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Dear Parents / Carers,

We are writing to let you know about an exciting new project that our Year Five Children will be taking part in this year. It is called the Young Leaders Award and is a programme which has been designed and written by the Archbishop of York Youth Trust. The award is currently available at Key stage 2, 3 and 4, and there are thousands of students across the North of England all taking part in changing their communities for the better.

The Young Leaders Award aims to equip young people to be the change they want to see in their local communities. The award covers leadership skills, inspirational leaders, looking at communities at a local, national and global level and culminates in a practical community based project which the children will design and carry out. We will start the lessons in the week beginning 19th September and the project will run for the school year. The sessions will take place on a Tuesday afternoon during school time for one hour per week.

At the end of the award each student will receive a certificate and we will host an awards evening next summer. More details about this will follow.

Thank you in anticipation for your support with this new venture. If you have any queries or would like any further information please do not hesitate to contact us (natalie.slater@york.gov.uk liz.martindale@york.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely,

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