



Weekly Newsletter

9th June 2023

MESSAGE FROM MISS SAWYER

We hope you had a lovely half term break and that the children haven't been too tired during their first week back.

On Wednesday evening we welcomed the parents of the new Reception starters for September 2023. It was great to see so many parents who already have siblings in the school coming back with their little ones. How time flies! This year we are over subscribed for our EYFS classes and this is a wonderful representation of how our reputation has filtered into the community. Many new parents report that they have 'heard great things' from the current parents - so thank you for that!

This week we also had our Year 6 show, which was absolutely superb. Thanks so much to Jenna from Mudpie Arts for creating the script, using the childrens' excellent ideas. The play was practised and performed over just two days which was really quite amazing considering the amount of lines and actions that the children had to learn. I was so proud of the children who all contributed either on or off the stage. Well done Year 6!

We have another busy half term ahead with lots of exciting things in the pipeline to look out for!

95.1%

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Our target is 97%

CLASS ATTENDANCE

95%

Orange unit

93%

Maroon class

★ 97%

Blue class

96%

Indigo class

96%

Green class

97%

Turquoise class

96%

Lime class

95%

Magenta class

York Pride - June 2023

Pride Month is a month-long celebration that recognizes the LGBTQ+ community. It is a time to acknowledge the challenges faced by this community and to stand in solidarity with their fight for equality, acceptance, and human rights. Pride Month is a joyful and colourful display of love, unity, and resilience and is represented by rainbows. You may have seen the wonderful parade in town last Saturday which brought hundreds of people together to celebrate and show solidarity.

In school we have been having assemblies with the children about York Pride and linking to our core values - particularly Inclusion and Individuality, which are at the heart of Park Grove.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 15th June - PTA meeting (7.30pm at the Black Horse)
Friday 16th June - Class photos
Monday 26th - Friday 30th June - Enterprise week
Tuesday 27th June - School trip to Dalby Forest
Tuesday 4th July - Year 3/4 Sports day (am) Year 5/6 (pm) - details to follow
Thursday 6th July - EYFS/KS1 Sports day (am) - details to follow
Friday 7th July - GROVEFEST - PTA summer fair (5pm - 7.30pm)
Monday 10th July - Wednesday 12th July - Year 6 High Adventure residential
Friday 21st July - School closes for summer holidays

TWEET OF THE WEEK



Park Grove Primary @ParkGroveSchool · 6h

Indigo class have linked their computing & PE lessons this week! They've coded a #microbit to become a step counter and used their PE lesson to track as many steps as possible before recording the data onto a spreadsheet. Well done Indigo coders! #ParkGroveComputing #ParkGroveKS2



