

# York's Holiday Activities and Food Programme Christmas 2022

## What is HAF?

The Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF) is holiday provision for school-aged children from reception to year 11 who receive benefits-related free school meals. These holiday activities are available during the Easter, summer, and Christmas school holidays and include a nutritious meal along with a variety of enriching activities.



Lunch and arts-and-crafts at Foxwood  
Community Centre during our summer  
2022 HAF session

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## Activities for the whole family

*\*Parent/guardian must be in attendance\**

### Explore York Libraries

- Craft activities for primary school aged children, with voucher for child to eat free at the café and a food and activity hamper to take home
- Available at the following locations: **Acomb Explore** (Fri, Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 10am-12pm), **York Explore** (Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 2:30pm-4:30pm) and **Tang Hall Explore** (Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 11am-1pm)
- To book, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

### York Travellers Trust Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1pm-3:30pm

20 Falsgrave Crescent, Clifton, YO30 7AZ

- Santa's grotto, crafts and activities, with a hot meal and food and activity hampers to take home
- No need to book – all are welcome!
- For more information, contact [Abigail@ytt.org.uk](mailto:Abigail@ytt.org.uk) or on 07497 188155

### Marjorie Waite Court Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 2pm-4pm

Evelyn Crescent, Clifton, YO30 6DX

- Hosting Noise Academy (DJ and music-making workshop) and Dandelion Arts (arts and crafts)
- Includes a child's voucher for the café and the opportunity to pick up microwavable meals and more from Choose 2 Café to take home
- No need to book – all are welcome!
- For more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

### St James the Deacon Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 3:30pm-5pm

2 Sherringham Dr, Woodthorpe, YO24 2SE

- DJ and music-making workshops from Noise Academy, arts and crafts with Dandelion Arts, and a circus workshop from Circus Stu
- Light refreshments with food and activity hampers to take home
- No need to book – all are welcome!
- For more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

### Gateway Church Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Weds Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 10am-2pm

Front St, Acomb, YO24 3BZ

- Hot meal with arts-and-crafts activities, with a hamper to take home
- No need to book! For more info, contact [sarah@gatewaychurch.co.uk](mailto:sarah@gatewaychurch.co.uk)

Find all of this information, updates, and more at [www.yor-ok.org.uk/haf](http://www.yor-ok.org.uk/haf)

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**St Oswald's Church** Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 2pm-4pm

Main Street, Fulford, YO10 4HJ

- Arts and crafts, circus skills, and more!
- Light refreshments with a food and activity hamper to take home
- No need to book – all ages are welcome!
- For more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

**St. Nick's** Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> & Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 10am-12:30pm

Rawdon Avenue, YO10 3FW

- Morning session is for primary school aged children
- Outdoor activities, including den-building, fire-lighting, making winter crafts, and more! A hot meal will be made over the campfire.
- Book your place by emailing [info@stnicks.org.uk](mailto:info@stnicks.org.uk)

**New Earswick Folk Hall** Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 10am-12pm

Hawthorne Terrace, New Earswick, YO32 4AQ

- Arts and crafts, DJ workshops with Noise Academy, and more!
- Child's voucher for the café and a food and activity hamper to take home
- All ages welcome
- No need to book! If you need more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719613

**St Clement's Church** Fri, Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 10am-12pm

15A Scarcroft Road, YO23 1NE

- Arts and crafts session with light refreshments and a food and activity hamper to take home
- No need to book! If you need more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719613

**Spearehead Hall** Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 10am-12pm

Church Lane, Strensall, YO32 5XU

- Primary school aged children
- Arts and crafts session with light refreshments and a food and activity hamper to take home
- No need to book! If you need more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719613

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**Foxwood Community Centre** Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 2pm-4:30pm

Cranfield Place, YO24 3HY

- Arts-and-crafts, family cooking classes, and a DJ workshop with a food and activity hamper to take home
- No need to book! For more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

**Sanderson House** Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 10am-12pm

Branham Road, YO26 5AR

- Digital PSCO and arts-and-crafts
- Light refreshments with a food and activity hamper to take home
- No need to book! For more info, contact [Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk](mailto:Shelby.Graham@york.gov.uk) or on 07759 719631

