

October 2023

Dear Parents/ Carers,

#HelloYellow Tuesday 10th October 2023

On Tuesday, October 10, 2023, Outwood Academy Ripon is excited to take part in #HelloYellow as a meaningful contribution to World Mental Health Day. #HelloYellow, initiated by the children's mental health charity YoungMinds, aims to bolster the well-being of young individuals. For more detailed information, kindly visit [here](#) for more information.

On this day, students are encouraged to incorporate a touch of yellow in addition to their regular school uniforms, as specified in their student planners. This could involve accessories like yellow socks, hair bands, and scarves. Alternatively, students have the option to wear a yellow tie in lieu of the standard school tie, a yellow hoodie or a t-shirt. However, it's important to note that a yellow T-shirt or hoodie cannot substitute any part of the complete school uniform. Additionally, students are requested not to alter their hair colour for this occasion.

In conjunction with the vibrant attire, donation buckets will be stationed at the school gates. While contributing to the #HelloYellow campaign is not mandatory for participating in the yellow-themed day, any donations made are sincerely appreciated. Your generosity will make a positive impact on supporting mental health initiatives for YoungMinds.

Yours Faithfully,



Toby Richards