

Friday 21st June 2019 - Newsletter 7

A message from Miss Towler...

Dear parents and carers,

What a fantastic sports day we enjoyed this week. We are so glad that the sun shone. Big thanks to those TPAC members and other parents who volunteered to help run our sports events and thank you to Mr Parkinson, our PE lead, for organising Sports Day. It was fab to see so many parents join us in celebrating our children's sporty skills. We were really pleased to invite Minster FM to be part of the fun and it was great to see Minster Monster at Tadcaster Primary Academy!

Best wishes,

Caroline Towler
Headteacher



Attendance at Tadcaster Primary Academy

Please see last week's attendance figures:

Reception: 86%

Saturn: 98.48% (Top team attendance!)

Jupiter: 96.77%

Neptune: 96.36%



Our school target is **96%** which is the target all schools are set to ensure that they meet the expected standard of attendance. Please avoid booking holidays/ medical appointments in term time. Thank you.

Respect at Tadcaster Primary Academy

This week's assembly focus has been all about respect and how we should treat each other exactly as we would want to be treated. We have discussed how we can consider other people's feelings and that this helps us to put others first. We hope you saw our children treating each other with respect throughout Sports Day.



We have reached 114 followers - our new target is 150 twitter followers!

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Dates for the summer term diary



Wednesday 26th June - Fire Service visit to school

Thursday 27th June - **Change in date** - Reception new starters

open evening 3.30pm to 4.30pm. Apologies that we have had to make this amendment for those parents of children starting reception next year.

Friday 28th June - Staff Training Day - children not in school

Monday 1st July - Open evening to meet with new teachers in new classrooms 3.30pm - 4.30pm. All parents are welcome to meet their child's teacher for next year. (See 27.6.19)

Wednesday 3rd July - FS Physical Stay and Play 1-2pm

Wednesday 3rd - Friday 5th July - New classes transition - children move up to their new class with their new teachers

Wednesday 3rd - Friday 5th July - Tadcaster Grammar School transition days for Y6 pupils attending TGS from September

Wednesday 10th July - Year 6 Moving on Service for all Y6 pupils across Tadcaster (pupils only)

Thursday 11th July - School reports to go out to families

Friday 12th July - Y6 Leavers' Celebration Evening

Tuesday 16th July - Y5/6 Leavers' play 2.00pm - 3.00pm

Wednesday 17th July - Y5/6 Leavers' play 6.30pm - 7.30pm

Thursday 18th July - Kingswood full payment due.

Friday 19th July - End of term family picnic (please come along)/ Break up for summer holidays

Monday 22nd July - Staff Training Day

Jewellery at school

For safety reasons, please can we ask that children do not wear earrings or any other jewellery in PE. For those children who are going to get their ears pierced shortly, could we ask that this happens during the summer holidays so that children don't miss PE sessions. Ideally children will either not come to school with earrings in or will be able to remove these themselves. Unfortunately adults are not able to remove earrings for pupils and tape can not be used in PE sessions.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter. Our children's safety is our main priority.

Reminder: Please ensure children only wear stud earrings for school. Hoops and dangly earrings are not suitable for school.

ParentHub

Thank you to all those parents that have signed up to our new communication system - ParentHub. We would love to have all our parents signed up so that messages are not missed.

If you need any help getting onto ParentHub please let Mrs Griffin in the school office know and we will do our best to get you up and running.

TPAC's 'Fun for a Fiver' night

What a great success last Friday evening was. The children had such a lot of fun playing games and getting stuck into their delicious fish and chip supper. Many thanks to TPAC for all their hard work in organising this fantastic event.



