



NEWSLETTER

Friday 26th September

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

THIS WEEK WE HAVE LOVED TAKING LOTS OF CHILDREN OFF SITE TO LEARN, DEVELOP AND GROW ON TRIPS. FIRST HAND EXPERIENCES ARE A WONDERFUL WAY OF LEARNING AND TAKING CHILDREN BEYOND THE FOUR WALLS. THANK YOU TO ALL THE CHILDREN FOR WAVING THE VICTORIA FLAG BY 'BEING THE BEST THEY CAN BE' OUTSIDE OF THE SCHOOL AND PARENTS FOR THEIR SUPPORT. KEEP AN EYE OUT ON ARBOR FOR MORE EXPERIENCES FOR YOUR CHILDREN.

 Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

WE'VE HAD ANOTHER FUN PACKED WEEK IN SCHOOL! IN ADDITION TO THE TRIPS AND EXPERIENCES, CHILDREN HAVE BEEN COLLECTING HOUSE POINTS FOR FULFILLING THE VICTORIA PROMISE. EACH HOUSE WORKS TOGETHER TO WIN THE MOST POINTS EACH HALF TERM BY DEMONSTRATING OUR SCHOOL VALUES ABOUT BEING SAFE, RESPECTFUL, HONEST AND RESPONSIBLE. PLEASE SEE THE POSTER IN THIS NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING OUR FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE REWARD AS FAMILY TICKETS TO CIRCUS ZYAIR CAN BE WON!

 Mrs Courtney



LIKE AND FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

STARS	84%
Nursery	93.2%
REF	99.2%
RCW	85%
1JR	98.9%
1/2NC	91.9%
2MH	94%
3IB	98.3%
3/4CC	95%
4CM	97%
5EM	92%
5CH	97.9%
6LP	94.2%
6RM	92.2%
Number of lates this week	18

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS **94.3%**

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



Year 6 Residential Meeting for parents

We're holding a meeting on Tuesday 30th September to discuss the Y6 residential trip. This is a great opportunity to learn more about the trip and what your child can expect. It's also the perfect opportunity to ask any questions you may have. We look forward to seeing you there!



Date: 30.09.25



Time: 4.30pm

ATTENDANCE PRIZE DRAW



CHILDREN WHO HAVE
100% ATTENDANCE THIS
WEEK WILL BE ENTERED INTO A
PRIZE DRAW TO WIN TICKETS TO
CIRCUS ZYAIR
FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

DATE OF EVENT:
29TH SEPTEMBER
6:00PM
LOCATION:
ROUNDHAY PARK

WELL DONE TO ALL OF OUR WINNERS!

Have a fabulous time!

CENSUS DAY!

02/10/25

On Thursday 2nd October we have a special menu on offer for Census Day!

Census Day is a really important day for the school; a large part of our funding for the year is based on how many students eat a school meal on this day!

The funding we receive goes towards maintaining school resources to ensure the children receive the best quality education.

If your child does not usually have a school meal, please support the school and give them a try!

Thurs 2 October

Try a School Meal Day Menu

Main	Side	Dessert
Beef Burger or Veggie Burger	Fries, Sweetcorn and Peas	Mini Doughnuts with Chocolate Sauce

Try something new! The meals are delicious, tasty, healthy, nutritious.

WELLSPRING Early Years

FREE TOY WITH EVERY MEAL!

OH Snap!



This Week's Snapshots



UNIFORM/JEWELLERY EXPECTATIONS!

IMPORTANT!

"NO HOOPED EARRINGS. STUDS ONLY - HOOPED EARRINGS WILL BE REMOVED AND GIVEN TO PARENTS AT THE END OF THE DAY IF WORN DUE TO HEALTH AND SAFETY.



"NO NECKLACES OR BRACELETS AT ALL'. THEY WILL BE REMOVED AND GIVEN TO PARENTS AT THE END OF THE DAY.



"SHOES MUST BE BLACK - NOT BRIGHTLY COLOURED TRAINERS/CROCS ETC



"UNIFORM MUST BE WORN - ON PE DAYS - CHILDREN MUST COME IN UNIFORM AND GET CHANGED. PARENTS WILL BE CONTACTED TO BRING UNIFORM OR UNIFORM WILL BE LOANED FOR THE DAY.



Nut Free School

A polite reminder that our school is a nut free zone. This means that there should be no types of nuts on the premises. If your child brings a packed lunch or a snack, please make sure they don't contain nuts, i.e. peanut butter, hazelnut chocolate spread etc



Medical



We appreciate your help in keeping our students safe and healthy. Please remember to notify the school of any changes to your child's care plan or medical needs. It is crucial for us to have the most current information on file in case of an emergency.

Additionally, we kindly ask that you regularly check the expiry dates on any medication you have provided to the school, with a special reminder to check inhalers. Ensuring all medication is up-to-date helps us provide the best possible care for your child.

CONSENTS



Arbor

To ensure that we are as up to date as can be, each year we renew our consents. This includes consents such as walking home and local trips. The new consents also cover digital media. Please ensure these are allowed if you would like celebration pictures to be taken of your child and placed on our external media, such as Facebook and Newsletters. We know how much some of our parents love to see the wonderful things their children get up to!

Please log into Arbor to update these.



 year 4, 5 & 6!

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



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

FREE TOY WITH MEAL!

**3
Oct**

Macmillan Coffee morning

**15
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

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

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



We Bake A Difference

Thurs 2
October

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WELLSPRING
Catering Team

Calling all Maths Superstars!

Get ready to rock and roll with your numbers because we're introducing two fantastic math programs for you to use at home: Times Tables Rock Stars and FrogPlay!

We know that mastering key math skills is super important, and these programs are a fun and engaging way to do it. You'll be able to practice your times tables and other key concepts while earning points, playing games, and even competing with your friends!

We'll be giving out your logins soon, so get ready to jump into some awesome math adventures. We'll also be setting up some exciting competitions, so you can show off your skills and win some cool prizes.

Stay tuned for more updates, and get ready to become a math pro!



HOW TO LOGIN



1) Log onto www.TTRS.com or download the app

1) Go onto www.frogplay.net

2) Select student and type in your details

2) Type in your login details

3) Select any format (but studio is the best!)



3) Go onto assignments and play your games!

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