

Snaith Primary School Newsletter

Friday 9th October 2026

Attendance This Week 97.5%

This Week's News & Bulletins

Parent Evenings

An email was sent this week with details of our upcoming Parent Evenings.

Dates:

- Tuesday 20th October: **In-person meetings**
- Wednesday 21st October: **Online video meetings**

If you have not yet booked an appointment, please do so using the SchoolCloud booking system:
<https://snaith.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Reception Parents:

Instead of traditional parent meetings at this stage of the year, Reception will be holding Stay and Learn Sessions.

Termly Support Plans:

Parents of children with Termly Support Plans will be contacted directly by teachers to arrange review appointments.

School Photographs

Braiswick Photography visited school on Thursday to take individual and sibling school photographs.

Please look out for your child's photograph proof, which will be sent home next week.

Celebrating 50 Years of Snaith Primary School

As part of our 50th anniversary celebrations, we are still keen to hear from anyone who attended the school in **1976**.

If you know former pupils from that year, please encourage them to get in touch and share their memories and stories with us.

Staff Car Park Reminder

For the safety of all pupils and families:

The staff car park is for staff use only and should not be used for dropping off or collecting children, including for Breakfast Club or After School Club.

Between 8:40am and 9:00am, the lay-by is designated as a drop-off zone only. Please avoid parking there to help reduce congestion and keep traffic moving safely.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sport

Cross Country Success

A huge congratulations to the 64 children who represented Snaith Primary School at the Cluster Cross Country event at The Snaith School on Tuesday evening.

It was fantastic to see such a brilliant turnout and a wonderful atmosphere throughout the event. All runners should be very proud of their efforts.

We are delighted to announce that Snaith Primary School won an impressive nine medals across the competitions.

Well done to everyone who took part!

Term Dates

The term dates have been added to our school website, these can be found under Useful Links below and also as an attachment to this email.

PTA News

School Art Competition – *Nature's Canvas*

The PTA is delighted to launch this year's school art competition:

Nature's Canvas

Entry Fee: £1 per entry (all proceeds support the PTA)

Important Dates:

- Entries to be brought into school during the week commencing **2nd November**
- Judging takes place on **Friday 6th November**

Please ensure that:

- Your child's name is clearly written on the reverse of the artwork.
- Their class teacher's name is included.
- Artwork meets the size requirements shown on the competition flyer.

Good luck to all our budding artists!

Bun Day Mondays – Year 2

Our popular PTA Bun Day Mondays continue!

On selected dates, families from particular year groups are invited to donate cakes or buns which are sold after school to raise funds for the PTA.

Important Information

- Homemade and shop-bought items are welcome.
- Please **do not send any items containing nuts or peas**.
- If baked goods are dairy-free, gluten-free, or suitable for other dietary requirements, please label them clearly.
- Containers you wish returned should be labelled with your child's name and class.
- Donations should be handed to your child's class teacher on the morning of your allocated day.

Upcoming Bun Day Dates

Monday 12th October – Year 2

Monday 19th October – Year 1

Monday 2nd November – Reception

A reminder will also be added to the school app before each event.

Dates for your Diary

Autumn Term	
14 Sept – 7 Dec	Monday Swimming Year 4
20 th /21 st October	Parent Evenings in person and video link
13 th November	Children in Need Day (non uniform) more info to follow.
16th November	National Child Measurement Programme Reception and Year 6
17 th November	Pantomime PM in school
8 th December	Nursery Christmas Production
10 th & 11 th December	Reception/Key Stage 1 Christmas Productions
14 th December	Nursery Xmas Stay & Play
16 th & 17 th December	Key Stage 2 Christmas Productions
15 th December	Christmas Dinner
18 th December	Jonathan Newman Assembly (non uniform)
18 th December	Break Up for Christmas Holidays
Spring Term	
5 th January	School reopens to children
29 January	Bag2 School Collection
5 th February	Break up for February half term
15 th February	School reopens to children
TBC	Parent Evenings (TBC)
25 th February	Young Voices Choir
2 March	School Class Photographs
18 March	Bag2School Collection
19 th March	Jonathan Newman Assembly (non uniform)
19 th March	Break up for Easter holidays
Summer Term	
5 th April	School reopens to children
30 th April	Inset Day School closed to children
10-13 th May	Year 6 SATs
28 May	Break up for May half term
7 June	School reopens to children
TBC	Sports Day to be confirmed
23-25 June	The Snaith School Y6 Transition Days
28-30 June	Year 6 Residential
9 July	Bag2School collection
23 rd July	Break up for the Summer holidays
Summer Term 2027	
7 th September	School reopens to children

USEFUL LINKS

School Uniform

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/page/?title=School+Uniform&pid=81>

Pre-Loved Uniform

As we all know, our children quickly grow out of their uniform. A reminder, our PTA also has very good quality second-hand uniform for sale. Please contact them on snaithpta@hotmail.com

Please can I also remind you to label your child's uniform, shoes and coats. We have many items around school without names!

School Meals – please see the menu

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=3237&type=pdf>

Staying Safe Online Newsletter

Please click on the link below to read this months newsletter

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=3242&type=pdf>

TERM DATES

Term Dates 2026-2027

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=3165&type=pdf>

Term Dates 2027-28

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=3248&type=pdf>

School Holidays

An Absence from School for Exceptional Circumstances Request Form, must be completed for all absences (not medical).

<https://www.snaithprimary.org.uk/page/?title=Attendance+%26amp%3B+Punctuality&pid=77>

Please can I remind parents that school is not able to authorise any holidays during term time. Therefore, it is important to consult these dates before making any booking. Penalty

Notice Fines are issued on a per parent per child basis for term time leave of 5 (10 sessions) or more consecutive days.

As school is in session during these times, if your child does not attend school due to an unauthorised absence, school will not provide work for this period of time as children are expected to attend school to undertake their learning.

Penalty Notice Fines are also considered, if a child has 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in 10 school weeks. If a child is collected mid-session for a term-time holiday, the whole session will be unauthorised.

We are committed to improving achievement through attendance, and any pupil whose attendance falls below 97% becomes a cause for concern. Attendance below 90% is classed by the Government as persistent absence. If a child's attendance falls below 90% we refer all cases to the Education Welfare Office at East Riding Council, who is likely to contact parents directly to give support and discuss the matter.

(Parent, in relation to a child or young person, includes any person who is not a parent of the child but who has parental responsibility for the child, or who has care of them).

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Thank You

Thank you for your continued support. We hope everyone enjoys a lovely weekend.

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