



Park Spring Primary School

'Achieving Together'



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Friday 8th September 2023

Absence Reporting Please report your child's absence to the school office via telephone or via text message to **07891 274 260**

SCHOOL DAY REMINDER

Please can we remind families and pupils that the normal school day begins at **8.55am** and the gates will open automatically at **8.45am** (no need to press the buzzer). If the gates do open for children in boosters, visitors or staff before this time please remain at the gates and do not enter the playground. Many thanks



WELCOME TO PARK SPRING

A big warm welcome to Park Spring to all our new children, parents and teachers!

A big welcome back to all our existing children, parents and teachers.

We hope you had a fantastic summer and looking forward to an amazing term ahead.



AUTUMN 1&2 DIARY DATES

Please find below a list of events that will be taking place during this term;



18.09.2023 Aspirations Week
02.10.2023 Training Day
04.10.2023 Whole School Photos
27.10.2023 Autumn Half Term
06.11.2023 School Re-opens

NELL BANK

What an amazing first 2 days of term we have had here at PSPS. Y6 went on on trip on their very first day back to school and Y3 went on their second day. We went to Nell Bank outdoor activity centre near Ilkley. Y6 went on a TEAM BUILDING course and Y3 went on a PROBLEM SOLVING COURSE. As you can see we had an amazing time and learnt lots about ourselves, working together and staying resilient. Perfect for setting ourselves up for another great year of learning. These trip were FULLY FUNDED by our friends from Glentool Estates. This is so generous and we are incredibly grateful for the continued support of the Nolan Family.



ATTENDANCE



If your child is going to be absent from school then please text this number **07891274260**. Please note that this phone will not be answered for phone calls. This is the last week of last years attendance report for the week ending **21st July 2023**

RECEPTION a	93.6%	YEAR 3b	92.6%
RECEPTION b	90.8%	YEAR 4a	95%
YEAR 1a	97.2%	YEAR 4b	93.85%
YEAR 1b	91.35%	YEAR 5a	88.3%
YEAR 2a	88.65%	YEAR 5b	93%
YEAR 2b	89.35%	YEAR 6a	92%
YEAR 3a	93.35%	YEAR 6b	91.7%

Totals 92.2%

BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

CLUB



Breakfast and After School Club fees will be uploaded to Parent Pay by the end of next week. If you still have outstanding payments from last year please make sure these are cleared as per the contract you have signed.



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BOYS BRIGADE

Your local Boys' Brigade group are based at St Mark's Methodist Church, Swinnow. We are keen to attract new members from all primary school year groups. There is something for everyone including opportunities to develop skills, make friends and try all sorts of different activities. Find out more at facebook.com/26thleedsbb or contact company captain, Paul Curtis on 07826 929329. Join the adventure today!



CAR PARK

Please **DO NOT** drive **into** the car park to drop or collect children. It is a health and safety issue and we do not want any accidents. Thank you.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

BOOSTERS—TT Rock Stars Boosters are open for Years 3 & 4 from 8.15am in the ICT Suite. Last entry is 8.30am as they finish at 8.45am

PLEASE BE REMINDED THAT THERE ARE NO BOOSTERS ON A FRIDAY.



WEBSITE

Please take the time to have a look at our website, there is lots of useful school information on there along with Stars of the Week, what your children will be learning this term and our school calendar with all of the events going on in school.

We have also had the drone footage uploaded to the front page which is absolutely amazing! A must watch!!



PE DAYS

These are the PE days - please make sure children come in their PE uniform on these days.

RECEPTION - THURSDAY

YEAR 1 - TUESDAY AND FRIDAY

YEAR 2 - TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

YEAR 3 - TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

YEAR 4 - TUESDAY AND FRIDAY

YEAR 5 - WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

YEAR 6 - MONDAY AND FRIDAY



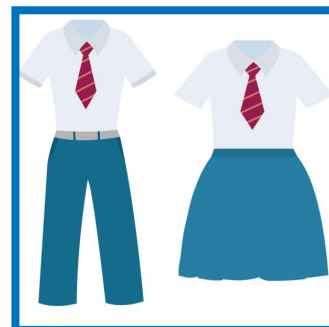
SCHOOL UNIFORM

Thank you to all the families that have responded to our revised focus on school uniform. The children have started their year off the 'smartest ever' - they look amazing and seem really proud

about their school, each other and of course themselves! Well done. This week we have been giving polite reminders to children and families where uniform does not match the school requirements. If you are having issues obtaining any of the uniform please do contact your child's class teacher or the office - we would love to help you out. Please note that as we move to the end of next week we will be in direct contact with you if your child's uniform is not correct. We will have loan items for children that do not have the correct uniform.

Please note also that we have the same expectations for our PE uniform. No football kits or branded sportswear for our PE lessons, thank you. Again we will support you with this, and children will be issued with loan clothing if the issue persists.

If you see a child in non school uniform please rest assured that we have not changed our message and will be working with the family to ensure that all pupils follow our uniform policy. Many, many thanks for your support with this.





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FRIDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2023
8PM KICK OFF

**Join us for an unforgettable night
and help us break our schools
attendance record!**

BOOK YOUR TICKETS

VIA PARENTPAY BY 10AM MON 18TH SEPT 2023

ADULT TICKETS £10
CHILD TICKETS £5

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The Christmas Experience

25 Nov 2023 – 7 Jan 2024



The Christmas Experience

Yorkshire's ultimate festive day out



The Christmas Experience has it all this year to bring some added magic to your family's Christmas. Come on down to our snow filled North Pole to meet Santa and all his elf friends for stories and elf tales. Create your own Christmas treasure and make a wish in the wishing well before finally meeting the main man himself. Join Mrs Claus for Gingerbread decorating or the elves in the enchanting Elf Village for crafts. There is even a shorter Santa experience for pre-schoolers every weekday.

Come take a walk through the magical, interactive festive woodland walk. Follow our twinkling lights, down winding paths and you'll discover the enchanting installations of the Christmas traditions. Discover the fairies in their secret hideaway Fairy Dell. See the house in all it's glory and join us in our Yuletide Yurt for a warming Christmas tipple.

Relaxed Santa sessions for children with additional needs on 7th & 12th December, please see the website for more details.

Visit us after Christmas and help our cheeky elves that have been left behind before enjoying the festive woodland walk, house in all it's glory, Yuletide Yurts and magnificent Lotherton estate.



The Christmas Experience entry tickets from £3.80, Santa's North Pole from £13.45 and Santa's Cabin for pre-schoolers £9.00.

Is your child starting Year 6?

It's time to think about secondary school!



You can apply online until
31 October 2023 for a Year 7 place
in **September 2024**

Before you apply, find out more at
www.leeds.gov.uk/apply 

- Learn about the admissions process
- Research schools so you can list your 5 preferences
- Read each school's admissions policy
- Understand where your child might be offered a place
- Check if your home address gives you priority



Call us on
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guide to school
admissions



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