



(Article 29)



Your education should help you use and develop your talents and abilities. It should also help you learn to live peacefully, protect the environment and respect other people.

## Friday Letter



14<sup>th</sup> March 2025

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### Dates for the diary:

Break up for Easter - Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April

Return to school - Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April

### School Lottery

To purchase tickets please follow the link below;

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/>

All money raised from tickets purchased will help to fundraise for our school. Tickets are £1 per ticket, per week and the more tickets purchased the higher the weekly prize is. There is a winner from our school every week!

### Water Bottles

Could we please ask that parents/carers ensure children come to school with a water bottle every day.

### Year 2 - Bake Sale

Children in Year 2 will sell cakes to all pupils in school on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March. Any Year 2 children who wish to donate cakes or biscuits to this sale, please do so via the school office on the morning of the sale. Items will be sold for 50p each. There will be no snack attack on this day.

### Year 2 - Laing Art Gallery

Children in Year 2 will be visiting the Laing Art Gallery on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March. An email will be sent to you next week containing further details.

### Book Fair

Thank you to everybody who came along and purchased books at our book fair. We raised a total of £446.11 in commission which will be used to purchase new books for our library.

### Pupil Progress Meetings (Reception)

Mrs Morton will hold pupil progress meetings on a Tuesday afternoon beginning Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March. Meetings will be held face to face and are now available to be booked using the link below;

<https://billquayprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

### Pupil Progress Meetings (Years 1,2,3 and 5)

Pupil progress meetings will be held after school on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April for pupils in years 1, 2, 3 and 5. Meetings will be held face to face in school. Appointments are now available to be booked using the link below;

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### Pupil Progress Meetings (Year 6)

Pupil progress meetings will be held after school on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March for pupils in year 6. Meetings will be held face to face in school. Appointments are now available to be booked using the link below;

<https://billquayprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

## Pupil Progress Meetings (Year 4)

Pupil progress meetings will be held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April for pupils in year 4 (1pm-6pm). Meetings will be held face to face in school. Appointments are now available to be booked using the link below;

<https://billquayprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

## Red Nose Day

On Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March children are invited to come to school wearing something red, colourful or sparkly in aid of Red Nose Day. A £1.00 donation would be greatly appreciated and can be paid online using the SchoolGateway App.

## Spring Musical Showcase

Our KS2 Spring Musical Showcase will take place at Heworth Grange School this year on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April, starting at 4.30pm and will last about an hour. A link to the consent form has been emailed to you, we would appreciate it if this could be completed as soon as possible so that we can plan effectively for the event. Tickets will be on sale from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March, and are priced at £3 for adults and £1.50 for children under the age of 16. Each participating family can purchase up to 2 tickets initially. Any spare tickets remaining after Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March will be available on a first come, first served basis. All proceeds will go towards the school fund. Unfortunately, children under the age of three are unable to attend this event.

## Easter Fun Day

Our Easter Fun Day will take place on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> April. This will be a ticketed event that will run during school hours for all children and therefore no parents/carers will be able to attend. The cost of a ticket is £3 and can be purchased using the SchoolGateway app. Tickets include a packet of crisps and a drink and will allow children to take part in a range of activities and games, and win prizes. There will also be a tuck shop for children to purchase sweets. Please ensure your child brings a small amount of money in a clearly labelled envelope and that tickets are purchased prior to the date of the event.

## Decorate an Egg

Children are invited to decorate a hard-boiled egg in school on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> April. Please ensure your child brings to school 2 or 3 hard-boiled eggs to decorate. The winner from each class will be chosen and announced at our Easter Fun Day. Due to a pupil having a severe egg allergy, children in year 2 will be given a polystyrene egg to decorate.