The Federation of Middleham (VA) & Spennithorne (VC) CE Primary Schools



Executive Headteacher - Mrs Marie Mann

Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose confidence is in him.

They will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream.

It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green.

It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit.

Jeremiah 17: 7 - 8

Friday 7th July 2023 – Newsletter This term our Christian Value is Thankfulness

Dear Parents and Carers,



Global Neighbours Award

Hello everyone!

We are the year 5 Global Neighbours team and as you know we have been working hard to plan our first global campaign. We decided that we wanted to sponsor and protect an acre of rainforest in Ecuador. We held an assembly to inform parents and then we planned to raise money at our summer fair. We raised £171 by selling cakes, thank you so much to all those that baked, bought and supported! We have officially sponsored land in the beautiful Cloud Rainforest of Ecuador. Some of the iconic animals that live there include jaguars, howler monkeys, spectacled bears, sloths and pumas. We have some ideas already for our next project and can't wait to share it with you all!

Transition Morning

The children had a fun morning in their new classes on Monday. There was a buzz of excitement around both schools as the children worked together with their teachers and new class friends.

Year 5 Summer Sports Day

What a super day Year 5 had on Tuesday! The children enjoyed a sports event at The Wensleydale School and wowed us with their excellent behaviour and positive attitudes, not to mention skill and ability!

We were a small team but won every rounders game and performed well in the long jump and sprint. Well done team





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Maple Class News

Maple class have been busy looking after their wildflowers, herbs and vegetables over recent months. This week they tasted their first home grown cucumber. It was delicious! Thank you Miss Remmer for giving us lots of tips to help us look after them properly.



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Tempest Photography

Have you ordered your school photos yet? A polite reminder that the closing date for **free delivery** back to school is Wednesday 12th July. Order through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit <u>www.tempest-orders.co.uk</u> If you need any assistance in ordering your photos, feel free to contact Tempest on 01736 751555 (option 3).

Clubs Survey

The Clubs Survey will close on Monday 10th July 2023 at 3.30pm. Thank you to all those who have already completed it. If you would like your voice to be heard please use this link:

https://forms.office.com/e/4MmbkSDLZn

End of term events

This week we emailed out a letter regarding the end of term events. It is going to be a busy but exciting final few weeks of the school year. Please remember to book your child onto the federation bus for federation days (even if they usually travel on the bus). Thank you!

Maple Class	Mia for showing great concentration, skills and effort during our cricket sessions. Well done			
Willow Class	Riley for writing some super sentences. Jack for making wonderful observations and drawings during science.			
Elm Class	Toby for having a fantastic attitude to learning. Andrew for always showing enthusiasm when learning new things.			
Sycamore Class	Oliver for always having a really positive attitude towards learning. <u>Growth Mindset Box</u> Lailah-Faye for taking everything in her stride and adapting to everything she comes across.			
Oak Class	All the Year 5 children this week for being so brilliant at The Wensleydale School sports day. Their fantastic behaviour and teamwork was a credit to them. Well done Y5! <u>Growth Mindset Box</u> Monty for being such a fun and positive member of our class			

Have a lovely weekend

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Mrs Mann

Executive Headteacher

Mrs Mann's availability week beginning 10 th July 2023						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Middleham	Spennithorne	am – Middleham pm - Spennithorne	am – Middleham pm - Spennithorne	Middleham		

Diary Dates

11.07 EYFS & KS1 "Booknic" at Spennithorne with new starters

11.07 New September 2023 Parents Information evening

14.07 Sports Day – Middleham, gates open at 1.20pm to start prompt at 1.30pm

17.07 Federation Day for Alice the Musical at Middleham

18.07 Alice the Musical performance 1.45pm and 6pm

19.07 Year 6 treat afternoon – more information coming soon

19.07 Alice the Musical performance 6pm

20.07 Federation Activity morning at Middleham

21.07 Year 6 Leavers' Lunch and Leavers' Service (11am)

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