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Next week our theme in Collective Worship is Justice

Justice is more than fairness and equality, it is a strong bias towards the weak, the poor and the socially disadvantaged. Justice builds a community where everyone's well-being is bound up with that of everyone else. Without true Justice there cannot be true peace. 'Learn to do right. Seek justice.' Isiah 1.17

Dates for your Diary

PE Days Spring Term

Please see below the PE days for Spring term.

Reception - Monday & Friday

Year 1 - Monday & Friday

Year 2 - Tuesday & Thursday

Year 3 – Tuesday & Friday

Year 4 – Tuesday & Thursday

Year 5 - Wednesday & Friday

Year 6 - Wednesday & Friday

Diary Dates

Tuesday 30th January Parent Phonic Evening 6pm – 7pm

Friday 2nd February Ripon Walk to School Day

Monday 5th - Friday 9th February Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 6th February Safer Internet Day

Wednesday 7th February Candlemass Service for pupils at Holy Trinity Church

Thursday 8th February Learning Means The World Open Afternoon. Parents welcome to join their children in class

Friday 9th February Pancake Races

Half term Monday 12th - Friday 16th February

Thursday 7th March World Book Day

Friday 8th - Sunday 17th March 2024 National Science Week

Monday 18th March -Friday 22nd March Shakespeare Week

Wednesday 20th March Easter Service at Holy Trinity Church. Parents and families welcome.

Wednesday 20th & Thursday 21st March Parent Consultations

Friday 22nd March Easter Fun Day

Easter Holidays Monday 25th March – Tuesday 9th April

Training Days 2024/2025

Friday 25th October 2024

Monday 6th January 2025

Monday 21st July 2025

Tuesday 22nd July 2025

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Our Federation

Dear Families,

Happy New Year!

It has been lovely to welcome the children back after the Christmas break. Across the Federation it has felt calm and purposeful with classes enthusiastic and enjoying and enjoying learning. We are delighted to welcome Mrs Lockwood to the team who will be supporting our Year 5 team. Mrs Wood, a regular supply teacher at Trinity, also joined us this week, she commented positively on the attitude and behaviour across the school.

Training Day

On Monday 8th January Holy Trinity hosted a number of schools from our academy LDLT (Leeds Diocesan Learning Trust). As part of the day over 140 staff attended Safeguarding training hosted by Clennell Education Services. Clennell works with the trust to provide training and support for schools and leadership to ensure they fulfil their safeguarding responsibilities. During the day Mark Forster, the trust's new Director for Education outlined his vision and priorities for LDLT as he takes up his new role from January 2024. Mark also visited the federation on Wednesday alongside Richard Noake our CEO to meet pupils and staff.

Communication

This term we are trialling alternating the federation newsletter and class newsletters. The federation newsletter shares information, news and updates from both schools and will be sent to parents fortnightly by email. Class newsletters update parents with class learning and special events and these will be available to view on our website. Links to your class pages will be sent fortnightly via an app message.

Attendance Absence Reporting Reminder

If your child is absent from school due to illness, please telephone school on 01765 602858 and inform the office staff ideally between 8.30 and 9am. If your child's illness lasts for more than one day, you must phone school daily and inform us why your child is still absent. If your child's illness lasts longer than 48hrs and you have not already done so, we advise you to seek medical attention. If you do not inform school and we cannot make contact, a member of the leadership team may visit your home to check all is well and ask why your child is absent from school. It is very important that you contact school and inform us why your child is absent. If we do not hear from you, we will be concerned and may make a referral to outside agencies.

Be a Zero Hero Ripon Walk to School Day

Our school is proudly taking part in this half term's Ripon Walk to School Day. Mrs Knight (PE Lead) would like to invite all pupils to take part in a walk to school day on Friday 2nd February, to try to become a 'zero hero' by encouraging all pupils to walk, cycle, bus or 'park and stride' the last mile to school to help protect the planet. Park and stride is where parents park sooner than usual and students walk the last part to school. We do what we can, when we can and every mile counts!



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Why are we taking part in the Ripon Walk to School Day?

- Active travel is good for physical and mental health
- Reduced congestion improves road safety
- Less traffic means cleaner air
- To be part of a local community effort to lower our carbon footprint

It would be wonderful if you could try to walk, cycle or bus to school on Friday 2nd February. Year 4 will be ready with their cameras to capture as many pupils and staff who take up the Zero Hero challenge!

Sue Sanderson **Executive Headteacher**

Safeguarding

What is CPOMS?