**Haxby Memorial Hall** Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 11am-1:30pm

16 The Village, YO32 3HT

- Christmas activities for primary school aged children and their families, including a hot meal and a food hamper to take home
- Book a place via email at [foodshare@haxbymemorial.co.uk](mailto:foodshare@haxbymemorial.co.uk)

**Door 84** Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 11am-2pm

84 Lowther Street, YO31 7LX

- No need to book – bring your whole family!
- Christmas activities, with a hot meal and food/activity hampers to take home
- Contact [info@door84.org.uk](mailto:info@door84.org.uk) for more information

**Choose 2 Café**

Pack-up activity boxes, microwavable meals, and kid's food items can be picked up from the following locations:

**Hull Road Park**

- Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9:30am-3:30pm

**Majorie Waite Court**

- Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> from 8am-4pm
- Wednesday, December 28<sup>th</sup> to Friday, December 30<sup>th</sup> from 8am-4pm

## Activities for children only

**Clifton Green Primary School** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Water Lane, YO30 6JA

- Christmas-themed craft and drama activities, sports and games, and cooking sessions for primary school aged children
- Hot meals served daily
- SEND support
- For booking and more info, contact [j.smith@cliftongreenprimary.co.uk](mailto:j.smith@cliftongreenprimary.co.uk)

**Funfishers Out-of-School Club** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Fri, Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 8am-6pm  
21 Escrick St, YO10 4AW

- Ages 5-11
- Christmas party, wreath making, forest school activities, and more!
- Breakfast, hot lunch, and afternoon snack
- To book, contact [funfishers@aol.com](mailto:funfishers@aol.com) or call 01914 677870

**York City Football Club** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 10am-3pm

- Boys and girls aged 5-13
- Available at both **Fulford Secondary School** (Fulfordgate, YO10 4FY) and **Huntington Secondary School** (Huntington Road, YO32 9WT)
- Water, snacks, and packed lunch to be provided
- How to book: enter code XMAS22 at [https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/yorkcity/York-city-courses/multi\\_activity.html](https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/yorkcity/York-city-courses/multi_activity.html)

**York Theatre Royal** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 10am-3:30pm OR Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 11:30am-5pm

St Leonard's Place, YO1 7HD

- Ages 8-13
- Drama workshop, a hot meal, and seeing a pantomime!
- Find the QR code to sign up at [www.yor-ok.org.uk/young-people/haf](http://www.yor-ok.org.uk/young-people/haf) or email [lydia.Crosland@yorktheatreroyal.co.uk](mailto:lydia.Crosland@yorktheatreroyal.co.uk)

**Door 84** Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm-7:30pm

84 Lowther Street, YO31 7LX

- Disco and party for ages 11-16
- Hot meal and food and activity hamper to take home
- To book or for more info, contact [info@door84.org.uk](mailto:info@door84.org.uk)

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**St Nicks** Tues, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> & Weds, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 12:30pm-3pm

Rawdon Avenue, YO10 3FW

- Ages 10-14 – parent/guardian not required to attend
- Den building, fire lighting, and other nature-based activities with a hot meal cooked over the campfire
- To book, contact [info@stnicks.org.uk](mailto:info@stnicks.org.uk)

**Endorphins** Wed, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> and Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 10am-2pm

Door 84, 84 Lowther Street, YO31 7LX

- Lunch provided with a wide range of activities for ages 8-13
- Book by contacting [bookings@endorphins.uk](mailto:bookings@endorphins.uk) or 03301 332642

**New Visuality** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 9am-3pm

English Martyrs Church, Dalton Terrace, YO24 4DA

- A creative camp for ages 5-16 centred around art, healthy eating, exercise, and more!
- Packed lunch provided
- To book, contact [greg@accordingtomcgee.com](mailto:greg@accordingtomcgee.com) or call/text 07973 653702

**Healthy Me** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 8:30am-4pm

Osbalwick Primary Academy, Osbalwick Lane, YO10 3AX

- Sports, cooking classes, mental health, drama, and more, for primary school aged children
- Meal provided
- For booking, contact [ross@healthymeuk.com](mailto:ross@healthymeuk.com) or on 07394 110082

