

Marwood Church of England VC Infant School

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Our Collective Worship Theme this week has been:

Thankfulness

Our Collective Worship Theme for next week will be:

Harvest



Congratulations and Well Done to our 'Children of the Week'



Golden Ribbons Awarded to:

Year Two	Edie H
Year One	Lily B
Reception	Florence M

Year Two

- Well done to Year 2 for another focussed week in class. We explored micro-habitats in Science and found so many just in our own school grounds.
- Next week we will be planning some shoebox habitat models. Please send in any spare shoeboxes for your young scientists to use.
- In maths we have been practising counting forward and backwards in tens from any number. Any more practise at home would be great!
- Please remember to send blue spelling books back in on a Friday for the test, it helps to keep a record of all spelling tests in one place.

Year One

- Year 1 have been using ICT to finish off their lovely weather pictures about their favourite type of weather. In RE, we have been listening to and discussing different bible stories, this week we read the story of the lost son.
- In maths we have been completing number lines and have tried to fill in numberlines where some of the numbers were missing!
- We have also enjoyed our first 'Read with Rosey' session! Well done year 1s for some super reading, keep it up! 😊
- Optional powermaths homework has been uploaded and pictures of our blackberry picking from last week have been uploaded to our class page.

Reception

- A quick reminder of reading routines, we read our 'Show off' books three times in school and then they will come home in the yellow folder on a Wednesday. Please read this book again and home, and sign the reading

record, show off to grandparents/siblings, etc if needs be! On Fridays, children will get a new 'Try me' book in a purple folder which they will keep until Tuesday. Please write in the red reading record when books have been read - thank you.

- We braved the rain on Thursday for our Forest Schools, enjoying puddle jumping, listening to rain sounds, making rain gauges and learning a little about the water cycle using the story 'Little Raindrop'. Thank you for the waterproofs - they were essential!

Cauliflower Cards

Your child's artwork will be sent home tonight, **please return it on Monday** as the original artwork needs to be returned to Cauliflower Cards in order for them to produce your child's cards.

Parking

Please could we ask for your consideration for our neighbours and ask you not to block the ends of drives (including the lane up to the playground) or park on corners, this includes not leaving bikes/scooters in the lane please. Many thanks.

Flu Vaccinations

Vaccination UK will be attending your child's school for flu vaccinations.

*For your child to receive their Nasal flu vaccination in school, please complete a **YES** consent form using the **link below**.*

*If your child **cannot** have the Nasal spray, the injectable flu vaccine is available, and you will be able to choose that method on the consent form.*

*If you **DO NOT** wish for your child to have a flu vaccination, please complete a **NO** consent via the same link.*

<https://yny.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2024/northyorkshire>

Reminders

Please remember that, to support parents, we offer free of charge childcare from 8.30am - 3.30pm for families with a child/children at Roseberry Academy/Ingleby Greenhow to facilitate the dropping/collection of children at each site. Please could you email the office if you wish to use this service.

Harvest Festival

Please join us for our Harvest Festival Service in Church
on Friday 11th October at 10.45am.



We will be delivering Harvest hampers to our community, which are always so eagerly anticipated and appreciated by the residents of Church Drive and your contributions to our Harvest celebration are greatly appreciated.

Please could children bring a small box (e.g. large shoe box) or basket containing a selection of fruit, vegetables, cake, tins or packet foods - suitable for an individual harvest gift.

E.g. a selection of vegetables, some small tins, biscuits or cake.



If anyone wishes to bring a tin to contribute to the foodbank then it would be much appreciated.

The children will be making gift tags in their classes so there is no need to label your gift.

Please deliver all Harvest Hampers to the front of church before school on Friday 11th October and any foodbank items to the back of church.

Your gifts will be distributed by the pupils, staff and parents on Friday afternoon to the residents of Church Drive/ and Guisborough Road.

A very Happy Harvest to all of our families and many thanks for all your generous gifts.

Dates for Your Diary

Monday 30 th September	Cauliflower Cards artwork to be returned.
Tuesday 1 st October	Reception Parents' evening
Monday 7 th October	Year 2 Parents' evening - further details to follow
Tuesday 8 th October	Reception class trip to see the Gruffalo at the theatre - kindly funded by the PTFA
Wednesday 9 th October	Year 1 Parents' evening - further details to follow
Friday 11 th October	Harvest Festival and Farewell to Rev Pev, 10.45am To be held in Christ Church - ALL are welcome to join us
Saturday 19 th October	PTFA New Starters Disco 3-5pm in Christ Church Hall
Monday 21 st October	Vaccination UK will be in school to administer Flu Vaccinations. The consent form can be found by following the link below https://yny.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2024/northyorkshire
Friday 25 th October	Break up for half term
Monday 4 th November	Children return to school
Friday 20 th December	Break up for Christmas

