



School Newsletter

Attendance this week

Full School

95.90%

EYFS/KS1

RLS

98.78%

KS2

4TH

99.47%

A Message from Miss Pitts

What a fantastic week in school! It has been lovely to welcome all the pupils back after the Easter holidays.

I have been showing visitors around school this week and I have been extremely proud of all the pupils who have impressed with their attitudes to learning and politeness towards other pupils and adults.

Don't forget that we have our Griffin Tots group for children 3 and under. This takes place every Thursday morning between 9 and 10am in the school hall. No need to book a place - just turn up!

Well done to our netball team who earned a comprehensive win against Wansbeck this week - a great team effort and result!

There are two bank holidays coming up when school will be closed—Monday 1st May and Monday 8th May 2023.

Miss Pitts, Head of School

Contact Us

Call 01482 794122

Select **option 1** to report absences.

Select **option 2** to speak to a member of staff.

Email:

Important Information

School doors open at 8.40am.

School ends at 3.30pm, except on a Thursday when it ends at 1.50pm.

Gates open at 8.30am and 3.10pm daily.

Gates close at 8.55am daily.

On Thursday, gates open at 1.25pm.

School Doors

- Red Door - Reception
- Green Door - Year 1/2
- Yellow Door - Year 3 and 4TW
- White Door - 4TH

After School

Clubs

These are the after-school clubs which will be running this Summer Term.

Monday

Year 2, 3 and 4 Boys Football

Year 2, 3, 4 and 5 Lego

Year 5 and 6 Rugby

Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 Performing Arts

Year 4, 5 and 6 Reading

Tuesday

Year 2, 3 and 4 Girls Football

Year 4 and 5 Arts and Crafts

Wednesday

Year 2, 3 and 4 Judo

Year 5 and 6 Football

Thursday

Year 5 and 6 Netball (1.45pm until 2.30pm)

The clubs take place from 3.30 until 4.30pm.

If your child would like a place at one of the clubs, please contact the school office on 794122.

PE Days

Please see below PE days for the Summer Term:

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
4TH	RCM	RLS	2KR	1BC
4TW	2ZC	3SS		1LH
6AD	6BA	3NK		5DG
6ZM	5DC			

PE kit

On the day that your child has PE, they may come in PE kit, including suitable footwear to take part in PE lessons. Please can you ensure that pupils wear appropriate length shorts or tracksuit bottoms in black, grey or navy blue; and full-length (not cropped) t-shirts with sleeves in white, black or navy.

Reading Corner

Our first book swap of summer will be Thursday 4th May from 1:15pm. Thank you for all of your kind donations to help replenish our free library.

Please remember to continue bringing book bags back on Fridays - children receive TEAM points for this and their books can then be swapped.

Keep an eye out for information on this year's Big Malarkey Literature Festival at East Park on 24th and 25th June. It promises to be a lot of fun! We are hoping to take some year groups to the event in June - more information on this to follow.

Delivery and Collection of pupils policy

We have recently updated our policy regarding the delivery and collection of pupils from school.

This policy is attached to the Parentmail with this newsletter. In particular, please be aware that any pupils 5 or under must be collected by an adult and for this purpose an adult is defined as someone over the age of 16.

For pupils in Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 our preference is that pupils are collected by an adult (over 16), however on occasions we understand that this may not be possible. On these occasions the person collecting must be over 13, and a parent must have informed the school office who they are authorising to collect on their behalf.

Thank you for your support in this to help us to safeguard all of our pupils.