



CARLTON MINIOTT PRIMARY ACADEMY

Dates for your diary 2025/2026

- 28th September - After School Clubs start / Class 3 Cake Stall
- 1st October - Yrs 3/4 Hockey Tournament
- 8th October - SEND Drop-In @ 2.45pm / Yrs 5/6 Girls Football Tournament
- 12th October - Parent Consultation Evening 1of2 / Class 6 Cake Stall
- 14th October - Parent Consultation Evening 2of2
- 15th October - Yrs 5/6 Boys Football Tournament
- 22nd October - Year 3 School Trip / Year 1 last swim lesson / School closes for Half-Term
- 2nd November - School re-opens
- 5th November - Year 6 Swim Lessons commence / KS1 Fun Run
- 9th November - Class 2 Cake Stall
- 12th November - KS2 Cross Country
- 3rd December - SEND Drop-In @ 9am

A Fun-filled Week at Carlton Miniott Primary Academy

We have had a wonderful start to the new academic year at Carlton Miniott Primary Academy. It has been fantastic to see our children return to school with such enthusiasm, positivity and a real desire to learn.

There has already been a wide variety of exciting learning taking place across the school. Year 5 have enjoyed creating clay artwork, while it has been a joy to see Year 1 and Year 6 learning outside of the classroom and making use of our school timeline and world map to enrich their learning. These experiences bring learning to life and help our children make meaningful connections across the curriculum.

I have also been incredibly impressed by our new Reception children, who have started the year wonderfully well. They have settled quickly into school life and are already embracing our school value of Learning, showing curiosity, resilience and a willingness to try new things.

Thank you for your continued support. I look forward to sharing more of our pupils' successes and achievements with you throughout the year.

Mr Matthew Boyle

Class 2 Trip to Thirsk Racecourse

The Year 2 Trip to the Thirsk Racecourse was a huge success.

We spent our day touring the facilities at the racecourse and learning about all the work that goes on behind the scenes.

We got to see the jockey's changing room before the jockeys went in and even weighed ourselves on the official weighing scales. We also got to race down the track and experience what it is like to be a horse crossing the finish line.

We finished the day with an ice cream whilst we watched the horses walk around the parade ring as they prepared for the first race of the day.

Finally, we watched the first race and cheered for our favourites before getting on the bus and heading back to school.



it's
Learning
TIME!





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Class 1/2 Multiskills

Yesterday nine children from Classes 1 and 2 travelled to Thirsk Secondary School to take part in a multi-skills afternoon alongside other local schools.

The session focused on developing fundamental movement skills, including agility, balance and coordination, through a variety of fun and engaging activities.

The children were brilliant throughout the afternoon.

They tried new skills, worked well with others and, most importantly, thoroughly enjoyed themselves.





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Parking Around School

We would like to remind all parents and carers to park considerately and respectfully when dropping off and collecting children from school.

We have recently received concerns from local residents regarding vehicles being parked across driveways and preventing access to properties. We kindly ask that all members of our school community are mindful of where they park and ensure that residents can access and leave their homes safely at all times.

If parking close to the school is limited, parents and carers are welcome to use the car park at Carlton Miniott Park. We also have permission for parents and carers to use The Dog & Gun car park during school drop-off and collection times; however, this arrangement is limited to these times only, and we ask that the car park is used respectfully.

As a school, we are proud of the positive relationships we have with our neighbours and the wider community. By parking thoughtfully and showing consideration for others, we can continue to be respectful members of the community while helping to keep everyone safe at the busiest times of the school day.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Reception 2027 Open Days and Stay & Play Sessions

We are delighted to be welcoming prospective Reception children and their families to our school during the Autumn Term. We will be holding a series of Open Days/Tours, along with a Stay & Play session, for children due to start Reception in September 2027. These events provide a wonderful opportunity for families to explore our school, meet members of staff and experience our welcoming learning environment.

Please see the attached poster for full details and dates.

If you would like to book a place on one of our Open Days, please contact the school office. We would also be grateful if you could share these details and the attached poster with any family members, friends or neighbours who have a child due to start Reception in September 2027.

We look forward to welcoming new families to our school community.



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Cake Stalls

We hold Cake Stalls throughout the year so that Year Groups can raise funds to spend in their class. The first one of these is Monday, 28th September, for Class 3 to provide the cakes, please.

If Class 3 pupils can bring their cakes into school on Monday morning and they will be on sale every day, until they have all gone, for those children who wish to purchase one at a cost of 50p each.

The next cake stall is scheduled for Monday 12th October by Class 6.

Parents' Evenings

Parent Consultation Evenings are scheduled for Monday and Wednesday, 12th and 14th October.

This is an opportunity for you to meet with your child's new teacher and find out how they are settling in.

Appointments are available to book on the MCAS app.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school office if you experience any difficulty or have any queries.

Local Clubs and Activities

Please see below for details of local events you and your child may be interested in.

More information can be found on the school website:-
www.carltonminiottacademy.org



OPEN EVENTS 2026



CARLTON MINIOTT PRIMARY ACADEMY

PARENT TOURS

Wednesday 23rd September 1:30pm

Thursday 24th September 10am

Tuesday 29th September 1:30pm

Friday 2nd October 10am

STAY AND PLAY

Wednesday 7th October 6pm

Contact
us to
book!

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learners!



Growing
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citizens!

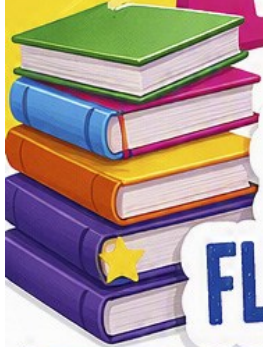


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Build **confidence**
when reading aloud



Develop a **love** of reading



Become **successful**,
independent readers

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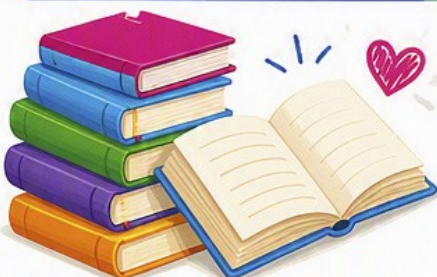


VOTING STARTS:

Monday 3rd
August 2026

VOTING ENDS:

End of
November 2026



TOGETHER

we can help children read
with **fluency**, **confidence**
and **enjoyment!**

**THANK YOU
for your
support!** 

★ **PLEASE VOTE FOR OUR KS2 READING & FLUENCY BOOK PROJECT!** ★



THIRSK RUFC

All
welcome!

FAMILY DAY

Rugby, Fun & Community



Junior teams
playing / training



Senior game
V Harrogate Pythons
(2:15 KO)



Bar



BBQ



Games



Raffle



Prizes

★ More to be announced soon ★
including amazing local independent businesses!



From 11:30am
SATURDAY 17TH OCTOBER



Thirsk RUFC,
Newsham Road





Running every weekend in October, then also every day from Thursday 22nd through until the 31st.

Tickets, are just from £2pp with tonnes of free activities included, available here:
[Tickets | Yorkshire Pumpkins](https://www.yorkshirepumpkins.com/tickets)

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