



School Newsletter 592

Values – Care – Achievement

Friday 15 May 2026

Headteacher's Introduction

Dear Parents and Carers,



I am delighted to celebrate the achievements of our school community this week.

It is with great pleasure that I announce our School Captains for 2026-27: Sam McBride and Amy Luck. Following a robust recruitment process, both candidates really shone and demonstrated the qualities we seek in our student leaders. We are excited to see how they will embody our ethos of John 10:10 and living life to its fullest, serving as role models for all our students. Sam has already made a significant impact through leading the resurrection of the school newspaper, whilst Amy has relentlessly championed multiple funding events across the school. Their first official appointment will be to speak at our Year 6 Transition Evening next month, and I am confident they will do a sterling job in welcoming our new students to Archbishop Holgate's.

This week has also provided us with an opportunity to further raise awareness around mental health and healthy wellbeing. Our students have been given the chance to watch a thought-provoking theatre production, and the feedback has been extremely positive. More importantly, this experience has opened further conversations amongst both staff and students about this vital topic. It is encouraging to see our young people engaging so meaningfully with their own emotional health and that of their peers.

As we move into the weekend, I would like to extend my best wishes to our Year 11 and Year 13 students as they continue their examination period. The dedication and focus they have demonstrated during this first full week of exams has been truly impressive. I know many of them will be spending their weekend revising, and we very much wish them continued success.

I would also like to highlight the impact of our recent Boggle Hole trip, which took place last weekend. Over forty Year 11 students attended this initiative, where revision was interspersed with some well-deserved fun and relaxation, led by our dedicated staff. Early indications suggest this has already had a significant positive impact on our students' revision and preparation. On behalf of the entire school community, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to those staff members who gave up their weekend to give their support. Their commitment to our students' success, both academically and personally, is appreciated.

It is at times like these that I am reminded of the strength of our school community and the collective effort that goes into supporting every single student.

With best wishes for the week ahead,
Lucie Pond,
Headteacher

Food for Thought

This week our Form Tutor Collective Worship is inspired by Mental Health Awareness week and the dramatic presentation KS3 students will be watching. We will reflect on Emily's story and consider the impact that our school's Christian Values might have in this area. Our daily quotes are all from the bible and what it has to say about our Wellbeing.

"Do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will help you."

Isaiah 41:10



School Show 2027

We are pleased to announce that next year's school production is already in the diary. After much deliberation the show has been chosen, though details will remain a surprise until September. Please save the dates:

Wednesday 10 March – Friday 12 March 2027

Further information, including audition, rehearsal timetables, parental permissions and ticketing will be shared at the start of the Autumn term.

Reflecting our commitment to Values, Care and Achievement, this production will give students a platform to shine, grow in confidence and experience life to the fullest. Please hold these dates.

Closure to Black Bull Gate on a Morning

During the final week of this half term (wc 17 May) the Black Bull Gate entrance to the school site will be closed on a morning whilst we complete site works. This gate will, however, be open on an evening for students to leave the site. On a morning, all students will be expected to arrive via the main school drive - students will be given further details during tutor time in the coming weeks.

PLEASE SHARE: If you would like to share students' achievements and events in the community, please email jssissons@ahs.pmat.academy. It's always nice to celebrate our school community.

AHS Feedback

We welcome all feedback and thank all parents for their valuable contributions. If you have a query or simply an observation about the school please complete the form online.

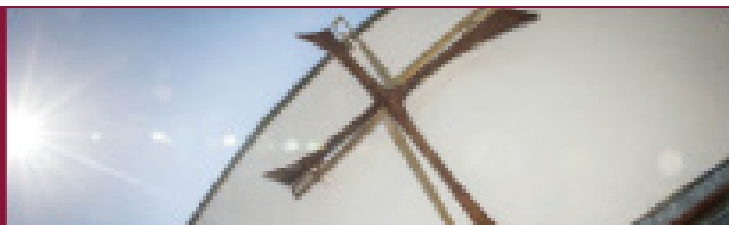


Social Media

Follow our Facebook page to keep up to date with the latest news and events!



This Week's School News



North Yorkshire Police - Safeguarding Advice

We are aware of a viral trend circulating online where children are encouraged to heat soft "squishy" toys (sometimes called NeeDoh or jelly cube toys) in a microwave. This is extremely dangerous. When heated, these toys can burst and release hot contents, which may cause serious burns to the hands, face and skin.

