



# Carleton Endowed CE Primary School

A faithful community that loves, lives and learns with hope and joy;  
where everyone is valued and encouraged to flourish.



Friday 28th March 2025

Dear parents and carers,



Spring has most definitely been in the air at Carleton school this week. As part of their 'seasons' investigations in science, the children in Class 1 and 2 have been thinking about all the new life that they can see in spring. They had a very special visitor on Monday when local farmer Kay Mellin brought in one of the lambs from a neighbouring farm. They learnt about the names of the life stages of sheep and a bit about what it's like to be a sheep farmer.

They have also been really fascinated by all the frogs in the school pond. There is a lot of frog spawn this year, and they are looking forward to seeing the tadpoles emerge!



## Easter Service next Thursday

Next Thursday at 9:15am is our Easter service in church, which will be led by Year 3 this year. All parents and carers are welcome to join us - we'd love to see you there!

## Parents/carers consultation evenings

This week we held our parents' evenings for all parents and carers to discuss their child's progress. If you were unable to see your child's class teacher, please do speak to them to arrange a separate appointment.

## TRAINING DAY - NEXT FRIDAY

Just a reminder that we break up for the Easter holidays on Thursday 3rd April. The additional Trust training day takes place next Friday and school will be closed to pupils.



## Vacancies

### Caretaker role

We are still looking for a cleaner/caretaker 3 hours a night, 5 days a week. If you or anyone you know would be interested, please take a look on the vacancies page of our website.

<https://www.carletonendowedprimary.org.uk/vacancies>

## Friends of Carleton Endowed School

### Cake stall

A massive thankyou to the Year 3 parents who baked lots of delicious treats and ran the cake stall Last Thursday. The proceeds will be put towards a trip and a visitor that Mr Brand has planned for next term!

### Bend the rules, it's April Fools!

On April Fools Day, the Friends of the school are organising a fundraising fun day of 'bending' the rules. See the attached flyer for the rules that children can choose to bend for the day for a £2 donation to the Friends.



### Quiz Night 8pm Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

Just a reminder that it's also the Friends Quiz night at the Village Hall that week. Please see Sarah Williams for more information.

### Online Safety

The National College produces a weekly parent publication relating to children's online behaviour, which we are able to share with you each week.

This week's publication is about **Bluesky social app** which is a microblogging social media platform that gained popularity after separating from Twitter in 2021. It's more than doubled its user numbers in the past six months alone, from 14.5 million in October 2024 to 32 million at present. Since accounts must be public, this opens the door to potential trolling, cyberbullying and the spread of misinformation. See the attached flyer for more information.



## Children's Mental Health and Wellbeing - North Yorkshire inourplace



North Yorkshire council is offering free online courses dedicated to improving emotional health and wellbeing for parents, carers, children, teenagers, adults and grandparents using the Solihull approach. You can use the QR code or follow the link here [inourplace.co.uk](https://inourplace.co.uk)

The latest inourplace newsletter is attached for more information.

## House points

The house points are all very close this term. This week's winners were Beckside with 186 House Points. They are still the leading house this term. Well done!

	Beckside	Heslaker	Ramper	Slingsby	Westwood	Wilkinson
This week	186	103	155	141	185	158
Total this half term	2348	2122	2060	2208	2265	1923

Wishing everyone a lovely weekend,  
Kind regards,

Mrs H Dudman  
Headteacher

## Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
Tuesday 1st April	Break the rules it's April Fools - PTA event
Wednesday 2nd April	PTA Quiz Night in the Village Hall
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Easter Service in Church 9:15am
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Break up for Easter Holidays
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	TRAINING DAY
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Children return to school after the holidays
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	Y3/Y4 to Sandylands
Thursday 1st May	KS1 Parent Celebration Worship
Thursday 8th May	KS2 Parent Celebration Worship
WC 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATS week
Thursday 15th May	No celebration worship due to SATS
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Break up for Half term
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Children back in school
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Children break up for Summer holidays
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	TRAINING DAY

Term dates can be found on our school website

<https://www.carletonendowedprimary.org.uk/calendar/term-dates>

## Useful information

### Online safety

[youngminds.org.uk/parent](http://youngminds.org.uk/parent) The **Young Minds** website gives lots of really good advice for young people and parents who are worried about a child

Humber and North Yorkshire Integrated Care Partnership lead the Go to – a website full of advice for young people and their parents [thegoto.org.uk](http://thegoto.org.uk)

[The Go-To](http://TheGo-To) is a really useful website that provides information and signposting to North Yorkshire services for parents who would like support with children and young people's mental health and wellbeing. If you are concerned about your child's mental health do take a look at the resources that are out there to help you.

## Keeping Children safe online

There is a lot of guidance available to help parents with talking to children about what they are accessing online. You can find this on the [online safety](#) page of our website or take a look on one of the following websites:

[nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe](https://nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe)

[www.thinkuknow.co.uk/](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/)

[saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers](https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers)

[UK Safer Internet Centre](#)

Hot topics – [Childnet](#) Parent resource sheet – [Childnet](#)

## SEND

Some support groups for parents of children with additional needs

[posch.org.uk/groups-and-support/](https://posch.org.uk/groups-and-support/)

[sendiassnorthyorkshire.co.uk](https://sendiassnorthyorkshire.co.uk)

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PLEASE DO NOT SEND IN ANY ITEMS THAT MAY CONTAIN NUTS \*\*\*