



**EBOR GARDENS**  
Primary Academy

# WEEKLY NEWS

## *A message from Mrs Wathen & Mr Spink.....*

Good afternoon. It has been another busy week here at Ebor Gardens. We have had the pleasure of visiting lessons to see how the children are settling in. We saw beautiful calm rooms with gorgeous children working hard and learning lots of new things. It has been a real pleasure for us and I hope reassuring for you all to hear how lovely the classrooms are and how great new relationships are forming between adults and children. Today, we ended the week with a Macmillan coffee morning event. The children came in green and purple clothes and enjoyed a story and a bun—keep your eye on our social media for some pictures.

Plans are underway for our marking of Black History Month starting with a whole school assembly on Monday. The children will be learning and reflecting about Black History throughout the month. Again, keep an eye on social media for the lovely things the children will be learning about and work they will be producing.

Have a lovely, relaxing weekend. Hopefully the weather will pick up for us. See you all on Monday.



## **Attendance news.....**

Whole school attendance is **92.5%** this week.

Remember we are aiming for **96%** or above.

The biscuit bears went to 1FA and 5GA for the best attendance this week.

N— 82%	Rec 1— 93%	Rec 2— 76%	1HM— 93%	1FA— 97%	2HW— 95%	2NI— 94%	3NB—94%
3JH— 98%	4LB— 91%	4RM— 96%	5HW— 95%	5GA— 99%	6NP— 95%	6CH—87%	



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# News and Events this half term.....

Dates  
for your

DIARY

## Autumn Term 2022 Dates

Here are some upcoming events for your diary:

**Monday 17th October 2022—**

Harvest Festivals (*more info to follow*)

**Tuesday 18th October 2022—**

Halloween Discos (*more info to follow*)

**Thursday 20th October 2022—**Jewish Faith Visitor in Years 3&4

**Friday 21st October 2022—**School closes for Half Term Holiday

**Thursday 10th November 2022—**

Y4&5 trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park

**Friday 18th November 2022—**Children in Need

**Monday 28th November 2022—**Book Fair in School

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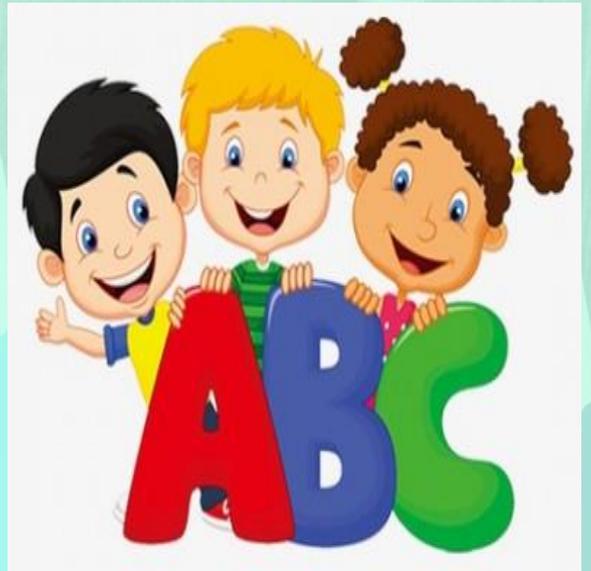
## Curriculum Highlights this half-term.....

As well as all the exciting English and Maths this half term, we will also be finding out about Animals (including humans) in our science lessons across schools, including the skeleton, what we eat and what growing old is like. In History, Key stage 1 will be learning about “London’s Burning”. LKS2 will be investigating Stone Age to Iron Age and UKS2 will be finding out about the Greeks and their impact on Britain. Our Art work this half term is going to focus on drawing skills. Music is going to continue to play an important part in this year’s learning and children will be continuing to sing and compose music across the school. Children in Key Stage 2 will still be learning a musical instrument. The Djembe (drum) in Year 3, further percussion instruments in Year 4 and Year 5 and 6 will continue to learn how to play the Ukulele. It’s going to be action-packed! More detailed information for each of the phases in school is featured on the phase newsletters sent out with this newsletter.

## Nursery Places

We still have a few places available in our Nursery.

Give us a call on 0113 2482750 to apply for one of the places or to



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# Certificate Winners This Week...



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# Is your child starting Year 6?

It's time to think about secondary school!



You can apply online until **31 October 2022** for a Year 7 place in **September 2023**

Before you apply, find out more at [www.leeds.gov.uk/apply](http://www.leeds.gov.uk/apply)

- Learn about the admissions process
- Research schools so you can list your 5 preferences
- Read each school's admissions policy
- Understand where your child might be offered a place
- Check if your home address gives you priority

**If you still have questions... join our Q&A sessions on social media in September and October**

Call us on  
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Watch our quick  
guide to school  
admissions



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## Healthy, thriving children and families



HENRY's free **Healthy Families: Growing Up** programme is for parents and carers of primary-school age children - it will help you develop a healthier, happier lifestyle that the whole family can enjoy.

The programme covers these 5 themes across 8 sessions and provides everything you need to help your children flourish.

- Feeling more confident as a parent
- Physical activity for the whole family
- What children and the whole family eats
- Family lifestyle habits
- Enjoying life as a family

Get  
in touch  
to sign up  
now!

"This was the best thing I could possibly have done to help me be a better mum"



### Programme details

Where: Ebor Gardens Primary Academy, Rigton Drive, Leeds, LS9 7PY

When: Monday 26th September 2022, 13:00-15:00 for 8 weeks (missing the October half term)

### Contact Us

To book a place please contact:

s.dooley@wellspringacademies.org.uk or call the school office on 0113 248 2750



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