



Attendance

Our attendance to date is 95.9% and this week our highest attending classes were (1st) Year 7 (2nd) Year 4 and (3rd) Year 6.

This Week

Transition

This week our new teacher (Miss James) has been in with Y3 a little bit and the rest of the classes have been getting used to new classrooms and new teachers. Whilst this is hard work for staff at the end of a long academic year we know that it hugely benefits our pupils and their learning. We find that they worry less over the summer and are straight back into their learning on the return after the break. We know that not all pupils find changing classes easy which is why we do this now. If you have any worries about the way your child is settling in then please talk to us. It is better to address these worries now than leave them until September.

NSPCC

Oh my word! We always do really well with our big summer charity event and this year we switched back to raising money for the NSPCC after 2 years of doing Race for Life. I am pleased to announce that we raised £1038.49 which is incredible and humbling and I am really proud of our pupils. Thank you for your support. Once again we have proven to be a small school with a big heart!



Pippi House Foundation

This is a charity that helps girls in Tanzania by providing a safe home, food and education. Mrs Martin's daughter recently volunteered with the charity and asked if school could help raise funds for the foundation. Mrs Martin and after school club took on this challenge and raised £200 during their after school fundraiser. Thank you again for your kind hearted support.



Year 6 Leavers

Today we say goodbye to our Royds pupils. Good luck and grasp every opportunity. Each and every one of you will be missed at Holy Trinity.



Ofsted

This week we have been reviewing our curriculum. More information about this will follow.

Cause for Celebration

This week we received the report from an Inclusion Audit undertaken in school by PIVOT Care on behalf of the Abbey MAT. The audit took place on 19th June and I am pleased to tell you that it went well and wanted to share some of the comments from the report:

“Holy Trinity, Rothwell is an inclusive school where the needs of every child is given due consideration. Senior staff know the needs of the pupils well and have robust systems and interventions in place to meet these. The local Cluster supports the school effectively, and the school staff work closely with cluster staff to ensure this has a positive impact on pupils and their families.”

“Safeguarding is a strength and a culture created where children are listened to and feel safe – all children told me they feel safe and know who to go to for help.”

“Pupil conduct was excellent both inside and outside of the classroom environment. Pupils were consistently polite and respectful.”

“The SENCO has a clear understanding of the needs of pupils in the school and effectively manages the staff in meeting these needs.”

Thank you Mrs Wheatley for the wonderful work you do as SENCO.

Dates for your Diary:

Dates	Event
Monday 10 th July	Transition begins in school
Wednesday 19 th July	No swimming lesson
Wednesday 19 th July	Guitar Lessons (this is the last and only after school club for the rest of term)
Wednesday 26 th July	Last day in school for children
Thursday 27 th July	Summer Holiday begins
Monday 4 th September	Training Day (school closed to children)
Tuesday 5 th September	School re-opens
Monday 11 th September	Rothwell Record taking photograph of new reception class
Wednesday 13 th September	Swimming Lessons re-start for Year 4
Tuesday 19 th September	School Photographs (individual)

For absences please call on 2739190. All absences must be reported by 9.20am.

We take safety very seriously at our school

If you have any concerns please contact Mr Foulke or Mrs Owen

Every School Day Counts

There is clear evidence to show that days off school impact on your child's attainment and progress.
Days off add up to lost learning.

175 non-school days a year → To spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments			
0-7.5 days absence	8-9.5 days absence	10-19 days absence	More than 19 days absence
182.5-190 School Days in each year	180.5-182 School Days in each year	171-180 School Days in each year	Below 171 school days in each year
96-100%	95-95.99%	90%-94.99%	Below 90%
GOOD Best chance of success	Worrying	Concern Less chance of success	YOUR CHILD IS IN THE GOVERNMENT CAREGORY OF PERSISTENT ABSECECE SERIOUS CONCERN Not fair on your child Possible legal action

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If you are worried about your child's attendance we're here to help. You can contact:
Mrs Sutcliffe (Learning Mentor), Mrs Owen or Mr Foulke