**Mini Athletics** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Weds Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 8:30am-12:30pm

Manor Church of England, Millfield Lane, Nether Poppleton, YO26 6PA

- For children aged 5 to 7 and includes breakfast, lunch, and snack along with a range of sports
- Book at [www.miniathletics.com](http://www.miniathletics.com) or by emailing [rwilson@miniathletics.com](mailto:rwilson@miniathletics.com)

**Total Sports** Mon, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> to Thurs, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 8am-4pm

Poppleton Ousebank Primary School, Main Street, Upper Poppleton, YO26 6JT

- Primary school aged children
- High energy field sports and games (inflatables, archery, and more!)
- Hot lunch and snacks included
- To book, contact [v.mitchinson@pop.hslt.academy](mailto:v.mitchinson@pop.hslt.academy) or on 01904 795930

## Kids Eat Free - Christmas 2022

Some restaurants and cafes have extended their kids eat free schemes from summer to include the Christmas holidays. See below details of how to make the most of these offers.

### **Dobbies**

Kids eat free with an adult traditional breakfast or main course. Includes kids breakfasts, lunch menu or pick 'n' mix meal, plus a drink. Now available all day every day

### **Hungry Horse (Flying Legends, York)**

Mondays only - If you go into your local Hungry Horse pub on a Monday, kids can eat from £1 when an adult purchases a main meal (normally £7.29-£8.49).

There's no code or voucher needed, the discount is applied automatically. There's no end date for this deal – it's currently an ongoing offer

### **Sizzling Pubs (The Black Bull, York)**

Mon-Fri 3pm-7pm If you head to your local Sizzling Pub and purchase a main meal (usually between £6-12), you can get a kids' meal for £1 when ordered at the same time. There's no code or voucher needed, the discount will be applied automatically.

### **Asda Cafes**

Kids eat for £1 all day every day with no adult spend required until the end of the year.

### **Morrisons**

Kids eat free all day every day in Morrison's cafes nationwide, with the purchase of every adult meal over £4.99.

### **Bella Italia**

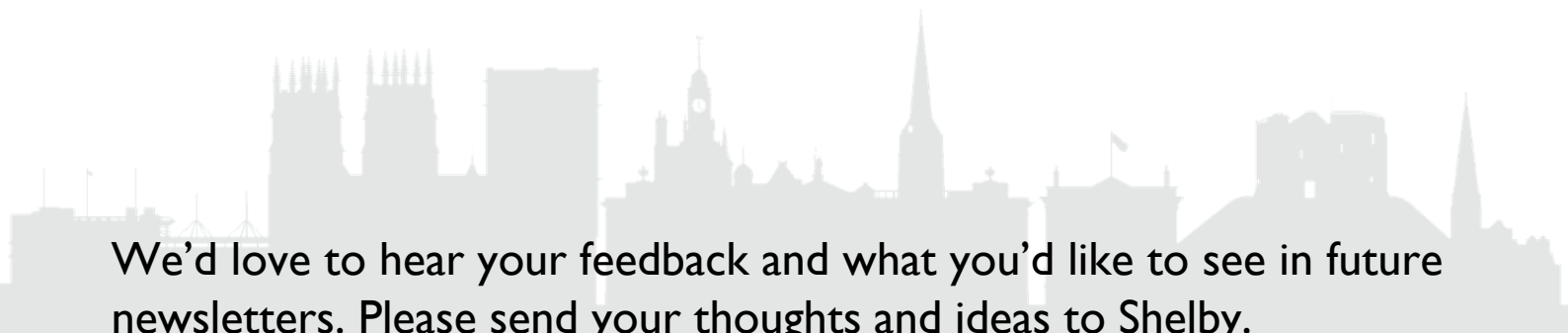
If you dine in at Bella Italia, little ones can eat for £1 when an adult main is purchased from the 'A La Carte' menu. This offer is available Monday to Thursday between 4pm-6pm.

### **Dunelm**

If you're visiting a Dunelm and fancy a bite to eat, head to its in-store café, Pausa, and kids can eat for 'free' when an adult spends £4.

### **The Millfield Beafeater**

up to two kids can eat breakfast for free when an adult orders a Premier Inn Breakfast



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