

# School Newsletter



Naburn Church of England  
Primary School



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## Headteacher's Introduction

Dear Parents and Carers,

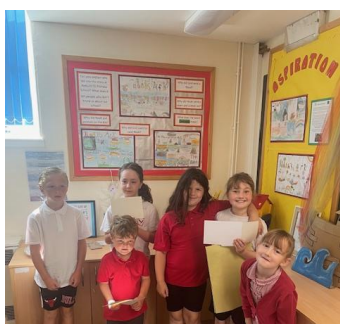
We have had such a great week although we are missing some of our children who are having a wonderful time on residential in Malham. We have received lots of great photos of their time there - we can't wait to share them with you! I'm sure you will all join me in offering a huge thank-you to Mrs Uttley and Mr Beresford for volunteering to look after our children and organising all the fantastic activities. Also thank you Rowan for driving over to Malham and leading on some of those - we are so grateful and thankful to you all. In other news, it was wonderful to welcome in our new September starters for lunch on Tuesday. A great time was had by all and we're very much looking forward to The Teddy Bear's Picnic next week! Finally, it was great to see so many of you supporting our school and community at Naburn's Gala, on Saturday. A huge thanks to our wonderful PTA for organising and manning the stall. Be safe in the sun - set to be a scorcher! Have a great weekend,

Mrs Durham

AND THE WINNERS ARE...

### Attendance House Winners

Respect



### House Point Winners

Respect

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June is **Sports Day** afternoon starts at 1.30pm at the sports field – BE GREAT TO SEE YOU THERE
- Please remember to bring you £5 cash into school for the KS2 trip on the 15<sup>th</sup> July - Thanks

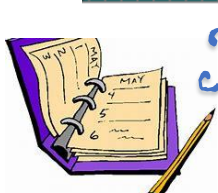
## Reflection Corner

1 Corinthians 1:10:

"Be perfectly united in mind and thought."



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## Dates for your diary

25 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day (afternoon)
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Reserve Sports Day (afternoon)
15 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Trip to Yorkshire Museum
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Leavers' Assembly at the church 2pm
18 <sup>th</sup> July	School Breaks up for Summer
18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year school party
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Back to school

### NABURN CE PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2024/2025

#### AUTUMN TERM 2024

**Staff Training. School closed: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024**

School Open: Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Half-term: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024**

School Open: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024

**Christmas Holiday: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2025**

#### SPRING TERM 2025

**Staff Training. School closed: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

School Open: Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025

**Half-term: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2025**

School Open: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February – Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025

**Staff Training. School closed: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025**

**Easter Holiday: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> April – Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2025**

#### SUMMER TERM 2025

School Open: Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025

**Half-term: Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

School Open: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025

#### ADDITIONAL DATES 2024/25

**Bank Holiday: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

**Staff Training. School closed: Monday 21<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025**

## IMPORTANT NOTICE



ParentPay



# Arbor

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL PAYMENTS ARE NOW THROUGH ARBOR**

If you haven't already, please download the Parent Arbor app as per your welcome email.

Any issues just get in touch with the office.

Thanks very much

### Nut Free

Just a reminder that we are a nut free school, it is **REALLY** important that no nuts are brought into school – this includes products that contain nuts and products that "may contain traces of nuts"

## celebration assembly

JUST A REMINDER THAT WE HOLD OUR CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY EVERY THURSDAY AFTERNOON AT 2.50PM

ALL PARENTS/CARERS WELCOME – WE'D LOVE TO SEE YOU THERE

## HOT WEATHER

Just a reminder during this period where we are having very hot weather!!

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD HAS WITH THEM:

**HAT**

**REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE**

**SUNSCREEN APPLIED/SUNSCREEN WITH THEM**

We really appreciate your help in keeping your child safe in these temperatures – Thanks very much

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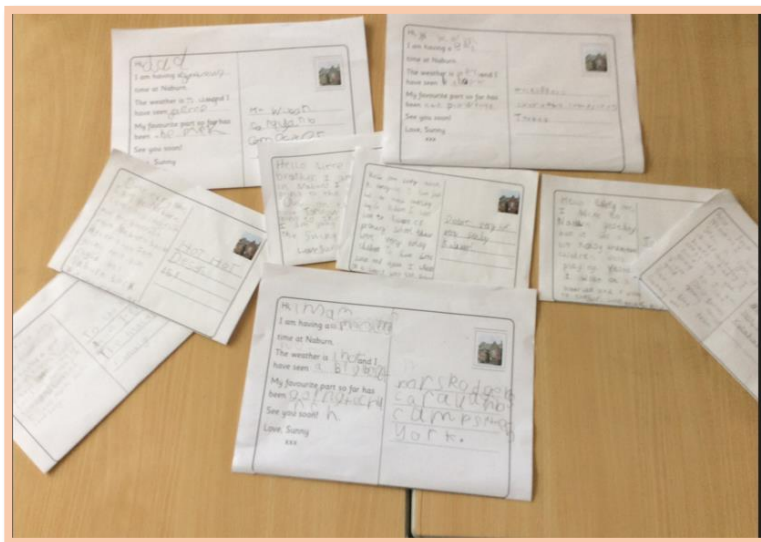
## Acorn Class



What a busy week!



