

24<sup>th</sup> September 2021

## MOORSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY NEWSLETTER



Dear Parents and friends,

What a great end to a busy week with our 'Wear Purple for JIA' today. Thank you SO much for supporting our fundraising event - we are really pleased that together we have raised £128.00 for a fantastic cause. A BIG well done to Ava and Willow Beadle for doing such a great job to promote this super charity which is close to their hearts.... and therefore, ours too!



On the subject of fundraising.... Our Friends of Moorside (FOMS) have been getting their heads together to plan some great events for this year. One of the easiest things that you can do to help us raise funds to provide the little extras and experiences for our children, is to log onto the internet and to make any purchases through [easyfundraising.org.uk](https://easyfundraising.org.uk) and select Moorside Infant and Junior schools to support. Also, if you mention to Craggs in Ripon that you have a child at Moorside when making a purchase, they donate a percentage of the sale to school!! If you are interested becoming a Friend of Moorside by helping out at any events or supporting in any way that you can, please contact the school office and we will put you in touch with a FOM to provide more information. Thank you.

### Attendance

We have had quite a lot of bugs going around this week so attendance has been just 91.28%. We hope that everyone is feeling lots better soon and look forward to having everyone back together before too long. The class with the highest attendance is Year 6. Well done to them!

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
w/c 06.09.21	97.94%	99.29%	100%	98.86%	99.4%	100%	98.82%
Last Week	95.05%	92.22%	95.96%	100%	94.44%	90%	100%
This Week	93.55%	84.97%	90%	93.39%	87.85%	90.95%	96.28%

### Headlice

Please be aware that we have had headlice in school. We believe that key stage one has been mainly affected but it is worth checking your child's hair just in case!

### Risk Assessments and Contingency Plans

We continue to follow the agreed Risk Assessments by North Yorkshire County Council and have put a Covid Contingency Plan in place. These can be read at <https://www.moorsideschools.org.uk/risk-assessment-for-the-wider-opening-of-school/>. With this in mind, as we cautiously plan events and school trips again, we will ensure that we assess the situation nearer the time and may be forced to postpone if there are rising cases. Our priority is to keep everyone as safe as possible, whilst providing a broad and balanced curriculum and enriching educational experiences.

As always, if you have any concerns or questions, please get in touch with us so that we can help. I hope that you all have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you next week.

Best wishes,  
**Mrs Rowett**  
Headteacher

**Diary Dates:**

Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Flu Immunisations
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 5 & 6 Trip to Botanic Gardens
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Halloween Disco (more details to follow)
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Assembly (more details to follow)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Break-up for half term
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	School Re-Opens after the half term holidays