



Small School Big Ideas

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A Nut Free School

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Dear Parents,

It was lovely to meet and greet you all on Thursday and see so many happy, smiling faces walking through the gate. I really love the start of the day and welcoming the children into school and also meeting and chatting to parents.

Thank you so much for your kind and encouraging words during the first week and also your patience. We are excited about the way that the school is moving and the plans that we have for the future, which I will explain a little later on in this newsletter.

Headteacher/Parent Meetings

I will be holding meetings for parents that will start in a couple of weeks' time. These are opportunities for you to make an appointment to talk about any school related items that you might want more information on, or any topics which you would like to bring to my attention.

The individual meetings will take place on a Monday and begin at 4.30pm and finish at 6pm. I will set them out in fifteen minute sessions.

If you would like to make an appointment, please call the school office. I will make a note of these and get back to you with a time for you to come into school.

Please see the dates for these meetings below.

Meeting Date	Time
Monday 27 th September	4.30pm to 6pm
Monday 11 th October	4.30pm to 6pm
Monday 8 th November	4.30pm to 6pm
Monday 22 nd November	4.30pm to 6pm
Monday 6 th December	4.30pm to 6pm

Autumn Term Dates

A list of school dates for the Autumn Term will be sent through to you at some point this week.

Pupil Voice

We are in the process of making arrangements for two pupil councils. There will be a Worship Team and School Council. The Worship Team will help plan school worship with me, lead worship from time to time and take part in services.

Compassion Trust Perseverance

The School Council will be formed and take responsibility for some charity fundraising along with other pupil/school related matters. More details to follow, but we hope to have these two important pupil bodies running before the end of the first half term.

We are looking forward to our first week in the school year of extra-curricular clubs and activities. We do hope that your children will take any opportunity they can to join in, if it is at all possible.

Friends of Naburn School

The August winner of the school '100 Club' wishes to remain anonymous and has kindly donated the money back to school. The winner for August was Sarah Porter. Congratulations Sarah!

Harvest Service

Early news! Our Harvest Service will take place on Thursday 21st October at the Church. The service will start at 10.30am and we will require parent help taking the children to the Church. Parents are invited to attend and we are looking forward to seeing you there. More details will follow soon about our Harvest theme.

No Nuts and only water

Please ensure that your children do not bring nuts or any food with nuts or nut traces in them.

We are noticing a number of children have started the term by bringing a strong cordial drink to school. Please only send your child to school with water in their bottle.

York Food and Drink Festival

Sycamore Class are excited about their educational visit to the Food and Drink Festival in town next Monday. I will also be going with them and we would appreciate some parent help supervising the children. They will be involved in a number of food and drink related workshops which will help them gain a better understanding of the importance of good diet and nutrition. We will tell you all about it next week.

We are planning other educational visits over the academic year and it feels great to be able to do this once again and add to the curriculum with first hand experiences.

Picture News

Story: As people in Afghanistan are now under Taliban leadership following the collapse of the country's government, the UK has introduced a resettlement scheme for Afghan refugees.

Question: How would you feel if you were forced to leave your home?

Virtual Assembly: Found on the Picture News website, just add /discuss

Best wishes



Jonathan Green
Headteacher