



# NEWSLETTER



Friday 17th October

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

THIS WEEK THE CHILDREN HAVE ENJOYED THEIR PENULTIMATE WEEK BEFORE THE TERM ENDS. IT CERTAINLY HAS BEEN A LONG ONE. MRS COURTNEY AND I HAVE MET TO PLAN ALL THE WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT HALF TERM INCLUDING PRODUCTIONS, FAMILY EVENTS AND PANTOMIMES. IN WEEK 2 OF NEXT HALF TERM WE HAVE PARENT/CARER CONSULTATIONS - SO KEEP AN EYE OUT ON ARBOR TO BOOK A SLOT TO SPEAK TO THE CLASS TEACHER. THIS ALSO INCLUDES CHILDREN WHO HAVE SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS TO REVIEW THE SEN PLANS IN PLACE

 Mrs Jenkins

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

Y1-6 ENJOYED A WONDERFUL HARVEST CELEBRATION AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH ON MONDAY. REV. ROLF SPOKE TO THE CHILDREN ABOUT THE MEANING OF HARVEST, THAT IT IS A TIME TO SAY THANK YOU FOR ALL THE THINGS WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR. THE CHILDREN DID US ALL PROUD SINGING THE SONGS THEY HAD LEARNT BEAUTIFULLY! YESTERDAY THE CHILDREN ENJOYED A DIFFERENT MENU AT LUNCH TIME CELEBRATING FOODS FROM AROUND THE WORLD, WHICH THEY REALLY ENJOYED. OUR GIRLS' FOOTBALL TEAM ALSO DID US PROUD LAST NIGHT IN A COMPETITION. THE FINAL SCORE WAS 4-2 BUT THEY BATTLED WELL AND PLAYED AMAZING AS A TEAM!

 Mrs Courtney



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## ATTENDANCE

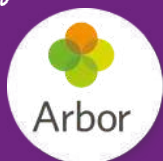
OUR TARGET IS 97%

STARS	83.6%
Nursery	94.6%
REF	88.8%
RCW	90%
1JR	93.7%
1/2NC	91.9%
2MH	98%
3IB	95.8%
3/4CC	93.7%
4CM	95.6%
5EM	88.3%
5CH	95.2%
6LP	90.9%
6RM	94.2%
Number of lates this week	18

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS **91.9%**

Well-done to **2MH** and **3IB**, who will be spending next week with Biscuit Bear!



## CONSENTS



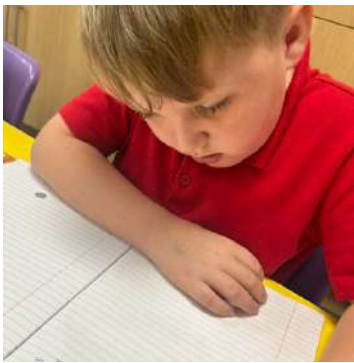
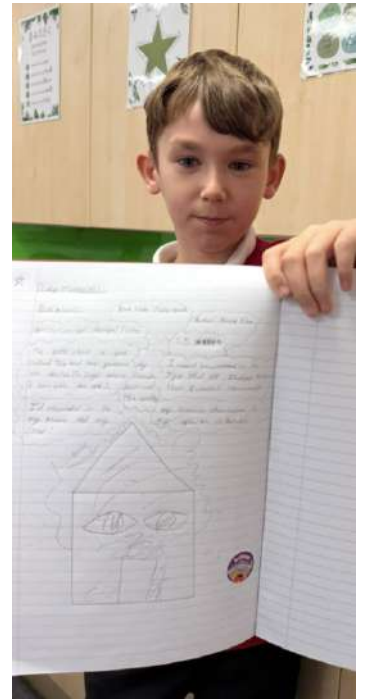
Please can all parents / carers log in to Arbor and respond to all consents. We require you to 'consent' or 'decline' on each line to ensure we have up to date information for your child. Thank you!



OH Snap



# This Week's Snapshots





# PARENT AND CHILD HALLOWEEN CRAFTS

at Victoria Primary Academy

Hosted by  
Mrs Witchy Webber  
and Mrs  
Bones Broughton

21st October  
1:30pm - 2:45pm

Sign up to  
come along  
with your child  
on Arbor





# Autumn 1 Events

**8  
Sept**

**Club sign up available** ✓

**9  
Sept**

**Visit from Jamie Peacock - Leeds Rhinos** ✓

**15  
Sept**

**Clubs start** ✓

**17  
Sept**

**School Photo Day** ✓

**17  
Sept**

**Y2 & 3 Wild Day** ✓

**24  
Sept**

**Y1 & Y1/2 Wild Day** ✓

**30  
Sept**

**UKS2 Football Gala** ✓

**2  
Oct**

**Census Menu** ✓

**3  
Oct**

**Macmillan Coffee morning** ✓

**13  
Oct**

**Harvest Festival** ✓

**16  
Oct**

**World Food Day** ✓

**22  
Oct**

**Halloween Disco**

**24  
Oct**

**Last day of half term**

**31  
Oct**

**National closing date for Year 7 applications**





**SIGN UP ON ARBOR NOW!**

## WILD DAYS

Our 'Wild Days' have become an integral part of school life at Victoria Primary Academy. During our Wild Days, children develop their wild experiences 'beyond the four walls', developing a variety of skills such as forestry, language development, fine and gross motor skills, keeping safe and understanding the world around them. The cost for each session is £4, which covers the cost of Tom, our expert from Green Man Learning, facilitating this session. This can be paid through our Arbor App

**Dates for your diary**

Y2 and Y3 - 17.9.25	Y5 - 12.11.25	Y3/4 & Y4 - 11.3.26	Y5- 3.6.26
Y1 and Y1/2 - 24.9.25	Y 2 and Y3 - 25.2.26	Rec & STARS - 18.3.26	Y6 - 10.6.26
Y6 - 5.11.25	Y1 and Y1/2 - 4.3.26	Rec & STARS - 29.4.26	Y3/4 & Y4 - 24.6.26

## THE COMMUNITY LS9 CLUB

### THE SPOT YOUTH ACTIVITIES

**Tuesdays: 4-6pm**

**Victoria Primary Academy, Ivy Avenue, Leeds, LS9 9ER**

At The Spot, we create an **exciting environment** for all young people. Join us for Dance, Sport and Social Action Projects.

**Email:** outreach@dazl.org.uk  
**Call/Text:** 07519018675

**Lead Partners**

**Funders**

## AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS!

Class	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu
Reception	Drawing Yoga / Dance			Lego Drawing Club
Year 1 & 2	Lego	Dance		Drawing Club Computing Film Club
Year 3 & 4	TT Rockstars (LSK2) KS2 Drawing Netball/Benchball Book Club Arts and Crafts Mindfulness Football		Multi-Sports (Grassroots)	Basketball Cricket (Grassroots)
Year 5 & 6				

**BOOK VIA ARBOR**