What you can do:

- Talk to your child about the risks of copying online challenges or trends
- Remind them that not everything seen online is safe or accurate
- Ensure squishy toys or similar items are never heated or microwaved
- Encourage your child to come to you if they see something online that concerns them

If you would like more information and practical advice, please see the safeguarding alert [here](#) (Viral Trend Risks Causing Severe Burns to Children - Ineqe Safeguarding Group).

NYorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership Business Unit

MFL Stars of the Week

Students were nominated by Language staff to receive an Effort merit, a postcard home and appear on the 'Stars Wall' for all their hard work:

KS3 French - Millie Roth, 8Ay
KS3 German - Logan Bardy, 7By
KS3 Spanish - Meadow Smith, 7CSn
KS4 French - Phoebe Beard, 10Kx
KS4 German - Maisie Smart, 10CDe
KS4 Spanish - Dougie Molyneux, 10JDI



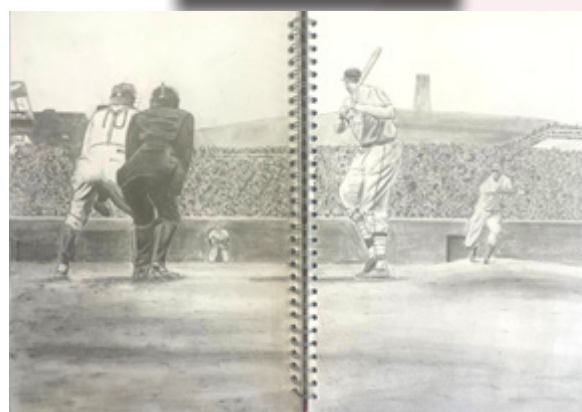
Parent Advisory Group

Minutes from the last Parent Advisory Group (PAG) on 23 April are now available on the school's website ([PAG Minutes](#)). PAG enables parents and carers to contribute and have 'a voice' to allow them to effectively contribute to the overall direction of the school.

Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday 10 June, 5.00-6.00pm. Further details will be circulated nearer the time.

Art - Work of the Week

Year 12 student, Ka Nok Au, has done some amazing drawings exploring the theme of 'movement' through american sports. We are excited to see how this project develops!



Students with Health Care Plans

Please can parents of children with Health Care Plans ensure that school has up to date copies. If any student has had a recent review could the information be passed to either Reception or the School Nurse. If a review is needed regarding your child's condition - please also let the School Nurse know. Keeping students safe is my number one priority and this includes having all the correct information and up to date plans. Thank you. Mrs Reffold, School Nurse

Upcoming Events

25-29 May	Half Term
Mon 1 Jun	Students return
Wed 10 Jun	Parent Advisory Group
Thu 11 Jun	Y7 Residential Information Evening
Wed 17 Jun	Y7 Progress Evening
Fri 19 Jun	Y13 Prom

As part of this year's Mental Health Awareness Week, students in Years 7 to 9 were given the opportunity to watch a thought-provoking and emotional theatre production exploring the experiences of young people living with mental health challenges within their families.

The performance told the story of Andy — a boy who feels judged by the whispers and rumours surrounding his family situation — and Harper, the new student who finally seems to understand him. As their friendship develops, difficult truths begin to surface, highlighting the impact that mental illness can have on children both at home and in school.



The production aimed to encourage open conversations about mental health, relationships, and the importance of seeking support. It also helped students recognise that they are not alone in the challenges they may face.

Across the UK, around 1 in 3 children grow up with a parent experiencing mental illness, and the performance helped shine a light on experiences that are often unseen or misunderstood.

Students responded maturely and thoughtfully to the themes explored in the show. Many reflected on the importance of kindness, empathy, and speaking to trusted adults when they need support.

The production was created by theatre company Next Door But One in partnership with Our Time Charity, whose previous projects have shown a strong positive impact on young audiences:

91% of young people said the show helped them talk about their feelings and mental health.

94% said it helped them identify a trusted adult they could turn to for support.

We are proud of the respectful and engaged way our students approached the performance and discussions throughout the week. Mental Health Awareness Week has provided an important opportunity to remind students that support is always available and that talking about mental health matters.

