



MOORLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Together We Can

18th October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

The magic of theatre at Moorland Primary

Our children absolutely loved a surprise visit by M&M productions on Thursday afternoon when the classic fairy tale "Snow White" was brought to life in front of their very eyes. The show was bursting with energy, magic and fun and was enjoyed by all – adults included! We are passionate in our belief that children should experience live performances throughout their childhood, through which they see stories brought to life and creativity and drama at its best.



Wednesday Coffee Mornings

Come along to our **Coffee Morning on Wednesday 23rd October** and **find out more about Oral health and making sure your child's teeth are well looked after.** Family support workers from Hedgerows and Moorland Family Centres will be joining us with lots of information, free toothbrushes and advice to share. Please drop in and have a cup of tea whilst finding out more about protecting your child's teeth.



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Parent Survey results

October 2024

Over 1/3 of our families offered their feedback. We appreciate & value your thoughts.

100% Agree/ Strongly agree	My child feels safe at school.	96% Agree/ Strongly agree	My child enjoys being at school most days.	100% Agree/ Strongly agree	I feel part of the school community
My child knows who to talk to if they are unhappy or upset.	100% Agree/ Strongly agree	Behaviour at the school is well managed.	96% Agree/ Strongly agree	I know who to talk to if I have a concern	100% Agree/ Strongly agree
98% Agree/ Strongly agree	The school has a clear behaviour system.	Feedback		98% Agree/ Strongly agree	i would recommend the school to another parent

The school is good at helping children reach their potential in learning and be able to achieve their goals.

You show lots of respect for the children.

We are happy with how the school are working with both our children to progress further in their knowledge and skills. Having regular parent meetings is useful.

At this point I feel everything is up to mark, managed nicely by teachers and management

The teachers all seem enthusiastic and cheerful.

My children are doing really well. We are happy with the school education and other activities.

It's great and you do great things for are children and for us parents my children love school and you always helping them to learn

All children are valued. We are happy with the school.

Myself as a parent and my child love Moorland primary school the staff are absolutely brilliant and welcoming they are easy to approach with a problem my child enjoyed coming to school she has grown in confidence she was very shy at first starting the school but the longer she is there the happier she is. She loves her new teacher she has taken time to listen to her and spend a bit more one to one with her Thank u Moorland Primary.



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Feedback for us to action

STOP parents congregating around the school entrance. Not only are they blocking the walkway and gates they are also smoking!!!! This is a health and safety concern not only for other parents but more importantly for the children.

Thank you for your feedback

We really do appreciate your feedback. Thanks to all of you who completed the survey for us.



Parking outside of school













Please park considerately and safely before and after school. Please do not double park and block other cars in when you park by the shops and Family centre.



Moorland Attendance HERO – Here, Every day, Ready to learn, On time.

It is great to see the attendance improve again this week with all classes back in the 90% + range. Well done Owls and Hedgehogs for coming joint first, let's keep this up for the last week of half term.

Attendance for Week Beginning Monday 14th October 2024

 Ladybirds ~ 96.8%	  Owls ~ 97.2%
 Hedgehogs ~ 97.2% 	 Squirrels ~ 90.8%
 Foxes ~ 91.5%	 Badgers ~ 95.5%
 Falcons ~ 92.3%	 Skylarks ~ 92.8%
 Whole School ~ 93.9%	



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School dinners

Here is a reminder of the deadlines for ordering school dinners for the next few weeks: You can of course order school dinners for the whole term, but if you miss these deadlines, your child will need to bring a packed lunch from home.

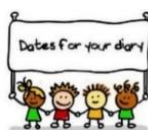
Deadline to place order	For meals the week beginning:
Tues 22 nd Oct	Monday 4 th Nov
Tues 29 th Oct	Monday 11 th Nov
Tues 5 th Nov	Monday 18 th Nov

Stay and Play for our Nursery parents – Wed 13th November

We would like to invite our nursery parents to join us for Stay and Play session on Wednesday 13th November at 9.30am – 11.00am. More dates to follow.

Open evening for Prospective Reception Parents and their children – Tuesday 19th November – 3.30pm – 4.30pm

We are having a Stay and Play event for all parents whose children are due to start in our Reception class in September 2025. This is a chance to meet the staff, look round the Reception class and outdoor play area and find out what Moorland Primary School can offer your child. Please come along even if your child attends our nursery



Date	Event
Wed 23 rd Oct	Wellbeing Coffee morning – advice and information about your child's dental health care
Friday 25 th Oct	Last day of term
Thurs 31st Oct	Deadline for Year 6 parents to apply for their child's secondary school place
Tues 5 th Nov	Children return to school
Mon 11 th – Fri 15 th Nov	Anti-Bullying week
Tues 12 th Nov	Individual pupil photos
Wed 13 th Nov 9.30am – 11.00am	Nursery Parents Stay and Play
Tues 19 th Nov 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Stay and Play for prospective Reception Parents and their children – come along and meet the Reception class team

Best Wishes
Mrs. Angela Garner
Headteacher



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