

Saltergate Newsletter

Friday 26th April 2024



Summer Term Week 3

Dojos

You may have heard our KS2 pupils talking about earning dojos and achieving rewards throughout the week. We are trialling this for the Summer Term as a positive way to encourage the children to make good choices in their learning and behaviour. The dojos are linked to our 5 R's - being resourceful, resilient, responsible, respectful and reliable, as well as our 3 l's - being imaginative, innovative and inclusive. Each class has also chosen values and behaviour which they believe dojos should be linked to, such as bravery, kindness and making contributions. We hope that the children will feel proud of themselves for achieving their dojos!

Jo Hall



ParentPay

Please can you log into your ParentPay accounts and clear any outstanding debt balances. Could we also remind you that the school policy is that you must pay for meals at the end of each week and we will only allow a maximum of 2 weeks debt (£32.00) to ensure that you are not falling into financial difficulties. If your account reaches £32.00, you will be asked to send your child to school with a packed lunch until the debt is cleared. Due to a technical issue, we have only just added lunches to ParentPay for the last 3 weeks. Your ParentPay account is now up to date for lunches taken from 09.04 to 25.04.24.

Midday Supervisor Assistant Vacancy

We are looking to enhance our current lunchtime staff team and would love to hear from you if you wanted to work in school during lunchtime periods. A link to the job role can be found on our school website: https://www.saltergateschools.co.uk/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=78

Gardening Lunch Club

We have a lovely garden area that is looking a little unloved. We are going to overhaul this area with the help of the children and turn it into a calm area for the children to enjoy whilst learning to grow some herbs and flowers. We are looking for donations of herb plants, lavender, compost, gardening gloves and gardening tools. If you are able to help with any of these items, we would be very grateful.

Cost of Living Help

If you're struggling to pay for food and other essentials, there are local schemes and organisations in North Yorkshire which may be able to help or point you in the right direction. You'll find information about emergency financial support, managing debt, benefit entitlement, energy bills and staying connected all in one place at www.northyorks.gov.uk/costofliving

Home to School Travel Policy

Consultation on proposed changes to the Council's Home to School Travel Policy. The necessary information can be found here on the Council's website.

https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/your-council/consultations-and-engagement/current-consultations/home-school-travel-policy-consultation



work Stars of the Week 🧼



Infants Who are the 'work stars' of the week?			
Coelho (Y2)	Everyone!		
Percival (Y2)	Maja		
Bright (Y1)	Katie		
Jeffers (Y1)	Ezra		
Donaldson (Rec)	Aurora		
Adeola (Rec)	Max B		

<u>Juniors</u> Who are the 'work stars' of the week?				
Cowell (Y6)	Priya	Pullman (Y6)	Marcus	
Tolkien (Y5)	Lidka	Potter (Y5)	Josh	
Morpurgo (Y4)	Sofia	Rowling (Y4)	Pearl	
Walliams (Y3)	Olivia	Dahl (Y3)	Lily	





Important



Term dates 2023-2024	Click <u>here</u>		
FOSS funding letter	Click <u>here</u>		
FOSS funding form	Click <u>here</u>		
Summer term 2024 Lunch menu	Summer Menu available <u>here</u> Price increase <u>letter</u>		
Operation Encompass (Domestic Abuse support)	Click here for details		
Children with special dietary requirements	Please complete the form by clicking here		
CEOP helping 4–7-year-olds be safer online	www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/		
Permission to walk home (Year 5 & 6 ONLY)	https://bit.ly/3wn01U1		
Absences from school exceptional circumstances (one off event which is unavoidable)	Pupil Leave of Absence Request Saltergate Schools		
If your child needs to have regular medication such as an asthma inhaler, please complete this form	https://forms.office.com/r/zScm8baXvE		
Change of contact details form	Change of contact details form		
Discovery Learning Newsletters	Saltergate Schools - Discovery Learning Newsletters		
Application for Reception September 2024	Reception - September 2024		
Application for Year 3 September 2024	Year 3 - September 2024		
Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) - This is different to Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM) that children Reception to Year 2 receive	Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here: www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals Catering		



FOSS – Friends of Saltergate School

We are keen to hear if anyone has any amazing ideas for fundraising. Everyone is welcome to join us at any of our meetings, keep a look out in the newsletter for the next date.

If you would like to express an interest in coming to a meeting or have any amazing ideas you would like to share, then please contact us at FOSS@saltergateschools.co.uk.

Alternatively, please feel free to jot an idea on the form here.

Please see the attached letter here for important information about the FOSS AGM



All children should have received a letter about the disco, but if they missed it - Form for FOSS Disco here









If you are worried about any safeguarding situations, or you feel a child is being harmed you should contact Mrs Jo Hall (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Judith Hollywood (Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) to share your information.

If you want to remain anonymous you can report concerns through the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership website click <a href="https://example.com/here-nature/h

Or phone 01609 780780 - It's everyone's responsibility to work together to keep children safe.







