

Friday Letter for Parents and Carers

26th February 2021

Headteacher Update



Dates for your Diary

March

3rd World Book Day
29th March -9th April Easter
Holidays
April
20th April Training Day

30th April Training Day
May /June

31st May-4th June Half Term *July*9th Training Day

26th Break up for Summer Any changes/additions will be marked in red

The date of the training day on the 19th March has been changed. The new date will be Friday 30th April.

I cannot believe it's Friday already! I hope you have had a calm and happy holiday last week.

Our literacy leaders, Emma and Lucy have been very busy planning an exciting World Book Day celebration on Wednesday 3rd March. We look forward to seeing the children and staff in their colourful outfits!

We are making lots of preparations for our reopening of full time onsite provision. Please contact class teams via the care diary or telephone if you require symbols or resources to support your child in their understanding about 'back to school!' I am awaiting more information from Streamline (York Transport) regarding the agreed arrangements for runs. We aim to revert back to what was organised for the Autumn term. We will not continue shuttle runs, therefore the timings will also return to previous arrangements. If you have any concerns about this, please contact us or Streamline.

Thank you to all parents for completing the remote learning survey. We appreciate your feedback and thanks.

Have a lovely weekend,

Olivia Hargreaves



Buds Class have been busy learning about change. We have explored turning ice into water and melting chocolate to make delicious treats. We have been working on number and positional language in maths and our sensory stories are Alice in Wonderland and the Magical Toy Box. We have visited the sensory garden and are looking at how plants and flowers are beginning to grow.





In school, we will be celebrating World Book Day on:

Wednesday 3rd March 2021.

Your child can come to school dressed as a character from a book or bring in a prop linked to a story. Your child may also like to bring in their favourite book to share with their class.

In school, our theme is going to be COLOUR. Each class team is going to choose a book linked to colour and collectively we are going to create some artwork to make a



School Meal Booking

Don't forget to book your child's meals on ParentPay. Bookings must be made by the Wednesday for the following week. Thank you.

Learning Fun at Hob Moor Oaks



Golden Leaf Awards 26th February 2021

Seedlings Leo for using his hands and arms to push objects

Acorns Arlo for trying different approaches to solve problems

Blossoms William for showing increased focus and attention during his maths

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Blossoms Hub Logan for great interactions with his friends at playtime

Twigs McKenzie for tracking objects as they are moved around

Saplings Caleb for a great first week back at school

Buds Mira for recognising her own name

Branches Riley for settling back into school so well

Roots Kacper for overcoming his anxieties around new activities

Boughs Tyler for great engagement and focus when exploring light in science

Green Shoots Aaron for great interactions and vocalisations

Trunks Frank and Poppy for great working together in science to make lava lamps

Catkins Tristen for picking up new words quickly and completing fantastic GINN

reading!

Oak Leaves Ruby for brilliant PE! Ruby works so hard and always tries her best

Oak Trees Kieran for writing some great sentences in English this week

Olivia's Outstanding Award

Blake for superb independence using his powered wheelchair on transport and in school