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AUTUMN TERM 1 2024 DIARY DATES

Monday 9th September: Nursery opens Friday 20th September: Y3 Pedestrian Training (Group 1) Tuesday 24th September: 3.20pm Peat Rigg Parents Meeting Friday 27th September: Y3 Pedestrian Training (Group 2)

Monday 7th October – Friday 18th October: KS2/Y4 Swimming sessions (Gp 1)

Tuesday 22nd October: Parent Consultations Wednesday 23rd October: Parent Consultations

Wednesday 23rd October – Friday 25th October: Year 6 Peat Rigg Residential Friday 25th October: H TEMPEST Individual/family school photographs Friday 25th October: SCHOOL CLOSES for half term

Monday 4th November: SCHOOL OPENS Monday 4th November – Friday 15th November: KS2/Y4 Swimming sessions (Gp 2)

Thursday 19th December: SCHOOL CLOSES
Friday 20th December: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

06.09.24

CONTACT NUMBERS

Please could you notify the school office if any of your contact details have changed - address, landline number, mobile phone number etc.

Thank you!

NURSERY OPENING: SEPTEMBER

The Nursery opens on Monday 9th September AM SESSION START 8.30am – 11.30am FINISH. PM SESSION START 12.15pm – 3.15pm FINISH



Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to welcome you all back. It has been so lovely to see everyone, ready to start the new school year. Our Year 1-Year 6 pupils started on Tuesday 3rd September and our Reception children have had a staggered start this week. All children have enjoyed spending time in school with their friends. The children will be shattered, we have had a busy week.

MEDICAL CHECKS

We will be checking our medical records during the initial weeks to ensure all the children who require medication have the necessary 'in-date' medication available in school eg inhalers/ creams / epi-pens etc. If your child is asthmatic and requires an inhaler – we require an additional inhaler in school at all times. Prescribed inhalers are to be available and taken on all Sports events and visits. If your child requires medication, school can support with antibiotics and other medication if GP prescribes / required four times daily.

2024 PRIMARY RESULTS	2023-2024	National	School
As always, our staff work hard to support the children with their learning in	KS1 Phonics	-	84%
preparation for the next steps in education.	KS2 Reading	74%	79%
We are so proud of our pupils and our staff for their hard work to achieve the	KS2 Writing	72%	77%
fantastic results this year. We would also like to Thank you for your support. Congratulationsvery well done to you all!	KS2 Maths	73%	83%
	Combined R, W, Maths	61%	64%

PACKED LUNCHES If your child is bringing a packed lunch. Please ensure there are **NO NUTS**, as **we are a NUT-FREE school**, no sweets/chocolate bars and please provide a still drink, no fizzy drinks. Thank you!

<u>DINNER MONEY:</u> For those families Y3 – Y6 who have paid school meals. The costs are £2.40 per day/ £12 per week to be paid weekly on Mondays via the School gateway app. If you wish to change your child's meal type eg to a packed lunch - school requires at least a weeks notice. Thank you!

IMPORTANT DATES 2024-25

2024- 2025 NATIONAL ASSESSMENT DATES

Reception Baseline: September/October 2024 KS1 YEAR 2 Optional Statutory Assessments: May 2025

KS2 YEAR 6 Statutory Assessments: Monday 12th May – Friday 16th May 2025 YEAR 4 Multiplication check: Between Monday 2nd - Friday 13th June 2025

KS1 YEAR 1 Phonics Assessment: 9th – 13th June 2025

YEAR 6 PUPILS

If you would like your Year 6 child to walk home alone at the end of the day - we require written permission. Once school has received written permission – your child will be allowed to walk home alone.

We do expect our Year 6 pupils to conduct themselves responsibly as they walk home. If any concerns are raised about your child, you may be requested/required to collect your child.

UNIFORM SEPTEMBER 2024-25

From September 2024 all pupils will be expected to wear school uniform -

Red jumper/cardigan, grey or black trousers/skirt, white polo/white shirt, black shoes

From September 2024 pupils will be expected to wear school PE uniform -

Indoor PE: white t-shirt, black shorts, plimsolls/trainers, plain joggers (no branding), school jumper for outdoors.

Uniform also incorporates the wearing of small ear studs only. Please remove for PE.

We welcome sensible haircuts...no shaved designs/patterns. Longer hair is to be tied back, where possible, and there should be no hair colouring(s) or dip dyes. Make-up is not permitted!

If you have an issue with your child's uniform – please make staff aware. However, if staff identify an issue with your child's uniform, you may receive a call from school.

PE SEPTEMBER 2025

Children are to attend school in their PE clothing on their PE day – rather than a Hoodie we request that children wear a **red school jumper**. PE days are as follows:

PE TIMETABLE: Autumn Term 2025			
	Indoor	Outdoor	
	(white t-shirt, black shorts, plimsolls/trainers)	(white t-shirt, black shorts, plimsolls/trainers plain joggers / red school sweatshirt	
M	Year 5 (2DJ / 2HS)	Year 3 (2NS/2BH) Cricket - am Year 6 (2BV/ 2KT)	
Т	Year 2 (1MG/1AC)		
W	Nursery/ Reception Year 3/4 (2NS/2BH/2CR)	Year 1 (1TS)	
Th	Year 6 (2BV/ 2KT)	Year 5 (2DJ / 2HS)	
F	Nursery (pm) Year 1 (1TS)	Year 2 (1MG/1AC)	
Y4 (2BH/CR)	Y4 (2BH/CR) Swimming Dates: Gp 1 : 07.10.24 – 16.10.24 (11.00am -11.45am) Gp 2 : 04.11.24 – 15.11.24 (11.00am -11.45am)		

We hope you have a lovely weekend! Regards

B Hewitt-Best