

NEWSLETTER

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Next week

Meals: Week 2

Monday 12 March

Swimming Lessons Class 1 & 2

3.30 – 4.30 Garden Club

Tuesday 13 March

7.55 Yr6 Booster Club

3.30 – 4.30 Talent Club

Wednesday 14 March

3.30 – 4.30 Film Club

3.30 – 4.15 Seedling Club Class 1

Thursday 15 March

Whole School Cricket

3.30 – 4.30 Art Club

4.00 – 5.00 Golf Club

Friday 16 March

Guitar Lessons

STEM Whole School Event

3.30 – 4.30 Sports Club

Did you know that Universal Credit is currently a qualifying benefit for Free School Meals?

If you receive Universal Credit then your children are entitled to a free meal in school. Claiming Free School Meals could save you almost £400 per child per year, and could enable the school to gain over £2,000 per year extra funding for every child as well. So even if your child doesn't take the free meal, or your child gets a free meal because they are currently in reception or Key Stage 1, you should apply now if you haven't already.

From 1 April 2018, the government are introducing a net Universal Credit earning threshold of £7,400 per year for Free School Meal eligibility which means that some families who are eligible now would not be if they apply after 1 April.

It is important that you apply now as all children assessed as eligible for Free School Meals (FSM) before 1 April 2018 will continue to be eligible until at least 2022, while Universal Credit is rolled out across the country. There would also be no need for any further FSM eligibility checks as well.

To make sure that you don't miss out please apply now and before the 1st April.

The form is attached to this newsletter in print or you can access it on line at

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals>

Break up for Easter Holiday Thursday 29 March 2018, 3.30pm
Back to School on Tuesday 17 April 2018, 8.55am

The rearranged visit to take place on Tuesday 20 March. Please remember the early start, the late return and a packed lunch!

Parent Carer Consultation Meetings



Monday 19 March	1.45 – 3.30	Class 3 only
Tuesday 20 March	4.45 – 5.45	All Classes
Wednesday 21 March	3.45 – 5.45	All Classes
Thursday 22 March	3.45 – 5.45	All Classes

Places are filling up now so please make sure you get a chance to come in. If you can't get in to see the slots please give Mrs Allen a ring between 10am and 1pm any school day and we can arrange it with you.

The library at Ayton are holding a Mother's Day Treat on Saturday 10 March (tomorrow) from 10.30am. Everyone welcome to pop in, share a story and have some special time together with a cuppa and a cake. Other family members welcome too, it's not just about Mum!



Last call for anyone completing the Countryside Quiz! The deadline is Wednesday 28 March. Please return them to the address on the back of the quiz or drop it into the Office at School.



Who's excited for British Science Week this March 9-18? The celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths is almost here! We are hoping to spark scientific curiosity and let the little ones unleash their inner genius! As part of British Science week the children will be taking part in a STEM day, a carousel of activities all linked to **STEM Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics**.

Each Teacher, including Mr Logue, will carry out an exciting practical session so that by the end of the day every child will have taken part in each of the four activities.

Watch out because Mr Cooper is planning something interesting on the subject of Past Poo!