

Our ref: KRo/JLa

20 January 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

### **FS2 visit to Yorkshire Sculpture Park**

On Tuesday 19 May 2026 we have planned to take Reception to Yorkshire Sculpture Park to celebrate the end of our topic 'Protect the Planet'. This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to engage with contemporary art and sculpture in a beautiful outdoor setting, following our learning about recycling and junk modelling. Children will have the chance to explore the park, learn about the sculptures and the artists who created them and create their own sculptures too. Our workshop will be led by an artist in the 'Hidden Forest', an enclosed outdoor learning site, developing skills of confidence, collaboration and problem solving.

Children should arrive at school as normal at 8:35am. We should arrive back to school around 3pm depending on traffic.

Children should not wear school uniform on this day. Please ensure children have appropriate clothing to take part in outdoor activities. Warm, waterproof clothes and sturdy footwear (not wellies) is recommended. We will confirm clothing requirements closer to the day depending on the weather conditions.

All children in Reception are entitled to a free school packed lunch, or they can bring a packed lunch from home. If you would like a school packed lunch, please complete the form [here](#).

The cost of the experience is £23 per pupil. This payment contributes towards the cost of the workshop and should be made via ParentPay by 10 May 2026. If you experience any difficulties accessing your ParentPay account, please contact the school office and a member of staff will be happy to assist you. If you are facing financial hardship and are unable to make the payment, please speak with the school office to discuss possible payment plan options.

We believe children learn best through first-hand experiences. School visits and enrichment opportunities play a valuable role in supporting children's development, and events like this can only take place with parental contributions. While contributions are voluntary, the workshop will not be able to go ahead if insufficient funds are received. We hope you will be able to support us in providing broad and enriching educational experiences for our pupils.

Photographs of the children taking part in this event may be shared on our school website and Facebook page.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Johnson  
**Nursery Class Teacher**