

# New York Newsletter

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## Dear Parent/s and Guardians,

### A New Academic Year – 2017/18:

Welcome to the new school academic year. We particularly welcome all our new children and their families and hope you will settle into school life quickly and happily. We start the new school year with our value of Justice – treating others as you would wish to be treated yourself.

We have many exciting things on the calendar for this term, so please read our first Newsletter to find out key events!

Wishing you all a very happy term ahead.

### Class 1:

This term we are learning about seasons and materials in Science and Art. In History we are learning about toys from now and the past. If you have any old toys you could bring in we would love to share these. In music we will be using our voices. For PE we are concentrating on outdoor games. In Maths we are studying place value, addition and subtraction. In English we are looking at recounts, non-fiction and narrative. We will be reading lots of different 'Kipper' books by Mick Inkpen. We will be learning about e-safety and technology around us in Computing.

Please can you ensure you are sharing books with your children at least 3 times a week, this will develop your children's love for and ability to read and write.

If there are any parents that would like to come in to read, sew or do something else with the children in school we would very much appreciate your help.

Many thanks.

### Class 2:

We will be learning about a number of topics this term. In science we will be finding out about the digestive system, nutrients and how they are transported around the body. Our geography topic is 'Wild World', focusing on earthquakes, volcanoes and their effects. In English we will be exploring fiction and persuasive texts. We will also be practising a variety of maths skills, with a focus on place value, addition and subtraction.

### Marvellous Dahlicious Dress Up Day:

September is Roald Dahl's birth month, and each year we celebrate with a wonderful array of events centred around his birthday on 13th September. This year we will be having a non-uniform day on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September. For a donation, children will be able to come to school dressed as their favourite Roald Dahl character. We will be raising money for Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity

### Harvest Festival:

Harvest Festival will take place on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September at New York Primary School, 2.30pm. We will start to collect non-perishable food from Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September and fruit and vegetables from Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September. All the food will be donated to Centrepoint Outreach in Boston. All parents, grandparents and Friends of the schools are very welcome to attend.

### Headteacher Awards:

<b>Felicity Webb</b>	Systematic maths work
<b>Josh Sidwells</b>	Fantastic writing about his visit to Rand Farm
<b>Alfie Sidwells</b>	Fantastic recount
<b>Harley Denham</b>	Fantastic recount
<b>Amelia Newman</b>	Fantastic recount
<b>Charlie Grant</b>	Reaching beyond the stars
<b>Kieran Place</b>	Reaching beyond the stars
<b>James Potts</b>	Showing empathy
<b>Kadon Johnstone</b>	Helping younger pupils

### House Point Winners:

## The Yellow Diamonds!

### Stars of the week:

Class 1 – Harley Denham

Class 2 – Kieran Place

### Shining Stars:

<b>William Ablewhite</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Mason Denham</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Lily Hurst</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Bertie Hurst</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Theo Jackson</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Olivia Leggett</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Veev Phillips</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Kaiden Sanders</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Jayden Skelton</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Amelie Webb</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Luke Morley</b>	Settling in so well
<b>Felicity Webb</b>	Working hard
<b>Paris Jackson</b>	Working independently
<b>Kieran Place</b>	Thinking about others

**Parents' Evening:**

The Autumn parents' afternoon will be on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October, appointment slips will be sent out on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September.

**11+ Dates:**

Verbal test – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Non-verbal test – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

**Key stage 2 SATS 2018:**

The Year 6, Key Stage 2 SATs will take place in the week beginning Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2018.

**Whitby Residential 2018:**

Years 4, 5 and 6 will be going to Whitby for their residential trip next year... an excellent trip (especially the steam train ride!)

The dates are: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018. Please see the accompanying letter.

**E-safety Competition:**

The annual E-safety Competition is up and running. The children have been asked to create an A4 poster illustrating the dangers of electronic communication, the closing date is Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September. The free e-safety online magazine we subscribe to have some wonderful ideas and advice. Please see the links below. We also have other sources on the school website.

<http://www.esafety-adviser.com/latest-newsletter/>

<http://www.esafety-adviser.com/esafety-posters/>

**PTFA:**

The first PTFA meeting of the year will be next week, Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September, 1.30pm at New York Primary School. All parents are automatically members of the PTFA and all are welcome to attend the meetings, the more the merrier. We are always looking for new ideas, more support and more hands to help raise money for those extra special events, activities and resources. If you have any questions please see any member of staff or current member of the PTFA committee. Thank you.

**Housekeeping:**

Could I please remind parents that children should bring a coat to school every day, they should also have their PE kits in school every day. School meal menus are sent out fortnightly and need to be returned to school by the following Tuesday please, so that we can place the order with our provider.

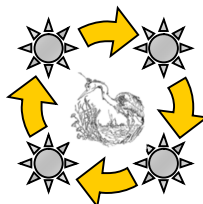
**Dates for your diary:**

11+ Verbal	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> September
11+ Non-Verbal	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September
Harvest Festival	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> September, 9.10am
Parent's Evening	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October, 3.30pm
End of Term 1	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2017
Start of Term 2	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2017
End of Term 2	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 2017
Start of Term 3	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2018
End of Term 3	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2018
Start of Term 4	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2018
End of Term 4	Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Start of Term 5	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2018
KS2 SATS Week	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 – Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
End of Term 5	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Start of Term 6	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
Whitby Residential	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2018 – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
End of Term 6	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2018

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<b>Term 1</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> September 2017</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> October 2017</b>
	<b>Inset days: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September</b>	
<b>Term 2</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>31<sup>st</sup> October 2017</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> December 2017</b>
	<b>Inset day: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October</b> <b>Bank Holidays:-</b> <b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> &amp; Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2017</b> <b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018</b>	
<b>Term 3</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> February 2018</b>
	<b>Inset Day: Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January</b>	
<b>Term 4</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> February 2018</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>28<sup>th</sup> March 2018</b>
	<b>Inset Day: Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>Bank Holidays:-</b> <b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March &amp; Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2018</b>	
<b>Term 5</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> April 2018</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>25<sup>th</sup> May 2018</b>
	<b>Bank Holidays:-</b> <b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> &amp; Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2018</b>	
<b>Term 6</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> June 2018</b>
	<b>To</b>	
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>