Key Enrichment and Personal Development Opportunities this half term

18-22 May - Reward and Recognition Assemblies

Head of Year Award Winners

Each week we are thrilled to celebrate students for outstanding achievements. Congratulations to this week's HoY Award Winners:

Year 7	
Hester Sharp	Always following the school values
Jack Brennan	Always following the school values
Year 8	
James Caley	Consistently doing the right thing and working hard. Well Done!
Nia McVay	Consistently doing the right thing and working hard. Well Done!
Year 9	
P A	Focusing really well in lesson time and making continuously excellent answers in class discussions.
Isaac Sturmev	Lovely answers given in the lesson this morning. Really focused and compassionate when considering the opinions of others
Year 10	
Edward Wilson	Amazing effort in maths this year!
Emily Chamberlain	Amazing effort in maths this year!
Year 12	
Josh Adams	The excellent work in running table tennis club
Thomas Bate	The excellent work in running maths club

Police in School

We're thrilled to announce that we are working closely with our local policing team to build up the relationship between our public services and students. The police will be joining us in the Merit Mart on the days listed below, 1.10-2.10pm. Students are welcome and encouraged to come and engage in conversations with the local team and ask them about the role they play within the local community.

Friday 12 June

Friday 17 July

Headteacher's Breakfast

We look forward to welcoming Year 8 to the Headteachers Breakfast on Friday, congratulations go to:



8Ay	Dominc Dowle	Dominic is a fantastic representative for the form group. He did a superb job in representing the school during the recent SIAMS inspection. He actively takes part in music and his teachers are delighted with the hard work and progress he is making in his subjects. Dom is the wordle KING and we are delighted to have him as part of our form group! Well done Dominic!
8CSt	M F	M is a lovely member of our form who is working really hard and is always super kind to everyone. M has grown in confidence and has made some great friends both in form and in the rest of the year, she is thoughtful and supportive to everyone and shows compassion. Well done M!
8JLi	Asad Ahktar	Fantastic role model for the form. A brilliant display of our school values everyday. You display a huge amount of compassion and kindness to others. A great term Asad!
8JSE	Clark Ralph	Clark is always lovely in form by consistently modelling excellent behaviour and expectations of himself and of those around him. Well done for your excellent effort so far this year!
8KAn	Judah Wilson	Judah your contributions to form discussions are always insightful and your wit keeps us all on our toes. Thank you for always lightening the day.
8MFr	Marq Simera	Thank you for meeting expectations every day at school and always trying your best. You excel in all your lessons and are popular amongst the form.
8MGt	Mia Shao	Mia consistently tries her best in all that she does. She has been engaging really well with her learning this year and has made good progress. Well done!
8MPe	Robyn McRae	Thank you for being superb each and every day. Well done for being involved with the school netball team and for putting your all into your time here. Keep it up.
8MSt	Amelia Critchley	Amelia will grab onto any opportunity she can in school. She is a pleasure to teach and is a shining example to others. Amelia works extremely hard and always shows up as her best self. Well done!

A reminder of rewards and recognition available throughout the year within the table below:

Daily/Weekly	Half Termly	Termly	Yearly
House Merits	Subject Certificates	AHS Accolades	Speech Night
HOY Award	Headteachers Breakfast	CEO Award	Sport Day
Positive Messages/Phone Calls	House Competitions	Awarding of House Ties/Signature Tie	Announcing the House Winners and Presentation of the House Cup.
Nominations for HOY	Celebratory ACW and Award Distribution	Whole School Celebrations (Christmas, Easter and Summer)	
House Competitions		House Competitions	
		Whole School Celebrations	

AHS Personal Development Hub and Merit Mart

At the Personal Development Hub, students are able to collect information about everyday life, extracurricular activities, trips and visits and careers. There will also be a number of opportunities for students to take part in 'Pupil Voice' to give feedback on a number of 'hot topics' based on the school community.

The Merit Mart is our students' happy place, where they can enquire about their merits and spend them on various items in the shop. Items include:

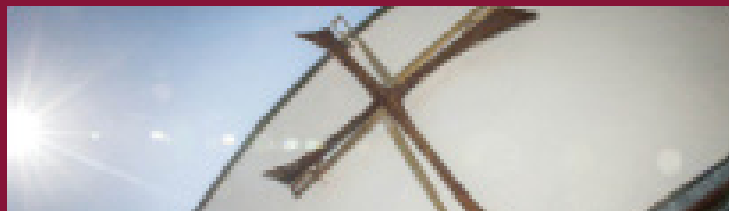
- Stationary
- Key Rings
- Board Games
- Books
- Water Bottles
- Vouchers
- Enter termly raffles



Students will be able to access the Personal Development Hub in line with the Merit Mart opening times, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 1.30-2.00pm.



