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All Children
deserve to feel...



To create a school where we all:
Go further than we thought!
run faster than we hoped!
reach higher than we dreamed!
to become the PEOPLE God meant us to be!!!!

Dated: 10th March 2017

Dear Parents & Pupils,

Here is newsletter number 23 for this academic year;

1.	Thank you
2.	York Minster
3.	Mothers' Day Shop
4.	Assembly
5.	Forest Schools
6.	Meeting
7.	Sickness
8.	School bell

1. Our thanks go to the cooks for providing a super lunch for our Year 4 parents this week. We plan to have a parents' lunches for the Reception/year 1 class on 27th March, details will be forwarded shortly.

2. This week Mrs. Botham's and Mrs. Adams class paid a visit to York Minster, The children had a fantastic day, they learnt about the history and symbolism of the Minster, visited the undercroft and had the opportunity to try on the vestments.

3. FOSS are running a Mothers' Day shop on Friday 17th March, children are invited to bring in £3.00 and buy a 'secret gift' for Mothers' Day.

4. The Year 4 class assembly is on Tuesday 14th March at 9.10am all are welcome.

5. Over the past couple of weeks all the children in the school have spent time learning away from the classroom taking part in 'Forest Schools' activities led by Miss Tubb. The time spent in the outdoors has been very well received by the children and the programme of learning will be on-going for the rest of the academic year.

6. Thank you to the parents who attended the meeting on Tuesday regarding the running of the school following the retirement of Mrs. Botham in July. There were some concerns voiced regarding class structure for September 2017, staff are in active discussion regarding this matter and we will be feeding back to parents as soon as possible.



7. There have been a number of children absent from school with diarrhoea and sickness bugs. To stop these bugs spreading throughout the school community can we please remind parents that the recommended time for a child to be kept away from school is 48 hours from the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea.

8. You may have noticed that we are still unable to use the school bell. Unfortunately when we had the ringing mechanism welded it was noticed that some of the mortar was loose so we are currently waiting for further repairs to be carried out. We are hoping this will be soon.