

School Newsletter



Naburn Church of England
Primary School



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Headteacher's Introduction

Dear Parents/Carers,

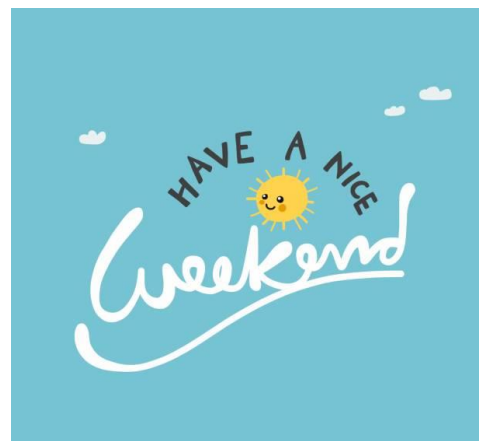
The children have been absolutely wonderful this week. I have seen so many examples of 'living well together as a community' as well as kindness and compassion. There is truly a lovely atmosphere in and around school.

Our KS2 children were a joy to take on a visit this week - their behaviour impeccable and their enjoyment, heartwarming to see.

Acorn class have had a visit from Tony (Yo-Yo) this week and have been discovering 'what Jesus did next' alongside what makes us all special. We will be putting a presentation together to showcase what we have discovered.

Thank you for your continued support with ensuring your children are in school, on time each day. We really appreciate your efforts!

Have a wonderful weekend.



THINGS TO REMEMBER

- **New gate opening time 8.40am**
- **RAINCOATS Please remember to send your child to school with a waterproof as the weather is very changeable at present and the children are still required to walk over to the village hall for PE regardless of the rain. There were some very soggy people this afternoon!!**

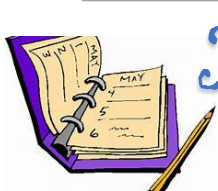
Reflection Corner

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And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching



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Dates for your diary

15 th October	York Schools Cross Country competition
16 th October	Harvest Festival
21 st October	Open Day 9.30am
23 rd October	Open Day 4.30pm
24 th October	Rockstars and Robots Day
24 th October	Break up for Half Term
31 ST October	Closing date for Secondary School applications
3 rd November	Back to School
26 TH November	Open Day 9.30am
28 TH November	Open Day 9.30am

FLU VACCINATION

Vaccination UK is attending Naburn Primary School to provide flu vaccinations

If you would like your child to have either the nasal spray or the injectable flu vaccine, please use the link below to give your YES consent.

You will be able to choose the method.

If you DO NOT wish for your child to have a flu vaccination, please complete a NO consent via the same link.

<https://yny.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2025/northyorkshire>



Vaccination UK

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"



NABURN CE PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2025 / 2026

AUTUMN TERM 2025

Staff Training. School closed: Monday 1st September 2025

School Open: Tuesday 2nd September – Friday 24th October 2025

Half-term: Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October 2025

School Open: Monday 3rd November – Thursday 18th December 2024

Staff Training. School closed: Friday 19th December 2025

Christmas Holiday: Monday 22nd December – Friday 2nd January 2026

SPRING TERM 2026

Staff Training. School closed: Monday 5th January 2026

School Open: Tuesday 6th January – Friday 13th February 2026

Half-term: Monday 16th February - Friday 20th February 2026

School Open: Monday 23rd February – Thursday 26th March 2026

Staff Training. School closed: Friday 27th March 2026

Easter Holiday: Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April 2026

SUMMER TERM 2026

School Open: Monday 13th April – Friday 22nd May 2026

Half-term: Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May 2026

School Open: Monday 1st June – Friday 17th July 2026

ADDITIONAL DATES 2025 / 2026

Bank Holiday: Monday 4th May 2026

Staff Training. School closed: Monday 20th July 2026

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

open day

Naburn is opening its doors to welcome prospective new starters. Please see the dates below:

Tuesday 21st October 9.30am Chat and Tour
Thursday 23rd October 4.30pm Chat and Tour
Wednesday 26th November 9.30am Chat and Tour
Friday 28th November 9.30am Chat and Tour

IT WOULD BE LOVELY IF YOU COULD JOIN US

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This week, our Reception children made the most of the beautiful autumn sunshine. Outdoors, they eagerly explored our balance bikes, trikes, and challenge foot twisters - building strength, coordination, and control. It's been a terrific opportunity to practise key physical skills in a fun and active way.

Ted and Fox's Umbrella Challenge!

Acorn Class



This week, our class helped Ted and Fox solve a soggy problem—they'd lost their umbrellas! With only a few materials to hand, such as paper towels, felt, bun cases, and the hand part of rubber gloves, we predicted which might keep them dry. Then we put our ideas to the test with a fun experiment to see which materials were most suitable.

The children worked brilliantly as they made predictions, carried out tests, and recorded their findings. We discovered that the rubber from the gloves were the most suitable material - they were waterproof, lightweight, and kept the rain out best during our experiment.



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KS2 had an amazing day on Thursday. We visited York Chocolate Story and had an exciting morning finding out all about York's chocolate history and the Rowntree family. We even got to sample some of their delicious chocolates. After finding out how chocolate gets from the pod to our mouths, we made our very own white chocolate lollies to take home. After lunch, we took part in an exciting workshop about the Maya and the value they placed on the cocoa bean. We learnt how to make the Mayan drink chocolatl and competed in teams to see who could create the most bubbles in their drink as the Maya believed that this brought them closer to the gods. A brilliant day was had by all!



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