

Together with God, we love, learn and grow



Riston

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Christian Value



Our Christian Value this half term is Respect. We were so proud of our children showing their respect to our D-Day heroes. All the children visited St Lawrence's Church to view the decorations.

Sports Day

Unfortunately, due to the continuing poor weather, we have been advised by the Playing Field Association that the grass and track will not be marked due to the field being too wet. We will therefore need to postpone our Sports Day until **Thursday 4th July at 1.30pm**. Hopefully we will have more settled weather by this date! Apologies as I know this date was set back in September and many will have booked time off work to attend.

Money Twist



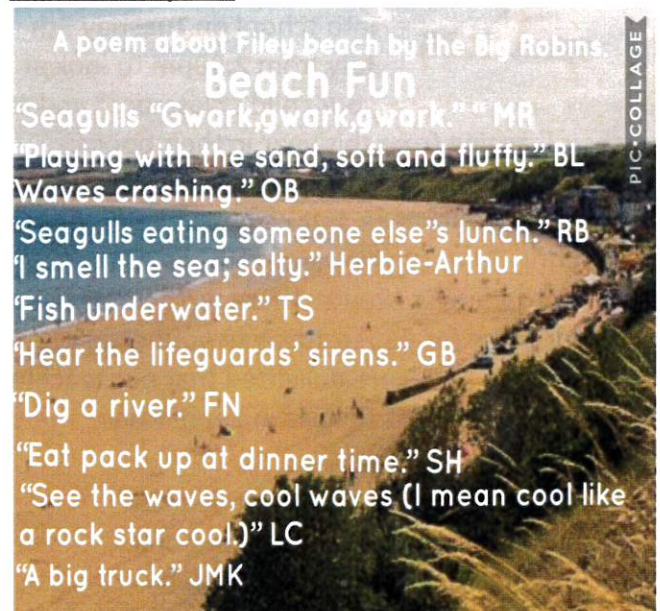
The money twist programme will be visiting our school on **Friday 21st June** to talk to the Bluebirds and Highflyers about the wider world of money and practical money skills. This will be the last visit.

Highflyers



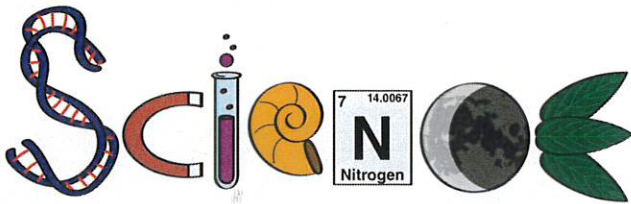
The highflyers had a brilliant day studying Coastal Erosion at Bridlington beach. Everybody finished the day with a very well deserved ice-cream.

Robins & Topcats





Topcats



The topcats will be spending the day at **Siggleshorpe** on **Wednesday 19th June** as part of their extended learning beyond the classroom. The children will also visit the forest school where the children will have the opportunity to complete a range of wonderful outdoor learning activities throughout the day.

Open Afternoon



We would like to invite you into school on **Tuesday 9th July** from **2.30pm** to look at your child's classroom and all

their learning from this year in their books. Refreshments will be available in the school hall courtesy of the PTFA and an opportunity to enjoy meeting other families and perhaps supporting our forthcoming events. There will also be the opportunity for you to speak to your child's new class teacher. We are delighted that our teaching staff will remain as follows in September:

- Highflyers - Mrs Prosser & Mrs Seaman
- Bluebirds - Mrs Sage & Mrs Hammond
- Topcats - Miss Groom & Mrs Enderby
- Robins - Mrs Buckton, Mrs Preston and Mrs Gill

As part of our learning about the seaside, children visited Filey Beach. We met with two beach school leaders from Filey Infants, part of Ebor Academy. We made sand castles and searched for beach treasures. It did not rain and we listened to the RNLI talk about the amazing work they do. What a brilliant day!

PGL Residential to Caythorpe Court

All of the children in Highflyers have been enjoying a fantastic visit to Caythorpe Court where they engaged in a range of outdoor adventurous activities. Their adventure started with an action packed afternoon of trapeze and raft building! A huge thank you to all our staff who supported in organising the visit and those who attended and gave our children a wonderful experience. Please see photos below:



After School



Please let the office know if you would like your child to attend any of our after school clubs.

Monday - Sports - covered by Sports Premium (Mrs Gill & Coach Josh)

Tuesday - Arts & Craft (Mrs Hammond & Mrs Seaman)

Wednesday - Music Club (Mrs Hunt)

Thursday - Lego Night (Mrs Seaman)

The cost for the clubs will be **£4.00** per child and includes a snack and a drink.

The after school clubs will have a limit of 15 children per club except for a Tuesday where the limit will be 20 children.

Payments **MUST** be made weekly either in cash at the office or following receipt of an invoice.

Drowning Prevention Week



Drowning Prevention Week: 15 - 22 June 2024

National Prevention Drowning Week please use this information to highlight to your children Water Safety and Keeping themselves Safe around Water.

<https://www.rlss.org.uk/Pages/Category/drowning-prevention-week-campaign>

<https://www.yorkshirewater.com/education/water-safety/>

Guidance to Parents/Carers

'Is my child well-enough to come to school?'



It can be tricky deciding whether or not to keep your child off school, nursery or playgroup when they're unwell.

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Find out when it's best to keep your sick child at home and when it's best to send them to school. Please **REMEMBER** when leaving a message stating your child will **NOT** be in **school/nursery** that you leave a **REASON** why so the correct code can be given on the register.

Medical appointments

Please try to book any medical appointments outside of school hours, either after school, across lunchtime or in the school holidays. Any appointments taken during the school day **MUST** be supported by documentary evidence such as a letter, screenshot or email of the appointment. Please email this to the school office - admin.ris@ebor.academy

Attendance

Attendance Matters



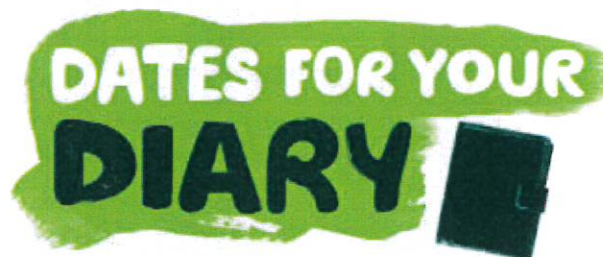
Please be aware it is important that children maintain good attendance during the final weeks of term as key learning will continue.

The school target for attendance is 97%. Over the past 2 weeks our attendance is currently 93.66%.

Highflyers - 97.98%
Bluebirds - 93.47%
Topcats - 93.66%
Robins - 87.98%

Please continue to make every effort to ensure your child maintains high attendance and is punctual.

Dates For Your Diary



Friday 21st June - The final money twist programme
Wednesday 19th June - Y5/6 Growing Up Talk - Y1/2 Science day at Siggleshorpe
Thursday 27th June - Armed Forces day
Friday 28th June - Staff Training Day / Y6 Science Morning at Hornsea
Thursday 4th July - Sports Day
Tuesday 9th July - Riston Open afternoon
Friday 12th July - Music celebration
Wednesday 17th July - Y6 Leavers Play
Thursday 18th July - Y6 Leavers Service
Friday 19th July - Summer Holidays
Wednesday 4th September - Return to School