



Weekly Newsletter

13th June 2025

A MESSAGE FROM MISS SAWYER

I wanted to inform you of some staffing changes that will take place at the end of this academic year. I want to let you know that Mrs Canham and Miss Reeder will be leaving us. Both have been valued members of our teaching team for many years and have made significant contributions to our school community. They are truly excellent teachers, and we will miss them a great deal. We will have an opportunity to say our goodbyes and thank them properly before the end of the school year.

We are also excited to announce a new addition to our teaching staff for September. Mr Tuxford will be joining our team, bringing with him many years of teaching experience from London. He has recently relocated to York, and we are delighted to welcome him to our school. As is often the case with the start of a new academic year, teachers may move to different year groups. We will inform you of your child's new class teacher when we announce the class arrangements for the next academic year.

We appreciate your continued support.

95%

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Our target is 97%

CLASS ATTENDANCE

92%	Rainbow Hub	★	98%	Maroon class
94%	Blue class		96%	Indigo class
97%	Green class		95%	Magenta class
93%	Lime class		93%	Turquoise class

PHONICS SCREEN AND MULTIPLICATION CHECK

This week has been a busy one in school with our Year 1 children completing their Phonics Screening Check and our Year 4 children carrying out the Multiplication Check.

For the phonics the children had to read 40 words which were a mixture of real and pseudo (alien) words. They've been working so incredibly hard in class to prepare for this and did an absolutely amazing job this week! For the MTC (Multiplication Check) the children had to quickly recall 25 of the multiplication facts that they have been learning. Again they have been practising so hard and were all fantastic!

A massive well done to all these children, to the staff who have helped them prepare, and also a big thank you for the work parents have been doing at home to help!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 23rd June - Reception Sports Day
(back up day is Monday 30th June)

Sports Day (KS1 & KS2) - Thursday 3rd July
(back up day is Tuesday 8th July)

Summer Fair - Friday 4th July

INSTAGRAM



park_grove_primary_academy Amazing Samba Workshop for KS2 today. A huge thank you to [@yorkstjohn](#), your student leaders were incredible! The children loved becoming part of a 'Samba bateria', a noisy fun day had by all involved 🎉
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