This Week's Sixth Form News



Message from Mrs De Lashley, Assistant Head: Director of Sixth Form

A Level Exams next week

Monday 18 th May	Sociology Paper 1	2hrs	SF Lib				
Tuesday 19 th May	German Paper 1	2.5hrs	SF Lib		History Paper 1	2.5hrs	Exam Block
Wednesday 20 th May	Psychology Paper 2	2hrs	SF Lib		Physics Paper 1	2hrs	
Thursday 21 st May	Politics Paper 1	2hrs	SF Lib		Chinese <i>Amy Xu (Reading, Writing, Language)</i>	2hrs	SF Lib
Friday 22 nd May	English Language Paper 2	2.5hrs	SF Lib		Geography Paper 2	2.5hrs	Sports Hall
					Further Maths Paper 2	1.5hrs	
					Core Maths (applications)	1hr 40m	Exam Block

BTEC Exams next week

Monday 18 th May	BTEC Health and Social Care	3hrs	SF Lib				
Tuesday 19 th May	Applied Science	40m	SF Lib		Applied Science 2pm START	40m	Drama Studio
Wednesday 20 th May	BTEC UPS	2hrs	SF Café		Applied Science 2pm START	40m	SF Café
Thursday 21 st May	AAQ Child Dev	1hr 45m	SF Lib				
Friday 22 nd May							

GCSE Resit Exams next week

Thursday 14 th May	GCSE Maths Paper 1 F & H	1hr 30m	Sports Hall				
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Message from School Captains

Amy Luck: I feel honoured to have been given the opportunity to represent the school as School Captain for Archbishop Holgate's School. Being a School Captain allows me to lead with purpose and inspire younger students to find their voices, embrace their potential, and make a positive difference in our school community.

Sam McBride: As School Captain and Prime Minister of the Student Parliament, I am honoured to represent the students of Archbishop Holgate's School. The school provides opportunities that develop leadership, organisation, kindness, and respect through its core values of Forgiveness, Trust, Compassion, and Justice. I help co-produce The Achiever's Newspaper to keep students informed, while the Student Parliament ensures student voices are heard by senior leaders. We also promote eco-friendly initiatives, helping create a positive and supportive environment for all students.



Visit from Judge Pickering

On Tuesday 12 May, students in Year 12 Applied Law were visited by First Tier of the Tribunal – Judge Pickering. Judge Pickering worked with our classes and spent time delivering real scenarios that she had worked on, and asked them to offer their professional legal opinions. The classes were fantastic, with the Judge saying that she is definitely coming back next year and felt students were incredibly strong and compassionate in their approach. Parents – ask them about their experience, I am sure they could rattle off a list of learned knowledge!



We are (as ever) impressed with all of their hard work and commitment shown here.

The Pleasure of Finding Things Out by Richard Feynman

This collection of essays and articles is a great book to keep older teenagers interested in science, reasoning, analytical thinking and using evidence to inform opinions and rise above a 2020s media-driven world of fake news and hyperbole.



Book Recommendation

A reminder that each week we share a recommendation from the post-16 reading list that we hope our students will engage with. This reading list is one of many that can be found online but one that we think is broad, challenging and accessible. A copy of all of the listed books can be found in the Resource Centre.



Physical Education Department

"Equipping students with the knowledge, skills and motivation to live active, healthy lives."



Swima-Marathon!

Join our school swimming fundraiser on 5th and 12th June (3.15–4.15pm) to support AHS charities. Students will swim lengths which together will add up to a marathon while raising sponsorships, with a minimum £5 target. Sponsor forms are on year group Google Classrooms. Funds will support WWF, Cancer Research UK, and Carecent equally. The top fundraiser wins a prize! Get involved, raise money, and help make a difference through this exciting team event.

York Eagles Basketball Event 2

Her World, Her Rules girls-only 3X3 clinic and tournament (girls aged 8 to 14)

Date: Saturday 23 May, 10.00am-4.00pm

Venue: University of York Sports Centre

We're excited to announce that York Eagles Basketball have been selected by Basketball England to host a "Her World Her Rules" 3X3 event for girls aged 8 to 14. Whether you're new to 3X3 or already love this fastest growing outdoor basketball game, this is a brilliant opportunity to get involved. We will run beginner and experienced 3X3 skills camp in the morning followed by an afternoon of friendly 3X3 FIBA competition where participants will take part in a 3X3 tournament for the U11s, U13s, and U15s age categories. The emphasis will be on enjoyment, teamwork, building confidence and empowerment. Sign up here: <https://www.playhq.com/uk/basketball-england/register/ccacb2>. Players can enter as a team or as an individual (we can match you up with a team).

