not wearing pyjamas
- Make sure no confidential information or photos are in the background
- Use zoom in a communal space in the house – not in bedrooms
- Make sure an adult is present in the room
- For younger children, please sit with your child and ask questions on their behalf if needed.
- Be respectful and courteous to everyone in the zoom meeting

UWPF Pre-School

We are delighted to announce that following a positive consultation we will be opening a pre-school at Grassington Primary for 3-4 year olds. We are opening it up initially for 10 children per day and have already received bookings from 11 families! If you would like to book a place or know anyone in the area with a 3-4 year old then please contact Mrs Washington our federation business manager at fbm@uwpf.n-yorks.sch.uk for more details.

Farewell

Some of our staff are moving around the Federation at the end of the year and although we will still be working with them, we understand that children and parents will want to say goodbye as they leave their school to work in another school in the Federation. This may be done on the last day of term but we will do a more formal goodbye assembly in September when hopefully things have returned to more normality.

Year 6 Leavers

Next week we will be saying goodbye to our Year 6 children. Details of arrangements are being sent separately.

School uniform in September

In September, children will be able to wear their normal school uniform. If you have any uniform that does not fit, we will be putting a swop box on the playgrounds next week, Tuesday to Friday. Please feel free to take any uniform, which will be of use to your child, and any contributions will be warmly welcomed.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will hopefully be back up and running for September. Breakfast Club starts from 8.00am and is run by Julie. Breakfast Club is charged at £3.50 per child and includes a healthy breakfast. Full details of our breakfast club can be found on our school websites. If you would like to book a place for Breakfast Club please return the booking form attached to the school office.

Birthdays



Happy birthday to Anna – we hope you have a lovely day (11th July)

Healthy Schools Award

We are very proud to announce that this week we have learnt that as a Federation, we have achieved The North Yorkshire Healthy Schools Silver Award. We had to meet criteria in two themes which were Food in Schools and Personal, Social & Health Education, as well as completing a staff wellbeing section.



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Kind regards

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