



Newsletter

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LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER WITH FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

Our School Vision

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FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

With Faith, anything is possible

Believe in yourself

With Hope, all things are brighter

Believe in your future

With Love, we are never alone

Believe in others

Our vision is based on the Parable of The Mustard Seed.

Click [here](#) to read more about it.

**Our Collective Worship focus
this half term:**

Thankfulness

"I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart."

Psalm 9.1

A full list of all dates for next term are on the following page.

Attendance

Our vision for attendance is **simple** and **ambitious**.

- **100% attendance** for all pupils is our ultimate goal
- **97% attendance** is our minimum expectation for every learner

This week our attendance figure is

93.7%

This week the number of late marks is

28

Nightingales	100%
Robins	92.4%
Hawks	94.6%
Falcons	95.8%
Eagles	89.5%

Please remember that children should be in school at 8.40 ready to learn at 8.45.

Autumn Term 1 2025

DATE	EVENT
Friday 10th October	World Mental Health Day – Mindfulness lessons for all children
Thursday 16 th October	2pm Reception parents Phonics meeting
Thursday 23 rd October	Non-Uniform Day for children - £1 Break up for Half Term
Friday 24th October	Training Day

Autumn Term 2 2025

Monday 3 rd November	Return to school for all children
w/b 3 rd November and 10 th November	Parents' evening appointments
Thursday 6 th November	Individual and Sibling photos
w/b 10th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Monday 10 th November	Odd Socks Day for Anti-Bullying Week
Monday 10 th November	1.30pm Open Afternoon for Reception 2026
Tuesday 11 th November	Remembrance Day
Wednesday 12 th November	9.30 Open morning for Reception 2026
Friday 14 th November	Children In Need – Dress in spots!
Monday 17 th November	4pm Open Afternoon for Reception 2026
Wednesday 19 th November	Reception to Year 6 Flu Vaccinations
Thursday 27 th November	Training Day – School Closed
Thursday 4 th December	Parent Voice 2pm Reception Parents Maths meeting
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Movie Night
Monday 15 th December	1-3.15pm Hawks' Christmas Party
Tuesday 16 th December	2pm Reception Nativity Performance in school
Wednesday 17 th December	9am Reception Nativity Performance in school 2pm Church Service for parents and children
Thursday 18 th December	9-9.30 Nursery Christmas Sing Along 1-3.15pm Eagles' Christmas Party 1-3.15pm Falcons' Christmas Party 1-3.15pm Robins' Christmas Party
Friday 19 th December	Christmas Jumper Day for children - £1 Break up

Attendance

We've noticed that the number of late marks has been increasing recently, and we'd like to work together to help our children start the day in the best way possible. Arriving on time allows children to settle in, connect with their classmates, and be ready for learning from the very start.

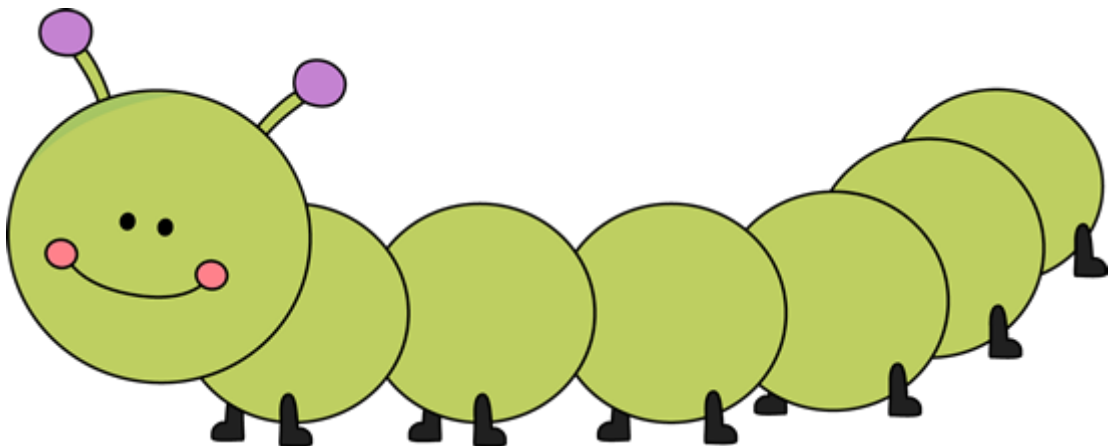
We understand that mornings can sometimes be a challenge, and we truly appreciate the effort you make to get your child to school on time. A few extra minutes in the morning can make a big difference in helping students feel calm, confident, and ready to succeed.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership—we couldn't do it without you!

Caterpillars

Caterpillars is restarting this month on Tuesday October 21st in Church at 1.30pm - 3pm.

It is suitable for all pre-school children especially 0-3years. Time for Carers to meet and chat and have a cuppa! No charge. Everybody welcome!



Stronger Starts

Thank you to everyone who has voted for our World Music Project at Tesco. We are waiting to hear the outcome so fingers crossed!

TESCO
Stronger Starts.



Harvest

What an amazing turn out for our Harvest Festival celebration at St Mary's. Thank you for making the effort to come and support both school and church. Cedric the Butterfly joined in the performances and wowed children with his beautiful wings. You can still make a donation to Selby Food Bank, either by dropping it off at school or at church between 10am and 4pm.



Times Table Badges

10's

Lilly B

Eviee

Teddie

McKenzie-George

Olivia

Marnie

10's,5's and 2's

Bella



Dojo Certificates

50—Sienna M, Rayan, Grayson, Delilah W, Delilah-Rae, Alan K. Mia, Melody, Luke, Lewis H. Kian, Jace, Isabelle, Hunter Be. Georgie, Esther, Charlie, Aston, Rosie, Tonileigh, Pearle

100— Leah



Food Hygiene Rating

We are pleased to announce that the Food Standards Agency has rated our kitchen 5/5 for food hygiene. A brilliant end to the week!





Star of The Week



Eva	For always saying thank you.
Elsa	For always being thankful and polite.
Rory	For answering questions about thankfulness in church.
Olive	For always having lovely manners.
Tonileigh	For being thankful to others.

Writer of The Week

Betty
Lewis
Teddy
Hunter Be

Reading Raffle Winners

Bella S-G
Lilly
Pearle
Frankie