Summer PE

A reminder to students that all PE lessons are outside during the summer term (weather permitting). We will be doing athletics, tennis, cricket, rounders and Danish longball. **Students should bring the same kit to every PE lesson this term: AHS shorts, t-shirt and hoodie/reversible, white socks and trainers.**

The summer extra-curricular PE timetable has started and we hope to see as many of you at clubs as we can.

We have exciting interhouse competitions this term, including our AHS Cluedo Orienteering. Our Interhouse competitions finish with our whole school Sports Day on Friday 3 July.

Join Stamford Bridge Football Club

U13's required for the 2026/27 season

All boys going into Year 8 in September welcome

- Really friendly kids and coaches playing in either Division 1 or 2 next season
- Training every Wednesday evening
- Matches most Sunday mornings
- Excellent pitches to play on. Probably the best in York!
- Contact: Husband.stewart@gmail.com



PLAY NETBALL

MAKE FRIENDS, GET FIT, HAVE FUN!

A friendly Netball Club based in the heart of *Stamford Bridge Village.*



STAMFORD VIKINGS NETBALL



ALL ABILITIES WELCOME!

- ALWAYS RECRUITING NEW PLAYERS**
Join our existing juniors teams who participate in league matches.
- YEAR 7-11**
All abilities welcome to come along and meet likeminded people, get fit, have fun, and get involved.
- WHETHER YOU HAVE...**
Played Netball recently, not touched a ball or just fancy trying something new – then come down to training and give it a go.
- MONDAY EVENINGS 6-7.30PM (ALL AGE GROUPS)**
All training takes place at **Stamford Bridge, Low Catton Road.**
£2 per session, bring along a drink and remove all jewellery.
Coaches & umpires always welcome to the club (new and experienced), please contact us!
- FIND US ON FACEBOOK**
"Stamford Bridge Netball Club" for regular updates
or contact:
Kay (07727135974)
or Paula (07834221458)

TEAMWORK. CONFIDENCE. FUN.
BE PART OF SOMETHING AMAZING!

DEEP END SWIMMERS

SWIM A MARATHON

AHS

KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR NEW UPDATES ON YOUR GOOGLE CLASSROOM



Swim for charity. Get your sponsors now in time for next half term

New Summer Extra-Curricular Programme

EXTRA CURRICULAR PE CLUBS Summer 2026.

DAY	LUNCH (Trainers Only)	Venue	Time
MON	All Years Tennis/Pickleball (EWr)	Gym/Courts	1.30
TUE	Spikeball All years (WHy)	Gym	1.30
WED	Basketball Y10-13 (Gs)	Gym	1.30
THU	Netball Y7 & 8 (NAm)	Gym	1.30
FRI	Exam Catch Up Y10 - Y13 (Gs)	PE1/IT4	1.30

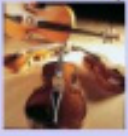
After School (Full Kit)	Venue	Time
All years Rounders (Be)	Back Field	3.20 – 4.10
All years Danish Longball (EWr)	Back Field	3.30 – 5.00
Primary competitions Sports leaders	Back Field	3.30 – 5.00
Girls' Cricket (EWr)	Back Field	3.20 – 4.10
Boys' Cricket (WHy)	Back Field	3.20 – 4.10
All years Tennis/Pickleball (LBr)	Courts	3.20 – 4.10
Fitness Y9, 10 & 11 (SI)	Fitness Suite	
Meetings		
All years Athletics and Running Club (WHy/LBr/NAm/NTh/Gs)	Back Field	3.20 – 4.10



Monday - Friday
7.45-8.30am
Learning Resource Centre



Extra- Curricular MUSIC 2025-26

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch	String Quartet Mo (by invitation only) L40 	String Ensemble All years (L37) Mo 	Wind Band (AM Reg) BN 		
	Archies Accafellas (Boys only) All years (L37) 	Junior (Yrs 8-10) Soul Band (L40) Mo 	Music Tech Club BN All years(L40) 	GCSE and A-Level Composition Support (L40) Mo 	AHS Academy Choir All years (L37) AWR/JSE 
After School	Senior Soul Band (yrs 11-13) (L40) Mo 	GCSE and A-Level Composition Support (L40) Mo 	Band rehearsals (by appointment only) Studio 	Show Band All years (L37) Mo 	AHS Resonance Choir Years 10-13 (by invitation only) (L37) JSE 