CPOMS stands for Child Protection Online Monitoring System and is used by school for monitoring child protection, safeguarding and pastoral and welfare issues. At Holy Trinity CPOMS provides our safeguarding team with a system to help with the management of child protection, behavioural issues, bullying and special educational Every member of staff across the federation has an obligation to report any concerns which they may have. CPOMS allows this information to be recorded in a central repository and have relevant people alerted immediately. Whilst all staff can record information on CPOMS only members of the leadership team have access to the incidents recorded. Senior leaders are able to build a chronology around a student and can produce reports for external agencies, case conference meetings, anonymised data for Governors and other professionals very easily.

Class News

Please see the class pages on our website. Class newsletters will be uploaded fortnightly.

The Federation of Holy Trinity Church of England Schools - Class pages (htjce.co.uk)

Inclusion Team

Happy New Year!

We ended Autumn term with the launch of Provision Map. I hope those parents who attended Target Mat meetings found them useful and that everyone has managed to use the link to log on and view their child's Target Mat and Pupil Profile. I continue to welcome comments and feedback on this new system via Provision Map itself or email s.cope@htceschools.co.uk. Teachers will also respond to the Provision Map comments function which will further enhance our opportunities for home-school collaboration.



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School holidays, particularly around Christmas, can be a challenge for some of our children with SEND and their families. Qwell is a digital hub providing online emotional support and counselling for parents and

carers of children, as and when they need it 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year, with timely access to 1:1 counselling if required. Adults can join online peer support communities, access self-help materials or engage in drop-in or booked one-to-one online chat sessions with our experienced counsellors.

Mrs Cope

Assistant Headteacher and SENDCo

Thrive

Helping to stay well over Winter

With the gloomy winter months in full swing Young Minds have shared some key advice for if your child or you are struggling with the shorter darker days! Tips for coping with seasonal affective disorder

Don't forget in North Yorkshire there is The Go-To for healthy minds in North Yorkshire – the home of wellbeing and mental health for young people in North Yorkshire. They are here to help you find the right support for young people, to help them stay well, whatever is going on in their life.

Is your child too unwell for school? Follow this advice on when to keep your child home:

Is my child too ill for school? - NHS (www.nhs.uk)



Is my child too ill for school?

Find out when it's best to keep your sick child at home and when it's OK to send them to school or nursery.

www.nhs.uk

Office & Community

Afterschool Clubs

If you have signed up for your child to attend any of our after school clubs (starting next week), please can you pay prior to them starting via parentpay.

Vacancies

We currently have vacancies in school - Midday supervisory assistant, Higher Level Teaching Assistant and a General **Teaching Assistant** to join our highly committed team and work with our wonderful children.

Please visit our school website for more information and how to apply: The Federation of Holy Trinity Church of England Schools - Vacancies (htjce.co.uk)

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Term & Holiday dates 2024-2025

You can view 2024/2025 term dates and staff training dates on our website: The Federation of Holy Trinity Church of England Schools - Term dates (htjce.co.uk)

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Holy Trinity Church



Messy Church

- Sat lan 13, 2024
- ⊕ 4:00 PM 5:45 PM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Arches



9.00 am Holy Communion

- Sun Jan 14, 2024
- @ 9:00 AM 9:45 AM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church



Family Church

- Sun Jan 14, 2024
- O 10:30 AM 11:45 AM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Rooms 1&2



10.30 Morning Worship

- Sun Jan 14, 2024
- 3 10:30 AM 11:45 AM
- & Holy Trinity Church Nave



- Stay & Say Special this Week, follow the link for info
- □ Sun Jan 14, 2024
- @ 6:00 PM 7:30 PM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Arches



Daily Morning Prayer - Zoom

- Mon Jan 15, 2024
- ③ 8:30 AM 9:00 AM
- Online Zoom



Little Fishes

- Mon Jan 15, 2024
- @ 9:00 AM 11:00 AM
- 8 Rooms 1 & 2



Renew Ripon

- ☐ Mon Jan 15, 2024
- (11:30 AM 1:30 PM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Coffee Area



Breakfast Club

- Tue Jan 16, 2024
- © 8:10 AM 9:00 AM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Arches



Renew Ripon

- Tue Jan 16, 2024
- @ 6:30 PM 8:30 PM
- 8 Holy Trinity Church Room 4



Energy Saving Week

- Wed Jan 17, 2024 12:00 AM
- 12:00 AM 11:59 8 Everywhere

Jan 23, 2024



Tea and Tots

- ☐ Wed Jan 17, 2024
- ⊕ 10:00 AM 12:00 PM
- 8 Rooms 1 & 2