



St Michael at Bowes CE Junior School

Newsletter

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School vision: 'Helping each other to live successful lives in the world of tomorrow'

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YEAR 5 GURDWARA VISIT

To consolidate Year 5 learning about the Sikh religion, they visited a Gurdwara this week. They were made to feel very welcome in the Sikh Temple and were given a thorough overview of life and beliefs of this religion. They were even given a free drink and a biscuit, as it is a Sikh tradition to feed visitors. The children were impeccably behaved and demonstrated their knowledge of Sikhism to our hosts, proving themselves a credit to our school.



Dates for your diary:

- Year 5 swimming—
Fridays
- Year 5 British
Museum—Tuesday
12th December
- 3S class assembly—
Thursday 14th Decem-
ber 9.05 a.m.
- St Michael at Bowes
Christmas Day—
Friday 15th Dec.
- Year 4 Nativity—
Wednesday 20th Decem-
ber at 10.30 a.m.
- End of term—
Wednesday 20th
December 1.30 pm
- INSET DAY—
Thursday 21st Decem-
ber—SCHOOL
CLOSED
- Children back to
school—Wednesday 3rd
January
- 4H class assembly—
Friday 19 January at
9.05 a.m.
- Maths week—Week
beginning 29th January
- Young voices at the
O2—Tuesday 6th Febru-
ary.

LATE PICK UP AFTER SCHOOL/CLUBS

The school's charging policy has been reviewed and updated by governors.

Firstly I would like to acknowledge and thank the vast majority of parents/carers who always collect their children on time.

The impact on a child not being picked up from school on time cannot be underestimated. They could feel an increasing level of anxiety and distress the longer that they are unsure of where their parents are. Clearly, I believe none of us would want this to happen. (Unforeseen circumstances with valid reasons and emergencies will be treated accordingly).

Starting from January 2018, in line with our charging policy, parents will be required to pay a fee for late pick ups. Parents will be charged £5 for being up to 15 minutes late and £5 for every 15 minutes or part thereof, thereafter.

YEAR 4 RECORDER PERFORMANCE

Year 4 performed to parents/carers on Thursday demonstrating their skills on the recorder. They entertained us for over twenty minutes with a combination of singing and playing. They were truly amazing as they have only been learning for eleven weeks!

PUNCTUALITY AND ATTENDANCE

60 won the punctuality trophy with no lates and **5L** won the attendance trophy with an amazing 100%. Well done!

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