Lunchtime Clubs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Accafellas (Boys Choir) 13:30 - 14:10 L37 Mr Starkie	Sparx Homework Club 13:30 - 14:00 MA12	Y7 Science Club 13:40 - 14:05 SC1 Mr Thompson	Sparx Homework Club 13:30 - 14:00 MA12	Y7 MFL Film Club 13:20 - 13:50 ML4 Miss Leplatre
KS4 Chess Club 13:30 - 14:10 SC4 Mr Tilbrook	Y11 - 13 History Society 13:30 - 14:00 HI2 Mr Walker	Y9 Werewolf Card Game 13:30 - 14:10 HI1 Miss Field	Rural Club 13:30 - 14:10 GG1 6th Form Led	DT Club 13:20 - 13:50 TE3 DT TEAM
Sparx Homework Club 13:30 - 14:00 MA12	Y7 and Y8 Werewolf Card G 13:30 - 14:10 HI1 Miss Field	Silent Space Reading Room 13:30 - 14:00 HI7 Miss Turvey	First Aid Club 13:30 - 14:10 HI5 6th Form Led	Exam Catchup 13:30 - 14:10 PE1/IT4 Mr Goldsmith
Student Newspaper 13:30 - 14:00 Miss Donnell EN5	Table Tennis Club 13:30 - 14:10 Drama Studio 6th Form Led	KS3 Further Maths Club 13:30 - 14:10 MA4 Dr King		KS3 Chess Club 13:30 - 14:10 SC4 Mr Tilbrook
	Homework Club 13:30 - 14:10 EN1 (computers available) 6th Form Led	6th Form Christian Union 13:30 - 14:10 L17		Sparx Homework Club 13:30 - 14:00 MA12
	Litter Bug Club 1.40 - 2pm Meet in the Spiritual Garden All PPE will be provided. Miss Turvey.	Sparx Homework Club 13:30 - 14:00 MA12		
		Y8 Coding Club 13:30 - 14:00 IT3		
		Y7 to Y9 EAL Club 13:30 - 14:10 EN1		



After School Clubs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Backstage Club (Starts 15th Sept) 15:15 - 16:00 (Main Hal) Mr Gladstone	ALL Years Dead Poets Society 15:25 - 16:25 EN8 Miss Dearlove	Y17 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 Miss Walker	ALL YEARS Needlecraft Club 15:15 - 16:00 (RE6) Mrs Robertson and Mrs McDonald	Computer Gaming Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 Mr Jones
Y7 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 Miss Walker	Y7 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 Miss Walker	Y8 and 9 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS2 Mr Stabler	Y7 - Y11 Debate Club 15:25 - 16:25 EN9 Mrs Doyle	
Y8 and 9 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS2 Mr Stabler	Y8 and 9 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS2 Mr Stabler	Y10 and 11 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 Mr Jones	Y7, 8 and 9 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 BS1 and BS2 Miss Walker and Mr Stabler	
Y10 and 11 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 IT4 Mr Jones	Y10 and 11 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 IT4 Mr Jones		Y10 and 11 Homework Club 15:15 - 16:00 IT4 Mr Jones	
Drama Club 15:15 - 16:15 Drama Studio Mr Stevens				

Free Family Support June/July 2026 HELPING YOU STAY AFLOAT THIS SUMMER!



Family Matters York
Sign up today for our FREE courses and events
<http://fmy.org.uk>



June/July courses now available!

Time Out for Parents: Children with Additional Needs FREE Family Support Course



Parenting children with additional needs can bring unexpected joys, but also unexpected challenges.

Join us for 5 sessions to find out more about your child's emotional needs, the importance of self-esteem and strategies to manage tricky behaviour and emotions. Share with others and find you're not alone!

BOOK NOW

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Begins Wednesday 3rd June 2026

9.30am cuppa, 10 am -12 noon session

Thorp Arch Church, Church Causeway, Thorp Arch, Wetherby, LS23 7AH



Handling Anger in the Family

FREE ONLINE course for parents & carers in York

ALL families experience anger and conflict. It's normal! But how often do we talk about it?

Join our FREE 5 session course to find out more about anger and its impact on our family relationships.

