Dates for the Diary – Spring Term 1 (January – 4th April 2025)

Assemblies

Family members are warmly invited to attend Celebration Assembly. Assemblies will take place at 9.00am in the Church.

Friday 24th January 2025

Friday 14th February 2025

Friday 14th March 2025

KS2 Swimming

This is held every Monday – with the last Monday being 31st March.

Forest School

This will commence on Monday 28th April 2025. Dates for each class will follow in due course.

Year 6 – SATS Club and Breakfast Club

This is held every Wednesday, starting on 26th February, before school from 8.00am – 8.45am with the last Wednesday being 7th May.

SATs breakfast club will run SATS week (Monday to Thursday) from 8am each morning WC 12th May 2025.

PE

A list of correct PE kit is available on the website. Please ensure earrings are removed before school if children are unable to remove them on their own.

Please ensure full PE kit is in school – class details below:

<u>Class 1</u>: Monday & Thursday

<u>Class 2</u>: Wednesday & Thursday

Class 3: Thursday

Clubs for Spring 1 are as follows:

Drama with Natalie Hamburg This is from 12.30pm – 1pm

Chess with Mr Giles – Every Tuesday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Football with Harrogate Football Club – Every Wednesday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Gymnastics with Sporting Influence – Every Thursday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Clubs for Spring 2 are as follows:

Drama with Natalie Hamburg – Every Tuesday This is from 12.30pm – 1pm.

Board Games with Mr Giles – Every Tuesday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Football with Harrogate Football Club – Every Wednesday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Multisports with Sporting Influence – Every Thursday This is from 3.30pm – 4.30pm

KS1 Cross Country Final at Boroughbridge High School – Wednesday 22nd January 2025

Following on from our success at the cross country competition at Ashville College in November 2024, we are delighted that Class 1, has qualified for the Cross Country Final. Children in KS1 and their siblings may enter school from 8.15am in order for a prompt 8.35am departure to the event.

Year 6 – Parent Information Evening for Residential – Thursday 23rd January 2025

This will be held at 5pm in school. A representative from Bewerley Park will be present.

National Storytelling week 3rd – 7th February 2025

Children will take part in various activities throughout the day.

KS2 Dance Competition – Tuesday 4th February 2025

On Tuesday 4th February 2025, all children in KS2 (Years 3-6) will be attending Ashville College to participate in the inter schools Dance Competition, hosted by Sporting Influence.

All children will be required to attend as part the planned events on the PE Curriculum for this academic year, as well as providing wider opportunities to build relationships with their peers across the Federation and the wider small school communities.

We require all parents across the Federation to drop children off at Ashville College at 9.15am, where you will be met by teachers from each school. Children will travel back to school via coach after the event.

Siblings can attend Breakfast Club free of charge to facilitate the 2 location drop offs. Please book in advance.

NSPCC Number Day - Friday 7th February 2025

Children will take part in various activities throughout the day.

Walk to School - Friday 7th February 2025

Walk, cycle, bus or 'park and stride' the last mile to help protect our planet! We do what we can, when we can and every mile counts!

Safer Internet Day - Tuesday 11th February 2025

Children will take part in various activities and talks throughout the day to highlight the importance of Internet Safety.

Last day of Spring 1 Term – Friday 14th February 2025

School closes at 3.30pm to all pupils. There will be wraparound care on this day until 4.30pm.

School re-opens to all pupils –Monday 24th February 2025

World Book Day – Thursday 6th March 2025

Following the success of last year's 'Vocabulary Parade' on World Book Day, this year we will be celebrating our love of words and reading by dressing up as our most creative word. From A-to-Z students can consider all words as possible costume and word choices!

- Step 1: Choose an interesting or exciting word. Think about unusual words that others may not already know.
- Step 2: Plan a costume that illustrates that word. Consider recycling items around your house to make a creative, homemade costume.
- Step 3: Make a large card or sign with the chosen vocabulary word on it, so others will know which word is represented in your costume. Students can carry the word, make a headband or hat, or have it as part of their costume. The word needs to be visible so others can read it.

The children will take part in a whole school text with different activities throughout the day.

We can't wait to see all of your wonderful words!

Special World Book Day Menu – Thursday 6th March 2025

Magic Meatballs Cheesy Pasty (v) Loaded Potatoes Coleslaw Chocolate Dipping Pot

If your child is normally on a packed lunch on this day, and would like a school lunch, please let me know by Friday 14th February 2025.

EYFS / KS1 Dance Competition - Tuesday 18th March 2025

On Tuesday 18th March 2025, all children in KS1 (Years Reception – Y2) will be attending Ashville College to participate in the inter schools Dance Competition, hosted by Sporting Influence.

All children will be required to attend as part the planned events on the PE Curriculum for this academic year, as well as providing wider opportunities to build relationships with their peers across the Federation and the wider small school communities.

We require all parents across the Federation to drop children off at Ashville College at 9.15am, where you will be met by teachers from each school. Children will travel back to school via coach after the event.

Siblings can attend Breakfast Club free of charge to facilitate the 2 location drop offs. Please book in advance.

Cooking Morning – Wednesday 19th March 2025

We are delighted to welcome 'Ladies In Pigs' into school to deliver practical cooking sessions to our children.

KS1 Cross Country at Killinghall CE School – Friday 21st March 2025

All children, in KS1 (Reception to Year 2) across the Federation, are invited to attend a Cross Country Event at Killinghall CE School on Friday 21st March 2025.

Children will travel to the event by coach, however, we require all parents across the Federation to collect their children from Killinghall CE School after the event (time TBC), where you will be met by teachers from each school.

Parents Evening 1 – Tuesday 25th March 2025

This will be held from 3.30pm – 5.30pm. Confirmation slips will be sent out nearer the time.

Parents Evening 2 – Thursday 27th March 2025

This will be held from 4.00pm – 6.00pm. Confirmation slips will be sent out nearer the time.

Walk to School - Friday 28th March 2025

Walk, cycle, bus or 'park and stride' the last mile to help protect our planet! We do what we can, when we can and every mile counts!

Geography/History Enrichment day – Friday 28th March 2025

The day will be filled with a variety of Geography and History activities in school.

Year 6 Residential - 31st March 2025 - 2nd April 2025

Year 6 Pupils will be attending this year's Federation Residential at Bewerley Park.

Last day of Spring 2 Term – Friday 4th April 2025

School closes at 3.30pm to all pupils. There will be wraparound care on this day.

School re-opens to all pupils –Tuesday 22nd April 2025