



Armley Park Primary School

7 November 2025

Dear parents and carers,

It has been a really positive start to the new half-term.

Staffing updates:

Before half-term, Mrs Lindley left the office team to take up a new employment. Mrs Smith has started with us this week so you will see a new face in the office or hear a new voice on the phone when you call.

Miss Wright is expecting a baby so will be starting maternity leave in December. We have appointed a new teacher to work in Year 6 alongside Mr Kinnes for the rest of the school year.

Lunch menus:

The school kitchen changes the menus twice a year. The menu has changed this week and some of the children are finding it hard to know what they like and are sometimes choosing food they won't eat. As the kitchen make the right number of lunches for everyone who orders each choice, we are not always able to offer an alternative if the child is unhappy about their food. If you know your child doesn't like to eat certain food, please spend some time looking at the menus on the school website and helping them to choose food they will eat. If you would like a paper copy of the menus, please contact the office who can provide these.

Lunch menus on the website - <https://www.armley-pri.leeds.sch.uk/page/?title=Lunch+Menus&pid=71>

Packed lunches:

If your child brings a packed lunch to school, we expect to see some healthy and nutritious food. It is great to see fruit in lunchboxes but if you are sending grapes, please cut these in half as they are a choking hazard.

Please do not send any food which contains nuts due to some children having allergies. This includes many chocolate spreads as they often contain hazelnuts. Please check the ingredients label carefully to prevent any children becoming unwell.

Parents Evening:

You will have the chance to meet with your child's class teacher on **Tuesday 18th November**. We will share information next week about how to book your appointments. Please do try and come to these meetings as they give you a chance to find out about their learning and what their next steps are.

After School Clubs:

If your child attended a club before half-term, that does not mean they are automatically given a place this term. If you have not done so already, please login to Arbor and select the clubs you would like your child to attend.

Today is the last day to buy any of the Poppy Appeal merchandise as it is Remembrance Sunday this weekend. Thank you for your support, the money will be donated to the Royal British Legion who support people who need support following their time in the military.

Thank you for your support as always.



Emily Caine
Headteacher

