

LA weekly eRed Bag mailing Week beginning 16 October 2017

This email is an official communication to schools from the North Yorkshire Children and Young People's Service.

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For Action

Admission Arrangements Consultation 2019/2020

Audience: All Primary Schools, All Secondary Schools

Comments are invited upon the Proposed Admission Arrangements for 2019/2020. Please <u>visit the CYPS</u>

<u>Admissions Arrangements page</u> and see the documentation marked Admission Arrangements 2019/2020 Consultation

Admission Arrangements Consultation to run from 16th October 2017.

Can schools please ensure that a copy of the poster is displayed where parents and other interested parties may see it? There is also a <u>letter</u> on the CYPS page which explains the admission arrangements in more detail.

Cascade to:

All Primary and Secondary Heads
Primary and Secondary Admin Staff
Primary and Secondary Chair of
Governors

Action required: Consultation closes on 4 December 2017

<u>Display poster</u> and respond to the consultation documents

View documents on <u>CYPS</u> admissions website.

Contact: Nicola.Howells@northyorks.gov.uk

Information, updates and guidance

Strategic Plan for SEND provision in North Yorkshire – new November parent and carer engagement dates

Audience: all schools

As you will be aware the local authority is in the latter stages of reviewing provision for children and young people with SEND. A Strategic Plan for SEND provision and a capital plan will be published in March 2018.

There are some further parent and carer informal engagement meetings planned for November in relation to the SEND Strategic Plan. We would be grateful if colleagues could make parents aware of these dates as soon as possible – information can be found at the following links:

http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/strategic-plan-send-provision-north-yorkshire https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/send-specialist-support-and-provision

Cascade to:

Head teachers, SENCOs and Chair of Governors

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Chief Executive's key messages

Audience: all schools

The latest edition of the Chief Executive's key message for staff can be found at http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/chief-executives-key-messages

Cascade to:

All school staff

Contact: See messages for individual contact details

Events and publicity

Switch off fortnight. Runs between 20/11/17 and 03/12/17

Get your free energy-themed resource pack.

Audience: all schools

The ever popular energy saving campaign is back for its 9th year with plenty of new resources to help schools save energy, including free campaign packs and curriculum linked activities.

It's free to join and, you'll be able to download hundreds of free science teaching resources – including lesson plans, assemblies, games and films. Taking part could reduce your school's energy bills and help you achieve an Eco-Schools Award.

https://jointhepod.org/campaigns/switch-off-fortnight-2017

Cascade to:

All school staff

Contact: <u>Jane.Williams@edfenergy.com</u> or <u>Peter.Bell@northyorks.gov.uk</u>

Speech and Language Workshop

Audience: all Primary schools in Northallerton area

Speech and Language Workshop, 9.00am – 12 noon on Thursday 23rd November at Mill Hill Enhanced Primary School for Communication and Interaction.

This is a free workshop open to all Northallerton parents and carers of children in Reception, year 1 and year 2 run by staff from the communication and interaction team and a specialist speech and language therapist

Please ask parents to fill out the booking form and email completed forms to elise.logan@northyorks.gov.uk

Cascade to:

Parents who may find the session beneficial – please print out some copies or email the word document as an attachment.

Contact: Click here for more information or contact elise.logan@northyorks.gov.uk

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