

ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FACE ONLINE SUPPORT SESSIONS FOR PARENTS

Would you like some support with any of the issues mentioned?

FACE is here to help. We support parents with practical solutions to common challenges.

In a time of long waiting lists and over-stretched services, FACE offers accessible, realistic advice and guidance that you can use straight away.

What to expect

- Practical, easy-to-apply strategies
- Clear advice you can use at home
- Opportunities to ask questions and get tailored guidance

Session details

These online sessions are delivered via Zoom by Jane Keyworth,
Lead Facilitator at FACE.

 Time: 7:00pm – 8:30pm

 July 2026 Timetable All regular sessions delivered live online via zoom, 90 minutes long £24 each or FREE with School Membership Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk Recordings available for 48 hours	
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	6 July 10am
Anxiety Explained	6 July 7pm
Introduction to OCD	7 July 10am
What is ACT?	7 July 7pm
Decreasing Depression	13 July 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	13 July 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	14 July 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	14 July 7pm
FREE - Supporting Healthy Screen Use	16 July 7-8pm
Autism-Improving Communication	20 July 10am
Improving Family Communication	20 July 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	21 July 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	21 July 7pm
Understanding Anger	27 July 10am
School Anxiety	27 July 7pm
Facing Defiance	28 July 10am
Supporting Health Screen Use	28 July 7pm

Please see the email that has been emailed to you with the details on how to access the sessions for free.

CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS - MONDAY 6TH JULY

On Monday 6th July, children will have their class photographs taken in the morning.

Please make sure your child arrives at school on time so they do not miss out.

All children should come to school wearing full school uniform, including school shoes. Please note that trainers and PE kits should not be worn on this day.

Information about how to order photographs directly from JP Photography will be shared with families.

SUN SAFETY REMINDERS



Thank you for your support and co-operation last week during the heatwave.

I would especially like to thank our staff who went above and beyond to ensure the children were kept as safe and comfortable as possible in the heat.

We will continue to do all we can to keep children comfortable for the remainder of the term. Please can parents and carers continue to support our sun safety messages by ensuring children:

- Come to school with long-lasting Factor 50 sun cream applied each day
- Bring a sun hat and, if needed, sunglasses to help protect them from the sun
- Have a refillable water bottle in school every day so they can stay hydrated

Please also keep an eye on the weather forecast and ensure children are not wearing unnecessary layers, as this can increase the risk of overheating.

Thank you for your continued support.

STEP UP MORNING - THIS FRIDAY

This Friday, children will take part in our Step Up Morning.

During the morning, children will spend time in their new classroom with their new staffing team for the coming academic year.

Step Up Morning is an important opportunity for children to:

- Become familiar with their new classroom environment
- Meet and get to know their new teachers and support staff
- Begin building positive relationships for September
- Feel more confident and prepared for the move into their new year group



Children will also be working on their UNICEF Rights Respecting Schools Class Charters during the morning.

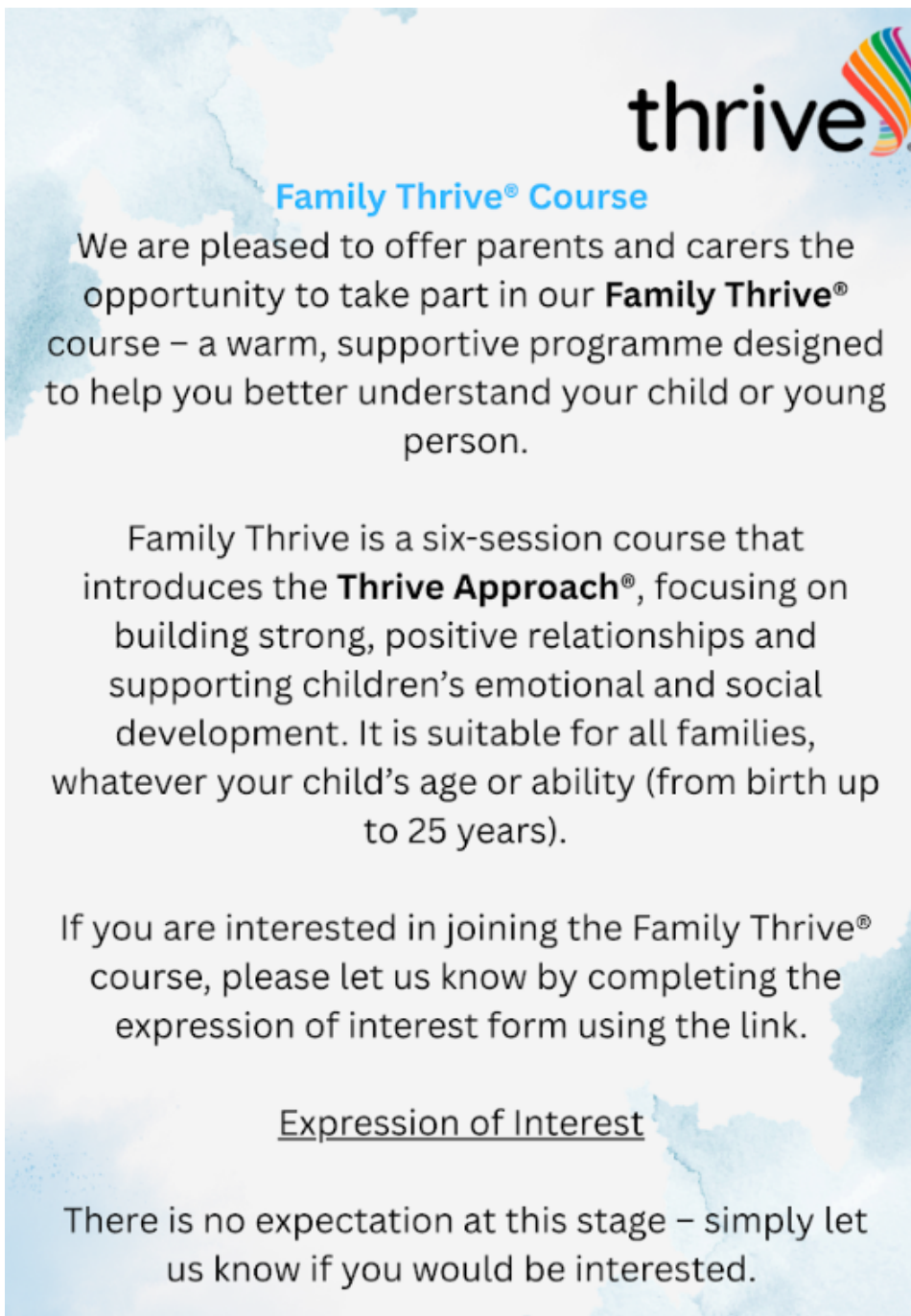
Please ensure your child arrives at school on time so they do not miss out on this valuable transition opportunity.