Learn simple strategies to manage strong emotions and communicate better.

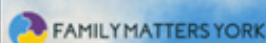
Starts Tuesday 3rd June 2026

Online via Zoom

7.15 -9.15pm



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A Mind Of Their Own

FREE PARENTING COURSE: www.fmy.org.uk

A 5 week video & discussion based course to help parents/carers support the emotional well being of their child, including a brand NEW session on taking care of yourself.

Starting Thursday 4th June 2026

7-9pm @ St Giles Church.

Copmanthorpe, York YO23 3SE



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Scan the QR code or email:
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Tackling subjects like:
self-esteem, managing strong emotions, anxiety, body confidence & belonging



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TIME OUT FOR PARENTS! Parenting Children with ADHD

6 FREE support sessions

Starting Thursday 4th June

@ Hob Moor Children's Centre, Green

Lane, Acomb, York YO24 4RF

9.45 - 11.45am

Free childcare available



A 6 week course to help you support your child's needs and understand more about....

- how the ADHD brain works
- sensory processing difficulties
- managing ADHD behaviours
- boosting your child's self esteem

For more info email:
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BOOK NOW
Course code SP1



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Working in Partnership



Time Out For Couples



Scan the QR code or go to our Eventbrite page for more info or to book free tickets.
<https://tfcconnectjun26.eventbrite.co.uk>

Join us for Time Out for Couples: Connect
@ Cornerstone. Tang Hall. Sat 27th June
19:30 - 21:30pm



CONNECT

Want to stay connected as a couple?

Better understand and accept each other?

Communicate well?

Connect at a deeper level?

FREE



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Any questions? contact Emma:
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To sign up click [here](#)

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Relationship Support

Time Out For Couples



Come with your partner and spend a couple of hours investing in your couple relationship. With helpful content from Care for the Family, free, homemade refreshments and guided conversation questions to think about together. No group work.

Strong Foundations

Our Strong Foundations initiative is running The Pre-Marriage Sessions from Care for the Family. You will be allocated a Support Couple who will take you through a 4 session course where you'll have the opportunity to build strong foundations for a healthy and long-lasting relationship.

Reconnect



Reconnect gives the opportunity to work alongside a Support Couples over 5-6 sessions and focuses on improving communication and building a stronger couple connection.

FREE SUPPORT

Want to know more about our free support? Contact Emma: 07491 910239
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School Menu - Monday 18 May

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Build Your Own Beef Burrito Veggie Mince Chilli (v) <i>Served with Salsa, Sour Cream & Tortilla Chips</i> Fruity Flapjack & Custard	Creamy Chicken Fajita Pasta Vegetable Arrabiata Pasta Bake (v) <i>Served with Garlic</i> Fruit Cheesecake	Roast Pork Vegetable Pie (v) <i>Served with Roast Potatoes</i> Yorkshire Pudding Apple Pie & Cream
THURSDAY	FRIDAY	All served with a selection of seasonal vegetables. Fresh fruit, cakes and yoghurts are available everyday in the main canteen. Fresh sandwiches, jacket potatoes and a hot snack option are available from our grab and go counters.
Chicken Shawarma served with Flatbread Vegetarian Falafel in a Flatbread (v) <i>Served with Garlic Yoghurt</i> Fresh Mixed Salad Jam Sponge & Coconut Cake with Custard	Freshly Battered Fish Veggie Nuggets (v) <i>Served with Chips</i> Chocolate & Orange Cake	



Working together to support your pupils and families

Grants, resources and practical support to help your pupils and their families

[Family Fund](#) is one of the UK's largest charities supporting families who are raising disabled or seriously ill children and young people. We provide grants for essential items, deliver services that help families manage day-to-day challenges, and work closely with families to understand the issues they face.

We also work closely with **schools and communities to ensure families can access the support available.**

For schools, this means helping to **remove barriers that can affect a child's ability to fully engage in learning and school life.** Through our support, families can access items and opportunities that improve wellbeing and inclusion.

[Learn more about our support](#)

Explore the support available

Alongside general grants and support, Family Fund offers a range of targeted support for families, including grant programmes and practical resources.

- [Discover Digital](#) - helping families save money and build confidence online.
- [Your Opportunity](#) - supporting young people aged 18 to 24 living at home.
- [Scotland Core Programme](#) - funding for essential items for families in Scotland.
- [Support for Families with Disabled Children \(SFDC\)](#) - targeted support for families across England.

