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### **AUTUMN TERM 1 2025 DIARY DATES**

Tuesday 23rd September: 3.20pm Peat Rigg Parents Meeting  
 Tuesday 23rd September: FLU vaccinations – Public Health in school  
 Thursday 25th September: Y3 Pedestrian Training  
 Thursday 2nd October: 3.30pm Year 7 Welcome back (ex-pupil drop in)  
 Monday 6th October – Friday 17th October: Y4 Swimming sessions (Gp 1)  
 Monday 13th October: Y5/6 Tag Rugby (Boys)  
 Tuesday 14th October: Y5/6 Tag Rugby (Girls)  
 Tuesday 21st October: Parent Consultations  
 Wednesday 22nd October: Parent Consultations  
 Wednesday 22nd October – Friday 24th October: Year 6 Peat Rigg Residential  
 Friday 24th October: H TEMPEST Individual/family school photographs  
 Friday 24th October: SCHOOL CLOSURES for half term  
 Monday 2nd November: SCHOOL OPENS  
 Monday 17th November – Friday 28th November: Y4 Swimming sessions (Gp 2)  
 Thursday 18th December: **SCHOOL CLOSURE**  
**Friday 19th December: SCHOOL CLOSED: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY**

### **CONTACT NUMBERS**

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

### **NURSERY OPENING**

**AM SESSION START 8.30am – 11.30am FINISH.**  
**PM SESSION START 12.15pm – 3.15pm FINISH**  
**\*\*PLEASE PARK CONSIDERATELY AND RESPONSIBLY – RESPECTING OUR LOCAL RESIDENTS: THANK YOU!**

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely to welcome our Nursery pupils back this week. Many of our children have settled well into the routines of school and appear to be enjoying being back. Next week our sporting events start with a couple of Football competitions for our older children in Y5/6. Parental consent must be provided to enable pupils to participate in 'out-of-school' sporting activities.

### **\*\*FLU VACCINATION LETTERS**

The Public Health Immunisation team will be in school on Tuesday 23rd September. The nasal flu vaccination will not be provided without consent and there is an 'opt out' option available. **Please could all forms be returned to the school office by today, Friday 12th September.** There are a small number of spare forms, available in the school office. Thank you

### **MEDICAL CHECKS**

We are checking our medical records 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. **We would like to remind you that we are a NUT FREE school, due to many pupils with specific allergies.**

<b>2025 PRIMARY RESULTS</b>	<b>2024-2025</b>	<b>National</b>	<b>School</b>
As always, our staff work hard to support the children with their learning in preparation for the next steps in education. We are so proud of our pupils and our staff for their hard work to achieve our fantastic results this year. We would also like to Thank you for your support.	KS1 Phonics	-	<b>84%</b>
	KS2 Reading	<b>75%</b>	<b>86%</b>
	KS2 Writing	<b>72%</b>	<b>80%</b>
	KS2 Maths	<b>74%</b>	<b>91%</b>
	Combined R, W, Maths	<b>62%</b>	<b>75%</b>

**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!

**DINNER MONEY:** 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 2025-26: NATIONAL ASSESSMENTS**

Reception Baseline: September 2025  
 KS1 YEAR 2 Optional Statutory Assessments: May 2026  
 KS2 YEAR 6 Statutory Assessments: Monday 11th May – Friday 15th May 2026  
 YEAR 4 Multiplication check: Between Monday 1st - Friday 12th June 2026  
 KS1 YEAR 1 Phonics Assessment: 8th – 12th June 2026

### **PEDESTRIAN TRAINING: YEAR 3**

Pedestrian training is offered for all Year 3 pupils. It is taking place on Thursday 25th September and possibly Friday 26th September. All pupils require permission. Forms need to be completed and returned to school.

**YEAR 6 PUPILS** Written permission is required for your child 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's behaviour, at home time, you may be requested/required to collect your child.

#### **PHOTO PERMISSIONS**

To support school safeguarding procedures, please could you return your Photo permissions form by Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you

#### **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:

<b>PE TIMETABLE: AUTUMN TERM 1 2025</b>		
	Indoor (white t-shirt, black shorts, plimsolls/trainers)	Outdoor (white t-shirt, black shorts, plimsolls/trainers plain joggers / <b>red school sweatshirt</b> )
<b>M</b>		Year 3 (2NS/2TS)
<b>T</b>	Year 1 1AC / Year 2 1MG	
<b>W</b>	Nursery/Reception: am Year 6 (2BV/ 2KT): pm	Year 5 (2DJ / 2HB)
<b>Th</b>	Year 3 (2NS/2TS): am Year 5 (2DJ / 2HB): pm	Year 1 (1AC) / Year 2 (1MG)
<b>F</b>	Year 4 (2CR / 2JH)	Year 6 (2BV/ 2KT)
Y4 Swimming Dates: <b>Gp 1(CR)</b> : 06.10.25 – 17.10.25 (11.00am -11.45am) <b>Gp 2(JH)</b> : 17.11.25– 28.11.25 (11.00am -11.45am)		

We hope you have a great weekend!

Regards

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