Walkington Primary School
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W/C Monday 21st September 2026

Drop-off/Collection Pedestrian Route
Ooops! One thing we forgot to mention in our long list of new school year reminders....

Please could all adults and children **use the KS1 playground gate and not the school drive** for drop off and collection. This is particularly important as we are a school transport school, and for the taxi to arrive and leave at this point in the day we have to have a strict safe-travel plan that means no pedestrians are using the school drive at this time in the day. If you could share this request with all adults who help with the school run, we would be extremely grateful. Thank you.

Secondary School Open Events
Where applicable; please see the attached supplementary information sheets following last weeks inclusion. Thank you.

EYFS & New Start Pupils - Data Collection Sheets
Unfortunately, due to a system error last week, these documents have not been available to download. Therefore, data collection sheets will instead be coming home this week in your child's bag. Please check that all information is correct and return your document to the school office as soon as possible. Thank you.

East Riding of Yorkshire Council Family Help
Please be advised of a drop-in session to be held at the school on: Wednesday 7th October at 2pm

The following link will give information on the type of assistance on offer: Family help

Christmas Card Project - yes, it is that time again!
The Friends of School are once again offering to organise the production of Christmas cards with children's designs printed on them. If you wish to take part, your child/children will first of all need to produce a design on the template sheet, which will be coming home with children tonight.
Please note; designs must be produced on the template provided due to the unique number on each sheet.
Please do not use glitter, metallic paper or 3D objects as they will not be accepted. A clear design coloured in using felt tip pens or pencil crayon give the best results.
These designs will then be sent off and sample cards will be produced and sent back to you. It is worth noting that the design can also be printed on other things like mugs, bags, teddies, cushions, coasters, jigsaws and keyrings. Some great ideas for a personal Christmas present!
Finally, orders and payments will be taken and Christmas cards will be delivered back to parents/carers by the end of November. Could all children who wish to take part please send their designs back to school by **Friday 2nd October at 12 noon**. This is a strict deadline as designs will be posted out that night. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office. A limited number of spare templates are available at the school office. Thank you.

Parent Briefings

Each year group will be holding a parent briefing to share information about the curriculum for the year ahead. Exact dates will follow shortly.

Class JB – Forest School

Thank you to everyone who has sent in their contributions for the supplies for our Forest School. This is a gentle reminder to those who are yet to forward their donations in to the school office; payment can be either £21.00 for the full academic year or this amount split over the 3 terms (£7). Thank you.

KS2 Games Club

We are looking to set up a lunchtime games club for our KS2 pupils (similar to that ran by Mrs Palin for KS1). Therefore, if you have any unwanted, age appropriate (7+) board games/card games we would be most grateful of your donations. Thank you. Mrs Andrews

Friends of Walkington School (FoWS) Updates

Walkington Woof

The Walkington Woof is back next month with plenty of fun things for your four-legged friend.
As well as classes, like best child handler and coolest puppy, there will be lots of fun activities as well as refreshments and ice cream.
Join Friends of Walkington School from 10m at Walkington Playing Fields.
Entries on the day.

Halloween Activities – Dates for noting (full details to follow)

Halloween colouring competition: template coming home with the children on Friday 9th October.

Halloween bake sale: Thursday 22nd October.

Upcoming External Events

Please see the attached flyer(s) for further information.

Please remember to register your child's lunch choice for the forthcoming week (including packed lunch). Hot school meal offerings can be found at the following link:
School lunches | Walkington Primary School