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Spring Term

11th February 2022

PE,
Sporting
Fixtures &
Clubs

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Monday
SATS Booster
Club

Tuesday
Art Club

Prayer Corner

Dear God,

In this,
Children's
Mental Health
Week, we pray
that young
people
everywhere
are able to
access the
support they
need whenever
they need it.

Amen.

This term's
school
attendance

87.82%

Message from Mr Pynn

What's been GROWING on this week?

We greatly enjoyed our Forest School activities earlier this week. It was timely, in Children's Mental Health Week, to enjoy the fresh air, learn more about nature and work together.

Thank you to all who have booked Parents' Evening appointments. If you haven't as yet, it isn't too late! Please contact the School Office.

Celebration Assembly

All parents are warmly invited to a Celebration Assembly in school on **Friday 18th February at 3pm**. This is a chance to celebrate all that has been GROWING this half term.

Forest Schools

The weather was damp but you couldn't dampen our spirits in the forest! We had a great time using the resources available to build dens to protect us from the wind and rain. We also enjoyed spotting evidence of the animals living in the forest such as the nibbled pine cones. We then had an opportunity to make fire using ferrous rods, lint and sticks in individual fire pits. Thank you to staff from 'The Rugged Outdoors' for leading the session and to Mrs Standen for accompanying us.



Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 8th February was Safer Internet Day.

Howard Class shared a story called Digiduck and the Magic Castle. This teaches children to keep their passwords private and to talk to adults they trust if anything happens online which they are unsure about or makes them feel worried. Parents and carers can find the link to the story [here](#) which is also followed by advice on how to keep children safe online.

Throughout the year we provide pupils with a range of age-appropriate learning opportunities designed to keep safe online. Please [click here](#) to view a really helpful guide for parents.

If you have any concerns or would like some guidance, please speak with Mr Pynn who is the Designated Safeguarding Lead. Please [click here](#) for more information on Safer Internet Day 2022. In addition, [National Online Safety](#) has produced a useful range of free guides for adults on internet safety. A wide range of advice and information about Internet Safety for parents can be found on our website by [clicking here](#)



Yr1 & 2 Multisports

We will let you know next week how Year 1 & 2 got on at Ryedale School's inter-school Multisports session.

Hovingham & Scackleton Jubilee Celebrations

This week's village meeting about plans for the Queen's Jubilee celebrations came up with some great ideas. The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday 8th March at 7pm** in the Village Hall. If you would like to attend or have any ideas or would like to help but can't attend please email jubilee@hovingham.org.uk

Morrisons - It's Good to Grow

Thank you so much to everyone who took the trouble to donate their Morrisons 'It's Good to Grow' tokens to our school. With over 2000 tokens, there were plenty of items for us to choose from and we delighted to receive our delivery last week. The seeds, compost, nets and twine will certainly be useful for Class 2's science work in the summer term.



Art Club

No photographs from art club this week as our work is not finished and we felt that we should wait until it is complete before the grand reveal! The only clue we can give you is that we were creating art based on one of the continents. Watch this space next week!

Howard Class Storytime

This week we have been listening to the incredible story about the Hundred Decker Bus. You can find a link to the story here: [The Hundred Decker Bus - Story Read Aloud by Big Fox - Bing video](#). Our focus words from the story are: usual, clambered and replied.

Social Media

You can now follow our schools on Facebook and Instagram. Just search for "Hovingham and St Hilda's" then "Like" and "Follow" our pages to get updates and news. Don't forget we're also on Twitter @HovinghamPri and @HildaAmpleforth

Spring Term 2022 - Forthcoming Dates

Friday 11 th February	Deadline for nominations for Parent Governor Election
Wednesday 16 th February	Parents' Evening
Friday 18th February	Celebration Assembly 3pm
Friday 18 th February	Last day of half term
Sunday 20 th February	Morning Praise Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 10:30am
Monday 28 th February	School re-opens to pupils
Thursday 10 th March	Author & Illustrator, Stephen Waterhouse Visit
Friday 11 th March	Y5-6 Sports Hall Athletics at Ryedale
Tuesday 15 th March	Forest Schools Day
Sunday 20 th March	Morning Praise Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 10:30am
Friday 25 th March	Y3-4 Sports Hall Athletics at Ryedale
Monday 28 th March	EY/KS1 Cycling Day
Saturday 2 nd April	School Hovingham Market Cafe
Tuesday 5 th April	KS2 visit to York Minster
Friday 8 th April	KS2 Swimming Gala
Friday 8 th April	Last day of term
Sunday 15 th May	Morning Praise Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 10:30am
Sunday 19 th June	Morning Praise Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 10:30am