

# **Faith Courage Love**

Faith to move forward in confidence and succeed.

Courage to make a difference in the world every day.

Love one another as God loves us.

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Dear parent / carer

Here is this week's news!

Additional training day

The Monday 6th January trust training day was cancelled due to the dangerous weather conditions.

Please note that this training day has now been rescheduled to Friday 4th April 2025 by adding one additional INSET day to the 2024-25 academic year. Our school will close at 2.30pm on Thursday 3rd April 2025 for the Easter holiday.

• Class 3 begin our 150th embroidery project

Pupils in Class 3 made a start this week on our whole-school embroidery project. All the pupils and staff will create several pieces of embroidered artwork over the next two terms to make a large hanging which will commemorate our 150th anniversary.

• Safeguarding snippet

With many younger children accessing TikTok, despite the age restriction of 13+, we hope the attached pdf giving parental information about TikTok will be useful.

## • Faith Council

Our Faith Council members delivered a Collective Worship this week about the government announcing that it will change planning rules to make it easier to build new homes in the countryside. We thought about the impact on the animals and the scenery and we designed 'helpful homes' which were built to help both humans and animals.

Term Dates 2025/26

Our term dates for next academic year 2025/26 are now on our website. <a href="https://roecliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/parents/term-dates/">https://roecliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/parents/term-dates/</a>

#### FORCES

BLUE MONDAY - 'DONUT' BE SAD!

MONDAY 20TH JANUARY is 'Blue Monday' so to cheer us all up we will be selling our 'modified' donuts for 50p each.

Donuts have now been ordered and we have ordered ONE donut for every child in the school plus extras for those of you who have emailed us.

See you on Monday at 3.30pm in the playground with your pennies!

#### CHRISTMAS CARDS

Thank you to everyone for sending in the fronts of their Christmas cards. We use these as tags for our Elfridges shop so they'll be very useful to us in December, it'll soon be here!

### F.O.R.C.E.S.

• This week's winning house

Congratulations to children in North house for achieving the most house points this week!

• Positive Learning Behaviour Awards

A huge well done and congratulations to these children for being chosen to receive the Positive Learning Behaviour Award:

Class 1 - Myla & Polly

Class 2 - Luca

Class 3 - Monty

We wish you all a very happy weekend, Mrs Briggs



Diary Dates		
Tuesday 14th Jan	3.30pm Parent/Carer Marrick Information Meeting	
Wednesday 29th Jan	Class 3 QE Bugsy Malone	
Wednesday 5th-7th Feb	Marrick Priory Residential	
Friday 14th Feb	Young Voices Sheffield Arena	
Thursday 13th March	Class 2 QE Wellbeing & Sports Day	
Wednesday 2nd April	9.15am Easter Service St Mary's Church	

Term Dates 2024-25		
Autumn Term		
Monday 2nd Sept	Training Day - School Closed	
Tuesday 3rd Sept	School Reopens	
Friday 25th Oct	School Closes for half-term	
Monday 4th Nov	School Reopens	
Friday 20th Dec	School closes for Christmas 2.30pm	

Spring Term		
Monday 6th Jan	Training Day - School Closed	
Tuesday 7th Jan	School Opens for Spring Term	
Friday 14th Feb	School Closes for half-term	
Monday 24th Feb	School Reopens	
Friday 28th Mar	Training Day - School Closed	
Thursday 3rd April	School Closes for Easter - 2.30pm	
Friday 4th April	Training Day - School Closed	

Summer Term		
Monday 21st April	Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 22nd April	School Opens for Summer Term	
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday	
Thursday 22nd May	School Closes for half-term	
Friday 23rd May	Training Day - School Closed	
Monday 2nd June	School Reopens	
Monday 21st July	School Closes for Summer 2.30pm	
Tuesday 22nd July	Training Day - School Closed	