



GOATHLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Believe you can
Together we will*



Diary Dates

15th Nov – Christmas Card deadline!

15th Nov – Anti Bullying Week – Odd Sock Day

18th Nov – School Open Afternoon

19th Nov – Children in Need

23rd Nov – Nativity Rehearsals @St Mary's – Collect from Church at 3.15 pm (no PE)

29th Nov - Parents Evening

30th Nov – Flu Jabs

1st Dec – Base 1 Danby Moors Centre – One Snowy Night (all day)

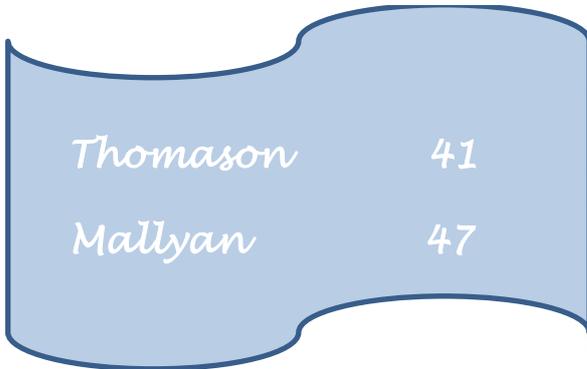
2nd Dec – Nativity Rehearsals @ St Marys – Collect from Church at 3.15 pm

3rd Dec– Base 2 Dodgeball at CCW (pm)

6th Dec Nativity **Dress Rehearsal** @ St Marys – Collect from Church at 3.15 pm

8th Dec – Christmas Craft Club 3.15 – 4.15 pm

10th – Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day



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12 November 2021

Dear Parents,

New Diary Dates Added →

Base 1



We have started our new half term with lots of new learning. In RE, we have started to learn about Eid-Al-Fitr, the children really enjoyed making lanterns in our first lesson.

In Science, we are looking at seasonal

changes; we went on an autumn walk and are beginning to record the changes in the weather.

We are working on our 'Computer Skills' in ICT and we are learning how to perform a number of simple actions, such as saving work into folders.

In PSHE, our theme is 'Caring and Responsibility', we started this by thinking about how we can be kind and show others in school that we care. We have been trying to do a kind act every day.



In DT we have begun to explore books with moving pictures and over the coming weeks will learn how to make different moving mechanisms so that we can create our own moving pictures.

In our play, we have reorganised our writing table and this has reignited the children's interest in this area, I hope you are enjoying receiving the letters they are making and our new stamps! We made firework pictures this week, drawing them with chalk pens and decorating each line with sequins. We have turned our home corner into a 'Vets', this links in with our Literacy topic about pets.

Base 2

A new half-term means the start of many new topics and projects so....

In Science the children have begun their topic on forces and carried out an experiment to explore and understand the pull of gravity. They compared the weight in newtons and mass in kilograms of different objects to investigate how gravitational force is measured.

HTML (Hypertext Markup Language) is the focus for our ICT lessons. The Yr4 children will be learning how to create, design and format web pages using elements such as headings, images and quotes while the Yr6 children extend their knowledge and skills to include how to incorporate hyperlinks. The Yr3 children will be learning similar, but slightly more basic skills, using Word documents.

The theme for PSHE this half-term is, 'Caring and Responsibility'. The younger children are thinking about ways they can care for and show respect towards others and the older children have begun considering how our care needs change through different stages of life.

As part of our PSHE next week, the whole school will be joining in the Anti-bullying Odd Socks Day on Monday and having a special assembly to highlight the effects of unfriendly behaviour and the importance of being kind and thoughtful in all our interactions with each other.

In Literacy the children have begun looking at the imaginative picture book Journey by Aaron Becker which is going to be our main stimulus for writing over the next few weeks.



Diary Dates Continued

10th Dec – School Nativity, St Mary's Church at 6.00 pm

13th Dec – School Christmas Party pm

14th Dec – School Christmas Lunch

15th Dec – Christmas Craft Club 3.15 – 4.15 pm

16th Dec – School Trip – Ice Skating

17th Dec – Crib Service, 2.00 pm at St Mary's Church



Alongside all this, on the more creative side, the children have also started a textile art project using the work of felt artist Lucy Sparrow for inspiration.

Forest School

We will be having an additional Forest School session on Thursday 18th November as part of our open afternoon to promote our fabulous school to the wider community. The children will be making woodland animals & “boggarts” out of clay and natural materials **so do come and join us if you can.**

Sports Events

Having dashed back from York on the last Friday before half-term, the Base 2 children ran brilliantly at Caedmon in the second leg of local schools’ cross-country. As a school we were a bit short on numbers on this occasion which has set us back slightly in the team league, so the Yr6 girls are now 2nd and the Yr3/4 boys 5th. Special congratulations go to Lewis who came 3rd in the Yr3/4 boys’ race and Martha who won the Yr6 girls’ race by a considerable distance. Thank you to all the parents who came to support their children – we hope you will join us again for the third leg in March.

Christmas Card Designs

Please return your Christmas card designs **by 15th November AT THE LATEST**

15th November – Anti Bullying Week and Odd Sock Day Please send your children to school in odd socks on Monday.

Please note NO PE on 23rd November and 30th November due to Nativity rehearsals in Church.

Lunch £14.25 per week / £2.85 per day

Milk 18p per day/ 90p per week

Lunch Money due for the new half term - £99.75

Milk - £6.30

Enjoy your weekend , from all the staff at Goathland School





GOATHLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

OPEN AFTERNOON



THURSDAY 18TH NOVEMBER 2021
1.30 - 3.00 PM



GOATHLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL, BECKHOLE ROAD, GOATHLAND, WHITBY, YO22 5ND

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SCHOOL OPEN AFTERNOON EVERYONE WELCOME



Join us for an afternoon with our dedicated staff, who are keen to share with you Goathland's unique offer of exceptional learning experiences within a caring, family atmosphere.

Meet the children who will tell you why they love our school so much.

Come and enjoy a tour of school and a visit to our wonderful Forest School site where we will be making clay animals and woodland boggarts.

PLEASE CALL 01947 896230 TO BOOK YOUR PLACE



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FRIDAY 10TH DECEMBER
ST MARY'S CHURCH AT 6.00 PM

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