

Friday 17th May 2019 - Newsletter 3

A message from Miss Towler...

Dear parents and carers,



We have had a lovely sunny week in school and have really made the most of the sunshine on the field with cricket, football and lots of other fun. Y6 and Y2 have been brilliant during their SAT tests and we are so proud of how hard they have worked.

Thank you to all those parents that came to join me for the first coffee and a catch up last Friday. It was such an informative session and we have already acted on some of the suggestions that were shared. In this newsletter I have included some of the feedback and have also added another date for an after school session for those parents that would find it easier to come after school.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any queries and many thanks for your ongoing support.

Best wishes,

Caroline Towler
Headteacher



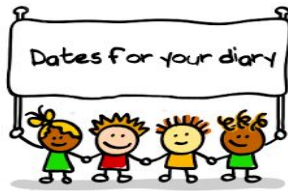
Joining Ebor Academy Trust

As you will be aware Tadcaster Primary Academy is now part of Ebor Academy Trust. With this collaboration, our school will gain greater opportunities to work with other professionals and to share resources across other Ebor schools. In Neptune class they have had great fun in science lessons with data loggers which were borrowed from one of our other Ebor family of schools. We will continue to share resources so that the children get the very best opportunities for learning.

We are also really excited to be working in partnership with York Dance Space who are collaborating with Ebor Academy Trust. Team Saturn will really enjoy this project over the coming weeks and had a fab introductory session this morning which parents came along to!



New date for the diary



Coffee and chat afternoon session - parents welcome to come along Wednesday 5th June at 4.30pm.

More dates to follow next week.

We are aiming for 100 twitter followers! Please follow

@TadPrimaryAcad 

Parent Forum feedback

Within the session we identified what parents felt was positive at school and what they felt could be even better. See below for some of the feedback:

What is going well:

- Children are happy to come to school
- Teachers are approachable
- Good outdoor environment
- Ready for Reading (Jupiter team)
- Star Assemblies with parents

Even better if:

- Communication with parents could improve
- Greater flexibility in nursery hours
- Science experiments and equipment could be improved
- Early Years to be more involved with the whole school
- Staffing of swimming lessons needed looking into

School uniform at Tadcaster Primary Academy

So many of our children look beautifully smart and wear the correct school uniform everyday which is something to be proud of.

Just a couple of reminders, can we remind all families to add names into children's clothing and also that children always bring PE kit in on the days that their class have PE. We want all children to make the most of these sessions and not to miss out because they have forgotten their kits. See below for when children have PE:

Jupiter - Wednesday and Friday.

Saturn - Friday (swimming kit Wednesday)

Neptune - Monday and Wednesday.

We would also ask that children from Y1 to Y6 **do not** wear leggings as part of their school uniform. School trousers, skirt or gingham dress are all suitable options.

Thank you for your support in making sure our children look super smart every day in school!

