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*Working **together** to be the **best** that we can be.*

Happiness

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Working Together for Excellent Attendance.

It is really important that we have good punctuality each morning (school starts at 8:50am) attendance each day so that we do not miss vital learning in lessons and key parts of the learning sequence. We are aiming for all classes to consistently be above 95%.



Unfortunately, no classes achieved this this week during the first week back with the highest attendance being 93%

Welcome back after the Easter Holidays - the children have been telling staff about the wonderful things that they were doing over the holidays! It seems our families have managed to pack quite a lot of amazing things into two weeks!

It is nice to see that the children have quickly settled back into the routine and that they have remembered to bring their fantastic behaviour back with them too. We have already awarded some GOLD stickers this week!

On Thursday, some KS2 children took part in an after-school rounders match with Goldsborough and played against Kirby Overblow School on the cricket field. Mr Colley said all the children enjoyed the competition and played really well!

Money owed

There is a considerable amount of money owed for wraparound care, swimming transport, visits etc. Please check on ParentPay and settle outstanding amounts to bring accounts up to date.

Trips and visits cannot continue to go ahead unless the voluntary amount is received and this may result in them being cancelled.

Please note that if debts for wraparound care are not cleared, we will have to stop attendance.

We are very supportive of families and allow flexibility that other schools do not – most schools ask for payment in advance to confirm the place and expect a term paid in advance too.

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School Meal ordering on ParentPay

Thank you for your patience whilst we set up the new ordering system. The system went live during the Easter holiday and many parents ordered meals for their children.

Consolidating meal ordering into ParentPay means fewer apps/websites for you to navigate, as ordering and payment is done in one place. (Children eligible for free school meals do not pay, but you must order meals for your child).

Please check that you have ordered meals for your child for next week and beyond.

Parent Consultation Meetings

Meeting will take place on Tuesday 16th and Wednesday 17th April (all classes).

If you have not yet booked an appointment to see your child's teacher, please contact Mrs Reeve ASAP to arrange.

Silver Birch Class Swimming

Thank you for the payments received towards swimming transport costs. If you have not yet paid, please do so on ParentPay. You may pay weekly or monthly if you wish to spread the cost or the full amount. Thank you.

Reminders:

Den building on Tuesday 16th April: The children can **come to school** in their 'Outdoor Learning' clothes on the day of the workshop – no denim please. They will need lots of layers. The best clothing is jogging bottoms and a long-sleeved top. They will need a waterproof jacket. They could bring waterproof over-trousers too if they have some. Wellies or walking boots are preferred but if this is not possible, old trainers will do. Even if sunny the children will need to wear layers in light material, e.g. a long-sleeved top, sunscreen (check labels for nut oils/ allergies), and a hat but also be prepared for rain!

The children **should bring their school uniform and shoes in their bag as they will all need a 'change of clothes' in case of inclement weather** - they will potentially be wet and muddy following the workshop! If they are not too muddy they will stay in their outdoor kit all day.

Please also send a carrier bag in with your child to put wet / muddy clothes and shoes into.

Silver Birch Herd Farm Trip

Please could consent and payment be made through ParentPay if you have not yet done so.

Have a lovely weekend!



Mrs Zoe Ellis
Executive Headteacher