

Dunnington

News



27th November 2020

Parent Consultations via School Cloud

Thank you for your support and patience in trialling a new approach to parent consultations. We are pleased to report that, on the whole, our virtual meetings were a huge success. We are aware of one or two technical issues (possibly due to incompatible web browsers/internet bandwidth) but the vast majority of parents did manage to connect and speak to staff without a problem. Staff have arranged a few follow-up telephone meetings, where needed. From the school's point of view, the booking system and the actual meetings proved to be very efficient and effective. For the first time ever, we enjoyed a punctual home time!! I have had number of conversations about the experience at the school gate but would be pleased to receive any further comment/feedback. Please email me on head.dunningtonprimary@york.gov.uk.

Y4 Parents' Evenings

Our Y4 parents' evening will be rescheduled for Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th December 2020. Bookings will 'go live' on Sunday at 4:30pm. Please contact the school office if you need the original instructions resending.

Christmas is Coming!

Whilst we won't have traditional in-school performances this year, we have 'a little something up our sleeve' in the form of a short, whole-school Christmas video. Rehearsals and filming will take place next week. We hope to share this with parents/carers before the end of term via the school website. If you don't wish your child to appear in the published video, please inform the school office by Monday 30th November 2020. We will sensitively manage these requests. Please could you send your child with a festive/brightly coloured top on Monday? These will be sent back home on Friday.

Vodafone SIM card offer

Vodafone announced on Wednesday (18 November) that it is giving free connectivity to 250,000 children across the UK.

The company says that its aim is to help them access school work from home, catch up on lost learning during school holidays, and continue with their education if they are required to isolate.

The Vodafone support – in the form of data SIMs – is available to primary and secondary schoolchildren in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Schools can order the data SIMs to give to pupils who find it difficult to access education from home because they don't have the right connectivity. Each SIM has a 30GB data allowance valid for 90 days.

Please contact the school office if you would benefit from support of this nature.



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Christmas Menu



Roast Turkey

Or

Parsnip and Sweet Potato

Loaf

Served with

Roast Potatoes, Seasonal

Vegetables, Chipolata

Sausage,

Gravy & Cranberry Sauce

Chocolate, Orange and

Cranberry Brownie



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CHRISTMAS LUNCH – THURSDAY 17TH DECEMBER

The kitchen staff, Karen and Jane, would like to say a very big thank you to everyone for their support over the last few months. The Grab Bags have worked well and the children have welcomed the return of jacket potatoes!

Karen and Jane will be serving a delicious Christmas meal on Thursday 17th December. This will be prepared on site and delivered to the children in their classrooms, in individual servings. Karen needs to know numbers in advance, to enable correct ordering of supplies.

If you would like your child to have a school Christmas lunch, please let the school office know by emailing dunningtonprimary.school@york.gov.uk or send in a note with your child, no later than Friday 11th December.

Thank you.



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Can you help others in our city this Christmas?

YORK FOOD BANK DONATIONS TO HELP
FAMILIES AT CHRISTMAS ON 5/6 DECEMBER

GRATEFULLY RECEIVED AT:

5 WATER LANE
36 KERVER LANE
5 CHURCH BALK

12A HUNTERS WOOD WAY
32 YORK STREET

THE BOXES WILL BE OUT 10AM TO 7PM

THE SCHOOL WILL HAVE A COLLECTION BOX ON
FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER

They particularly need the following Christmas items but anything
you give would be amazing:

puddings, cakes, selection boxes, boxes of chocolates, tins of
biscuits, toiletry gift sets.

They receive plenty of mince pies, so feel free to eat all of these
yourselves!.



For more information contact Claire Hetherington
07834236229 claire.waines@hotmail.co.uk

The collection boxes at school will be in the bicycle store at the juniors side and in the stage area in the infant playground.



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Dear Parent/Guardian,

YORK DROP-IN FLU CLINIC

There will be a drop-in flu immunisations clinic for children (reception-year 7) who have **did not** receive their nasal spray flu vaccine in school this term in the York area. Please find the details of the drop-in clinic below:

We will be holding the York DROP-IN clinic at this address:

**Rawcliffe Pavilion,
The Pavilion,
St Mark's Grove,
York,
YO30 5TS**

09:00am-12:00pm, Saturday 12th December

This is a drop-in clinic. You do not need to contact us to make an appointment. You do not need to bring any paperwork with you.

Yours sincerely,

Childhood Immunisations Team
North Yorkshire and City of York



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