

Marwood Church of England VC Infant School

Newsletter 26th September 2025

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Head teacher: Mrs Dorothy Walton

Our Collective Worship Theme this week has been:

Themes from the Lord's Prayer

Our Collective Worship Theme for next week will be:

Keeping Safe



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



Golden Ribbons Awarded to:

Year Two	Jacob
Year One	Arthur
Reception	Albert

Facebook

Please remember to like and share our facebook posts! We would love to reach our further to families within our neighbouring communities as the nearest C of E School. <https://www.facebook.com/MarwoodSchool/>

Cauliflower Cards

Your child will come home tonight with a Christmas card design that they have been working on in school. Please could these be returned to school on **Monday**. We use Cauliflower Cards to convert this lovely artwork into Christmas cards, wrapping paper, mugs and more. If you would like to order any items, please see the instructions on the artwork form that your child brings home. Any artwork not returned to school cannot be printed as we have to send artwork for the cards to be made!

School earns a small commission through the sales of cards, etc which is put to good use for enrichment activities for the benefit of all children within school.

Many thanks for your support

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Class News

Year Two

- Well done to our super scientists in Year 2 this week as we had lots of focused fun creating our habitats from shoeboxes - please see class page for photos.
- In PE, we practised our throwing and aiming skills. Please make the most of the nice weather and find a ball for your child to throw at a target/wall or play throw and catch.
- In maths, we have been ordering 2 digit numbers and estimating large sets of objects. If you have time, please use kitchen items like dried pasta to estimate quantities to improve accuracy.
- We loved using clay to make leaves!

Year One

- Year 1 have had a lovely week acting out the story 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' and putting the story in order.
- In maths we have been looking at number lines and learning about parts and wholes or a number e.g. 10 is the whole, 7 is a part, 3 is a part.
- Please can year 1 children bring in a small sterilised glass jar on Monday (with a lid).
- Please can families go conker picking and bring the conkers into school to practise our counting (no more than 20). Mrs Spenceley will be keeping the conkers for another job.
- Please remember to read 'try me' books over the weekend and practise spellings, there is also handwriting homework to practise some of our curly letters.
- Please can year 1 bring wellies and a raincoat on Tuesday.

Reception

- Reception have been busy exploring the composition of numbers to 3 which has linked very nicely to our story, 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'!
- We have also been ordering objects by size using big, medium, small vocabulary and using our story for some role play/drama at Forest Schools.
- Next week our focus story will be 'Red Riding Hood' and we will also be looking at signs of Autumn at Forest School.

Lunchboxes

Please remember we are a **nut free** school so please do not send nuts/chocolate hazelnut spread in lunch boxes and please follow the guidance from North Yorkshire <https://tinyurl.com/yyx8pxes>

Curriculum Statements

Please remember that the Curriculum Statements for your child's class are available on the school website (<https://tinyurl.com/3mb2k95m>)

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Stay and Play!

Parents and carers of children 0 - nursery
Stay and Play session!

Where: Marwood Church of England Infant School
Low Green, Great Ayton TS9 6NN

When: Tuesday 7th October 3.45pm - 4.45pm

For future dates, please look at our facebook page or school website .

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Meet our wonderful staff during this session, which will include free choice play and arts and crafts in the Reception classroom and will end with a music and singing session. All children are welcome, from babies to preschool age (school age siblings are also welcome to attend). Children are to be supervised by their own adult.

We can't wait to see you!



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Dates for Your Diary	
Saturday 4 th October	PTFA New Starters Disco 3-5pm in Christ Church Hall
Tuesday 7 th October	Stay and Play Session for pre-school children 3.45pm-4.45pm
Thursday 16 th October	All Year 1 parents - Mastering Number information session, 6-7pm
Monday 20 th 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/2025/northyorkshire
Tuesday 21 st October	Year 2 and Reception Parent Consultation appointments, further details to follow
Wednesday 22 nd October	Year 1 Parent Consultation appointments, further details to follow
Thursday 23 rd October	Reception Parent Consultation appointments, further details to follow
Friday 24 th October	Break up for half term Harvest Festival, in Christ Church (morning) - ALL are welcome to join us. We will confirm the time as soon as we are able to.
Monday 3 rd November	Children return to school
Wednesday 3 rd December	Nativity Performance in Christ Church Hall, 1.30pm - ALL are welcome
Thursday 4 th December	Nativity Performance in Christ Church Hall, 6pm - ALL are welcome
Friday 19 th December	Break up for Christmas
Tuesday 6 th January 2026	Children return to school



WELCOME DISCO



Date: 4th October



3pm - 5pm



Christ Church Hall



Music  **Dancing**



Sweet & Tattoo Stall 

Tickets £3

**Hot Food & Squash Provided
Siblings Welcome**

See PTFA reps for tickets

**Bring your dancing
shoes and a big smile!**