Collective Worship Theme this half term = Honesty & Trust

Attendance this week is 95.25 % (target is 96%)

22 Sept 2023

Message from the Headteacher

I was privileged to attend the first Friends of Gillamoor School meeting on Monday this week, where I was blown away by the dedication and determination of their members to organise an amazing range of events and fundraisers for the children's benefit. As well as helping support our children, it's a great way for our new families in the community to meet other parents. Thank you to all involved, and do get in touch if you want to know more.

Mrs Elsey



In the Infants classroom this week, there was great excitement with the discovery of a mysterious egg in the playground. Despite the rainy weather, the children all headed our to investigate and worked hard creating questions about the egg. In the Juniors, we've been enjoying delving deeper into the language choices authors make with our class texts, Hodgeheg (Y3/4) and Land of the Gods (Y5/6).

School Gate

.The School Gate opens at 8.45 am to 8.55 am each morning. If you are late, please ring the bell on the door at the front of school.

Fire Drill

We had a fire drill this week. The pupils all came out of school quickly and safely and congregated on the village green.

School Photographs

Richard from Impressions will be taking pupil photographs on Tuesday 11 October.

PE at Gillamoor

All pupils thoroughly enjoyed their PE, dance and swimming. It was lovely to see the Infant children attempting their moves and star jumps whilst our Junior worked hard despite the rain in their tag

their rugby son





School Administrator required

We require a School Administrator to work 6.5 hours on a Friday.

Full details and application form is on our school website and on the northyorks.gov.uk job page.

If anyone would like any further information, please contact Mrs Hugill.



First the blade, then the ear, then the full grain. @SchoolGillamoor



Gillamoor C of E Primary School

This week's winning House is Elm

Last week's winning House was Elm



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

3 Oct—.2.45pm-5.00 pm Parent Consultation

3 Oct-FGB

3 Oct-Y6 information evening, Ryedale School at 6.00 pm

4 Oct—3.45pm-6.00 pm Parent Consultation

9 Oct-Closing date for School Administrator vacancy

13 Oct-Film Night 6.30 pm

18 Oct-school photographs

20 Oct– Y3/4 Girls Football, Ryedale

22 Oct-Domino Drive, Fadmoor Village Hall 2.00pm-4.00pm 26 Oct-Influenza Vaccinations 27 Oct- Y5/6 Girls Football,

Ryedale. 27 Oct-break up

6 Nov—Return to school



We had a good meeting on Monday night and got a good start on our diary of levents for this coming school year. Attached is a list of them but you can also find them on our Facebook page. Following us on Facebook is a good way to keep to keep informed on what's happening. The first event will be Friday 13th October with out first Cinema night, more details to follow on this. We are also looking for someone to design a logo for the FOGS group so if you can or know of anyone who might be able to help us with this please let us know.

Healthy Snacks:















As a school, we promote healthy food and snacks. Children are more than welcome to bring a snack for break time; however this needs to be something healthy and not crisps, sweets or chocolate bars. In addition, children in Robin class receive a daily fruit snack. Thank you for your support.



Parent Workshops:

We will be running a series of parent workshops this year. Please see below for the topics we will be covering this half-term.

I These sessions are free to attend, but we will be sending out a sign-up I email each week, so that we know if there is interest before planning a I topic. We have scheduled the sessions for 3pm, but if we receive enough I interest, we can look into running these a little later in the day, if preferred.

10.10.23—School phonics and reading with your child 24.10.23—Online Safety - What's App, Snapchat and Parental settings workshop

Staff Training/meetings

Diocese Induction

Project Marigold

School Lunches

Week beginning 25 September is week 1 of our menu.

The dates are on the top of your menus.





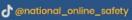
Online Safety is a serious subject and as teachers, we are keen to help parents understand ways they can act to keep their children safe online. Each











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