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Dates for your Diary

- **Wednesday 27th September - Learning Means The World Curriculum Evening** - Parents are invited to hear all about our new curriculum from 6-7pm in the Junior Hall.
- **Wednesday 18th October - Open Morning** All parents welcome to visit classrooms 9.15 – 10.30am
- **Wednesday 25th October & Thursday 26th October - Parent Consultations**

Half Term - Monday 30th October ~ Friday 3rd November

Our Federation

Dear families,

Learning Means The World Curriculum Evening

Parents are invited to hear all about our new curriculum on Wednesday 27th September at 6-7pm in the Junior Hall. Staff from both schools will share how subject leaders have used Learning Means The World to map out the national curriculum to ensure all pupils secure essential knowledge. We look forward to seeing everybody on Wednesday.

Curriculum Creature



Meet Shackleton!

Shackleton is a geographer. A geographer likes to investigate the world they live in. Geographers are interested in the Earth's physical features, such as mountains, deserts, rivers and oceans. They also study the ways people affect and are affected by the natural world. Human geography looks at where humans live, why they choose to live there and how they use land.

Infant Library Grand Opening!

We were delighted to welcome Reverend Michelle over from Holy Trinity Church on Wednesday morning to officially open our new library. The weather held off for just long enough to allow us to get outside and watch Michelle cut the yellow ribbon that marked the grand opening!



Our pupils will visit the library at least weekly to enjoy reading and sharing books together and choosing books to bring home. We are incredibly lucky to have such a wonderful library and we are grateful to our staff (Miss Lees in particular) for arranging it so beautifully! Having an engaging library (on both sites) is another way in which we aim to foster the love of reading in all of our pupils!





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Jeans for Genes

The Jeans for Genes campaign raises awareness of the daily challenges faced by those living with a genetic condition and raises money to fund projects that make a tangible difference to the lives of those affected.

Most importantly, the campaign:

brings together the genetic condition community in order to make a loud noise about the issues that matter to them
shines a light on the organisations that work tirelessly to improve the lives of affected individuals
celebrates the achievements of those living with a genetic condition.

We are proud to have supported the Jeans for Genes campaign and will be sharing our donations with the charity early next week. Early estimations suggest we have raised in excess of £250! Thank you for helping us to support such a worthwhile charity!

Best wishes and enjoy your weekend!

Amanda Bell-Walker
Deputy Head

Class News

Skill

What a great start to the new school year!

The Reception Team are really proud of our Reception children. They come in with a smile on their face, quickly settling down to their learning.

This week we have started our phonic learning. The children have learnt the sounds s, a, t, p this week. Next week we will be learning to blend to read!

The Reception children loved Roald Dahl day. What amazing costumes! During the day all the children made a moving crocodile, using split pins to join the two parts.

Bishopton

Bishopton class have been busy settling into Y1 and enjoying our new learning.

In our Learning Means The World - Happily Ever After - we have been sharing fairy stories such as The Ugly Duckling. As scientists, we looked closely at ducks and lots of different birds to notice what features birds have. We noticed beaks, feathers, wings and that they lay eggs. In English, we are sharing the book 'Oi Frog!' spotting rhyming pairs. We went on a verb hunt to collect verbs to use instead of 'sit' to help us write our own version.



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Inclusion Team

Many thanks to those parents who attended our 'Meet the SENDCo' session in the Hub this week. It was great to start putting faces to names and open up channels of communication. One of our discussions was a helpful reflection on the way in which SEND Support Plans/ target mats are reviewed and discussed – so watch this space for further updates! For those of you who couldn't make it don't worry, there will be plenty more opportunities coming up.

Mrs Cope, Assistant Headteacher and SENDCo

Office & Community

Year 6 PE Days

Please be aware that from next week our PE days have changed. Year 6 will now be doing PE on a Monday and Tuesday (not Thursday).

School Uniform

Please ensure your child's uniform is named. Our lost property cupboard fills up very quickly and it really does help if we can reunite the jumpers and cardigans with their owners!

Raring to Go Digital Magazine

Please click the link below to read the new edition of Raring2go! For Harrogate and York.

<https://magazines.raring2go.co.uk/harrogateandyork/autumn2023/>



INVITATION TO NIDDERDALE HIGH SCHOOL'S OPEN EVENING ON 21st SEPTEMBER 2023 from 5.00 to 7.30 p.m.

- Headteacher's Address at 6pm and repeated at 7pm
- Tour the school
- Meet staff
- Hear from some of our current students

- Nidderdale High School is a "Good school" – Ofsted 2023
- Nidderdale has 'high ambitions' and a 'wide curriculum offer' – Ofsted 2023
- Winners of 2020 and 2021 National Pastoral Care in Education Award
- Finalist for Outstanding Contribution to Pastoral Care 2023

We are proud of:

- Consistently good GCSE results
- Progress made by all students across a range of GCSE subjects often well above national averages
- Students who are Ready, Respectful and Safe
- Innovative curriculum to meet the needs of all students including NiddVenture and Flourish
- Outstanding pastoral care
- Student/teacher relationships - staff are wholly committed to the welfare and education of the students



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Information about the school is also available on the school's website
www.nidderdale-n-yorks.sch.uk



Sockettes Song & Speech Group

A fun group session, for children
aged 3 - 4 years, accompanied by
Parents / Carers

Venue: Ripon Library, The Arcade, Ripon, HG4 1AG

Dates: Thursdays for a 45-minute session, 10.30 am to 11.15 am,
for 7 weeks - 5th 12th 19th October & 2nd 16th 23rd 30th November 2023

Come have fun with music, rhyme, & rhythm activities to help develop
speech sound skills in readiness for school

Groups are free & will be run by a Speech and Language Therapist &
Assistant from the NYC SEND Hub Communication & Interaction Team

Limited to 8 children per group

A Baseline Assessment of your Child's speech sounds will be taken
along with parent/carer voice feedback

To book your child's place please contact
Kirsty Voice:

Kirsty.Voice@northyorks.gov.uk

We look forwards to seeing you 😊





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Church News



✓ Harvest Adventure

📅 Fri Sep 22, 2023
🕒 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM
📍 Holy Trinity Church

RIPON

international festival

Ripon International Festival - Carlton Main Frickley Band

📅 Sat Sep 23, 2023
🕒 7:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Holy Communion

9.00 am Holy Communion

📅 Sun Sep 24, 2023
🕒 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM
📍 Holy Trinity Church



Family Church

📅 Sun Sep 24, 2023
🕒 10:30 AM - 11:45 AM
📍 Holy Trinity Church Rooms 1&2



10.30 Morning Worship

📅 Sun Sep 24, 2023
🕒 10:30 AM - 11:45 AM
📍 Holy Trinity Church - Nave



✓ Walk & Talk

📅 Sun Sep 24, 2023
🕒 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
📍 Holy Trinity Church



Little Fishes

📅 Mon Sep 25, 2023
🕒 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
📍 Rooms 1 & 2



Renew Ripon

📅 Mon Sep 25, 2023
🕒 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
📍 Holy Trinity Church - Coffee Area



Breakfast Club Autumn 2023

📅 Tue Sep 26, 2023
🕒 8:10 AM - 9:00 AM
📍 Holy Trinity Church - Arches