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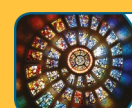


Job	Subject Leader IT and Computing
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Mainscale / UPS, TLR2b
Closes	Monday 18 May 2026 at 8.00am.

Job	Teaching Assistant Level 3
School	Applefields School
Details	Grade 6 (Level 1-4) £28,394 — £30,975 Per Annum (Pay Award Pending) 31.83 hours per week (8.45am to 3.30pm , additional hour until 4.30pm on Wednesday for staff meeting) Term Time Only
Closes	Monday 18th May 2026 at 08.00am

Job	Teaching Assistant Level 3
School	Applefields School Minster Provision- York
Details	Grade 6 (Level 1-4) £28,394 — £30,975 reduced pro rata per Annum (Pay Award Pending) 37 hours per week – 8am—4pm Term time only Required from: 7th September 2026 or early is possible
Closes	Monday 18th May 2026 at 08.00am

Job	Teaching Assistant Level 2
School	Applefields School Minster Provision- York
Details	Grade 4 (Level 1-4) £13.45 – £13.68 GBP per hour plus holiday pay (April 2026 Pay Award pending) Full time 31.83 hours, Term time only Required from: 7th September 2026 or early is possible
Closes	Monday 18th May 2026 at 08.00am



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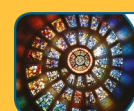
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Job	Teaching Assistant Level 2
School	Applefields School
Details	Grade 4 (Level 1-4) £13.43 – £14.03 GBP per hour plus holiday pay Part time & Full time options Required September 2026
Closes	Monday 18th May 2026 at 08.00am

Job	Teacher of History
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Mainscale / UPS Full Time Permanent
Closes	Wednesday 20 May 2026 at 12.30pm

Job	Head of History
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Mainscale / UPS TLR2b (currently £5,872) Full Time Permanent
Closes	Wednesday 20 May 2026 at 12.30pm

Job	After School Club Assistant
School	Rufforth Primary School
Details	Grade 3 Level 1—£24,483 Permanent. Term Time contract. 2 days a week, days to be discussed, more hours may be available 3.00pm—6.00pm term time only plus 8 hours per year for training requirements.
Closes	Friday 29th May 2026 at midnight



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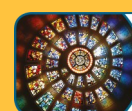


Job	Head of Geography
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Mainscale / UPS TLR2b (currently £5,872) Full Time, Permanent Required from: September 2026
Closes	Wednesday 20th May 2026 at 8.00am

Job	Teacher
School	New Earswick Primary School
Details	M1-M3 Full Time, Fixed Term Contract to 31 August 2027. Required from: September 2026
Closes	Friday 22nd May 2026 at 5.00 pm

Job	Teaching Assistant Level 2—EYFS
School	Clifton with Rawcliffe Primary School
Details	TA2 Grade 4, level 1 –4 (£25,114 – £26,319 per annum, reduced pro rata) Fixed term for 1 year 31 hours 15 minutes per week, term time only Required from September 2026
Closes	Monday 25th May 2026 at midnight.

Job	Teaching Assistant Level 2
School	Clifton with Rawcliffe Primary School
Details	TA2 Grade 4, level 1 –4 (£25,114 – £26,319 per annum, reduced pro rata) Fixed term for 1 year (31 hours 15 minutes per week, term time only) Required from September 2026
Closes	Monday 25th May 2026 at midnight.



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Job	Breakfast & After School Club Assistant
School	Heworth CE Primary School
Details	Grade 3 Level 1-4 Full time equivalent starting salary = £24,483, reduced pro-rata. Hourly rate payable is £12.73. Permanent Term time only.
Closes	Monday 28th May 2026 at 08.00am

Job	Learning Mentor
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Grade 6 (£28,394 pa) Permanent Full Time (or Part Time would be considered) Term Time Only Required as soon as possible
Closes	Monday 1st June 2026 at 08.00am

Job	School Assistant
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Grade 4 (currently £19,495 pa, this is the pro rata salary) Part Time (32.5 hpw), Term Time Only Permanent Required from: September 2026
Closes	Tuesday 16th June 2026 at 08.00am

Job	Supply Teaching Assistant Level 2
School	Applefields School
Details	Grade 4 (Level 1-4) £13.43 – £14.03 GBP per hour plus holiday pay. Supply/Casual
Closes	N/A

Job	Exam Invigilator
School	Malton School
Details	£12.45 per hour. Casual Contract.
Closes	N/A