In English, Acorn Class have continued with the book 'Meerkat Mail' - Sunny the meerkat, lives with his extended family in the Kalahari Desert and he is fed up with two things – the place where he lives and the people (or meerkats) he lives with. So, he sets off on his travels sending postcards to his family from all of the places he visits. The children took on the role of Sunny and began writing postcards about a visit he did to Naburn. They started with a greeting, shared a short message, and ended their message with a polite or friendly phrase before signing their name as Sunny. We are very impressed with their wonderful ideas.



We've been busy identifying 2-D shapes on the faces of 3-D shapes in Maths this week. We have been impressed with Reception! Great work, everyone! Why not go on a shape hunt! Look around your home and find as many shapes as you can. Can you spot circles, squares, or triangles on any of the 3-D faces? As an extra challenge name each shape you find!



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We're excited to share the magical world of dragons that has taken over our classroom these last few days!

As part of our integrated literacy and art unit, we have been exploring dragons through creative writing, visual art, and descriptive language. This project has truly captured the children's imaginations—and the results have been nothing short of fantastic!

Using vivid adjectives, similes, and powerful verbs, children wrote their own dragon-themed poems. These poems showcase not only their creativity but also their growing confidence with figurative language and poetic structure. Some poems are fiery and fierce; others are wise and mysterious—each one is unique!

We'll be putting all of these creations on display in our upcoming "Dragon Gallery" outside our classroom, and we'd love for you to stop by and admire our work! And maybe while you're there check out the "Food Webs" we created in Science.

**My dragon**



My brave dragon is made from flickering flames.  
All day and night she makes the great world brighter.

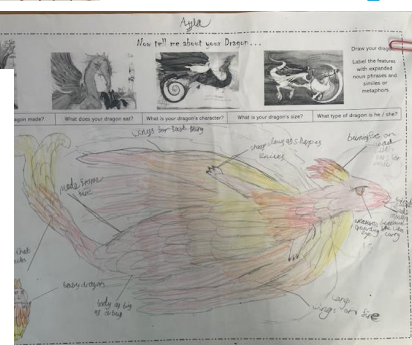
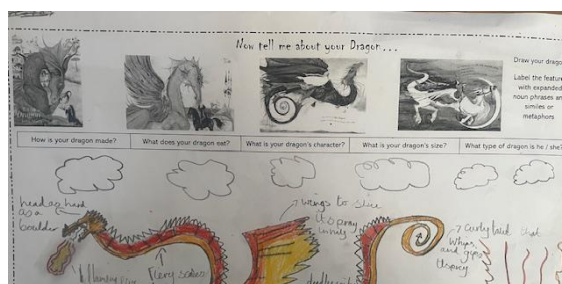
My spicy dragon eats curry as spicy as one hundred chillies.  
When she is mad, she will blow spice out of her head.

My dragon is courageous, she can also be a little shy.  
One day, she will be as fierce as a lion.

My huge dragon is as big as a house.  
She can carry people near and far.

My dragon is a fire dragon.  
She can always give me warm cuddles.

By Ayla

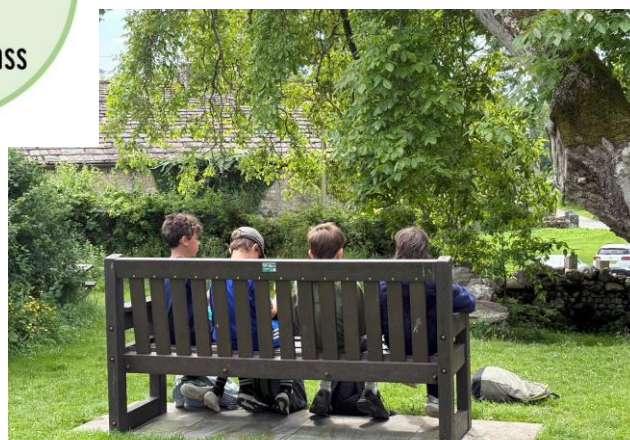




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On Wednesday Some of our KS2 children, Mrs Uttley and Mr Beresford set off for a residential trip to Malham. On Wednesday afternoon we climbed the 400 steps up to Malham Cove and some spectacular views. On Thursday, after a delicious breakfast, Rowan joined us and we had an exciting day building shelters in the woods and learning to navigate using What Three Words and OS maps. In the evening we went stream dipping and discovered all kinds of exciting creatures (and pottery!). We've had a brilliant time in a beautiful place and the children have made us very proud.





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