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Dear Parent/Carer,

The year 6 children have now completed their SATS! They have worked incredibly hard—well done children! The children in **year 6** will now finish other areas of the curriculum to ensure they are fully prepared for moving to secondary school. In addition, they have the residential, sports day, the mystery trip and the leavers' assembly all to look forward to! Many thanks to Mrs Richards, a year 6 parent, for organising the year 6 leavers' hoodies, which the children are now proudly wearing.

Art competition success! We are pleased to share the news that we have had great success in this year's Otley Carnival Poster Competition! Daisy from class 3 was the overall winner and her artwork will be published on the front cover of the carnival programme. Florence from class 4 won her age group and her artwork will be on the back of the programme along with Ella class 4, Elena class 4 and Joey class 1, whose art work also impressed the judges.

Next week is 'Arts Week'! Children in all classes will be taking part in a range of exciting art workshops to explore cultural diversity. They will be working with a range of media to create 2D and 3D pieces. Photographs of the completed art work will be put on the website and will be on show at the art exhibitions on 22nd June (KS2) and 29th June (Early Years and KS1).

As previously advertised, on Thursday 9th June, we will be having a celebration day for the **Queen's Platinum Jubilee**. As part of the day, we will be having a special lunch. See attached for details. If your child does not usually have a school lunch on Thursdays but would like to join in, then please email askwith@ycatschools.co.uk

With the weather forecast next week due to be sunny, please can children in nursery, reception, years 1 and 2 bring in a named bottle of **sun cream** to school which will be kept in school until the end of term. These children will be helped to top up their sun cream on sunny days. In addition, all children need a **named water bottle**. **Sun hats** also recommended for sunny days. Children in years 3,4,5 and 6 can also bring in sun cream to apply themselves at break times when sunny. Any sandal type shoes must fasten, strictly no flip flops please.

We have a limited number of places remaining in the **nursery for next year**. If you have any friends or family with a child who will be 3 before September, and may be interested in a place, please ask them to get in touch with Mrs Bentley via phone or email.

See attached the next in our series of **keeping safe on line leaflets**: 'Setting up new devices'.

Yours faithfully, Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher