

LA weekly eRed Bag mailing

Week beginning 13 November 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

Strategic Plan for educational provision for SEND in North Yorkshire – draft proposals and survey to provide feedback

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.

Draft proposals, which have been developed from feedback from across the county, are now available to view on our NYCC web page, alongside a survey to provide feedback on these between 13 and 27 November 2017. We would be grateful if you could raise the awareness of this with colleagues and parents/carers.

This is an opportunity to provide further feedback at this informal stage before we move to formal consultation in early 2018.

You will find this information at the following NYCC web page:

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/send-specialist-support-and-provision>

Cascade to:

Headteachers,
SENCOs and
Chair of
Governors

Action required:

Contact email: sarah.whorlton@northyorks.gov.uk 2020 Project Manager

Admission Arrangements Consultation 2019/2020 – URGENT REMINDER	
<p>Audience: All Primary Schools, All Secondary Schools</p> <p>Please could you provide comments on the Proposed Admission Arrangements Consultation for 2019/2020. It is important that you check the proposed Admission Number (PAN) for your school in Appendix 4 (Primary Schools) and Appendix 5 (Secondary Schools) and respond accordingly (even if you agree with the proposed PAN). Please visit the CYPS Admissions Arrangements page and see the documentation marked Admission Arrangements 2019/2020 Consultation Admission Arrangements Consultation to run from 16th October 2017.</p> <p>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 letter on the CYPS page which explains the admission arrangements in more detail.</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>All Primary and Secondary Heads Primary and Secondary Admin Staff Primary and Secondary Chair of Governors</p> <p>Action required: Consultation closes on 4 DECEMBER 2017</p> <p>Display poster and respond to the consultation documents</p> <p>View documents on CYPS admissions website.</p>
<p>Contact: Nicola.Howells@northyorks.gov.uk</p>	

School Child Protection Policy – updated	
<p>Audience: All Schools</p> <p>Please note that the School Child Protection Policy has been updated and is now available to download on the pages below.</p> <p>http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/child-protection-and-safeguarding-schools http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/child-protection-resources</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>Headteachers, Designated Safeguarding Leads and Chairs of Governors</p> <p>Action required: replace existing versions held in school. Changes are highlighted yellow in the document.</p>
<p>Contact: Haydn Rees-Jones (haydn.rees-jones@northyorks.gov.uk)</p>	

Information, updates and guidance

Chief Executive’s key messages	
<p>Audience: all schools</p> <p>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</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>All school staff</p>
<p>Contact: See messages for individual contact details</p>	

Important Information for Schools – Post Graduate Teaching Apprenticeship	
<p>Audience: all schools</p> <p>Click here to access important information on the Post-Graduate Teaching Apprenticeship, which is now available for applications for candidates starting their apprenticeship in 2018.</p> <p>Please note that only accredited initial training providers and School Direct lead schools that have successfully applied to the register of apprenticeship training providers can offer this Post Graduate Teaching Apprenticeship.</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>Headteachers, Bursars and Governors leading on apprenticeships</p> <p>Action required:</p> <p>Please note that further information on how to become an apprenticeship training provider is available at register of apprenticeship training providers</p>
<p>Contact: NYCC's Schools HR Advisory Team (e-schoolshradvisory@northyorks.gov.uk)</p>	

Friarage Hospital Engagement Events	
<p>Audience: all schools</p> <p>The NHS are currently engaging with the population of Hambleton and Richmondshire about some of our workforce challenges at the Friarage Hospital and this period of engagement runs until 20 December 2017. We've held four engagement events which, to date, have been well received but are keen to further promote our events with families. Please click here for more information.</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>All school staff</p>
<p>Contact: amanda.marksby@nhs.net www.southtees.nhs.uk/friarage</p>	

Health & Safety Notice – staff and student injured by faulty gate	
<p>Audience: all schools</p> <p>Please click here for advice and guidance about a recent incident with a gate on school premises and what to look out for in your school.</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>All school staff especially site team/ caretakers.</p>
<p>Contact: health&safety@northyorks.gov.uk or telephone 01609 53 2589</p>	

General Complaints Policy and Procedure Guidance for schools	
<p>Audience: all schools</p> <p>Please visit the CYPS Pages on Complaints about Schools for the most up to date advice and guidance.</p>	<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>Head Teachers, Chairs of Governors, Clerks to Governing Body and Governors.</p>
<p>Contact: Margaret.Burton@northyorks.gov.uk Governance Officer, Education and Skills (CYPS)</p>	

Events and publicity

JDP Annual Leadership Conference	
<p>Audience: all staff</p> <p>Friday 4th May 2018 – Pavilions Conference Centre – Harrogate. Exceedingly good value at £95 for 1st delegate, £75 for 2nd delegate. Maximum of two places per school. Please click here to book and for further information about the day and our wonderful key note speakers.</p> <p>You can also find details of the event located on the Schools Liaison Group (JDP Primary Heads) page of CYPS info here.</p>	<p>Cascade to: all staff</p>
<p>Contact: Mrs Caroline Davies, Goldsborough C of E Primary School, Main Street, Goldsborough, North Yorkshire HG5 8NJ - (01423) 862617</p>	

North Yorkshire Music Hub- Winter 2017 Newsletter.	
<p>Audience: all staff</p> <p>Please click here for the latest updates from the North Yorkshire Music Hub.</p>	<p>Cascade to: all staff</p>
<p>Contact: Susan.Marks@northyorks.gov.uk www.northyorkshiremusichub.co.uk</p>	

Debating Competition 2018 REMINDER - Please click here for more details.									
<p>Audience: Primary Schools</p> <p>The dates for the 2018 regional heats are:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>09 March 2018 – Hambleton,</td> <td>12 March 2018 – Selby,</td> </tr> <tr> <td>14 March 2018 - Scarborough</td> <td>16 March 2018 - Harrogate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>19 March 2018 - Craven</td> <td>20 March 2018 - Ryedale</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">23 March 2018 – Richmondshire</td> </tr> </table> <p>The County Final will be held at County Hall, Northallerton Friday 15 June and concludes with a buffet lunch and presentation ceremony.</p> <p>Those schools wishing to submit an entry for consideration should ensure that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They are able to field a team of six pupils who are currently in either Y5 or Y6. • The team has two children who will present the debate and four to ask questions (each speaker having two minutes followed by four minutes for questions from any of the schools present) • Are likely to be available on the relevant date above (i.e. your local District Council area) 	09 March 2018 – Hambleton,	12 March 2018 – Selby,	14 March 2018 - Scarborough	16 March 2018 - Harrogate	19 March 2018 - Craven	20 March 2018 - Ryedale	23 March 2018 – Richmondshire		<p>Cascade to:</p> <p>Head teachers and admin staff.</p> <p>The topic for this year's competition will be:</p> <p>Is social media a danger to children?</p> 
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<p>Contact: Leith.McRobert@northyorks.gov.uk or please click here for further information</p>									

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