FINAL JUNIOR DUKE MEETING - THIS MORNING

Today is our final Junior Duke meeting of the year. Challenges will be signed off this morning by the Duke Leaders. Please note that any challenges submitted after 9:00am today will not be signed off.

Families of children who will be invited to the Graduation Ceremony will receive further details in the coming week. Children will be presented with their awards by Di Callaghan, our Junior Duke Ambassador.

THRIVE FAMILY COURSE - EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



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Family Thrive® Course

We are pleased to offer parents and carers the opportunity to take part in our **Family Thrive®** course – a warm, supportive programme designed to help you better understand your child or young person.

Family Thrive is a six-session course that introduces the **Thrive Approach®**, focusing on building strong, positive relationships and supporting children's emotional and social development. It is suitable for all families, whatever your child's age or ability (from birth up to 25 years).

If you are interested in joining the Family Thrive® course, please let us know by completing the expression of interest form using the link.

[Expression of Interest](#)

There is no expectation at this stage – simply let us know if you would be interested.

If you would be interested in joining the course, please complete the Expression of Interest form using the following link:
<https://forms.gle/Q29CAuz5GwcUE8XN9>

There is no commitment at this stage – we are simply asking families to let us know if they would be interested.

Please see the image for further information and use the link to express your interest.

UNIFORM COLLECTION REMINDER

Our next uniform collection will take place at 3:00pm on Wednesday.

Please ensure that all orders are placed by the end of Tuesday in order to receive your child's uniform for September at this Wednesday's collection. The final collection date this term will be Wednesday 15th July.

A reminder that all children must return to school in the new active uniform in September. Details of the required uniform items have already been shared as part of the consultation documentation.

Please note that any non-uniform items not included in the agreed uniform list will not be permitted. Thank you for your continued support and co-operation.

ROCK STEADY BAND CONCERT REMINDER

A reminder to all parents and carers of children who take part in Rock Steady Band lessons that our final concert of the year will take place on Wednesday 15th July at 2:00pm



We are looking forward to welcoming you into school to enjoy the children's performance and celebrate the progress they have made.

Please ensure children attend school this Wednesday and next Wednesday for their final music lessons before the concert.

Thank you for your support.

RESPECTFUL COMMUNICATIONS

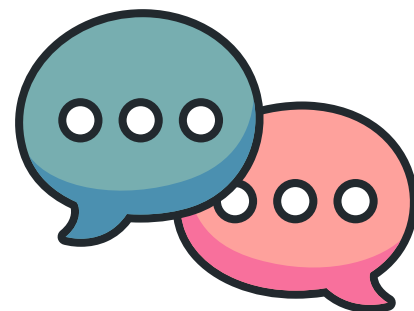
We are very appreciative of the vast majority of our school community who communicate with staff and governors in a respectful and supportive manner.

Positive relationships between home and school are essential and we value working in partnership with our families.

However, there have been a very small number of communications that have fallen below the standards we expect. Moving forwards, any communication that is not respectful will not be responded to until it is communicated appropriately.

Our staff work exceptionally hard for our children and families, and unacceptable conduct will not be tolerated. This includes communication that is:

- Abusive
- Threatening
- Harassing
- Sarcastic or deliberately disrespectful
- Vexatious
- Blackmailing or coercive in tone



This applies to all forms of communication, including emails, phone calls, messages and face-to-face conversations.

We remain committed to working positively with all families and thank you for supporting a mutually respectful partnership.

We are very excited for our Y6 London residential which will take place from Wednesday to Friday next week.



Further communication will be sent out later this week with important reminders, including what children will need to bring with them.

We are looking forward to a fantastic few days filled with exciting experiences and special memories for our Y6 children.

FOREST SCHOOL DATES – SLIGHT AMENDMENTS

Please note there has been a slight change to the upcoming Forest School dates. The updated dates are as follows:

- Thursday 2nd July – Nursery
- Thursday 9th July – Reception
- Friday 10th July – Year 1 and Year 2
- Thursday 16th July – Year 3 and Year 4



Please keep an eye on the weather forecast and ensure children are dressed appropriately for the conditions on their Forest School day.

This includes following our sun safety expectations, such as applying sun cream before school, bringing a sun hat and having a refillable water bottle in school.

ARBOR BALANCES

Please can parents and carers ensure that all balances on Arbor are up to date and settled before we break up for the summer.

This includes any outstanding balances for:

- School lunches
- Trips
- Residential visits

Thank you for your support and prompt attention to this.