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Placing learners and learning at the heart of all that we do.

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SPRING TERM 2 DIARY DATES

Monday 2nd-Friday 6th March: School Book Fair
 Wednesday 11th March: TLLT Music Event at Middlesbrough Town Hall - Choir
 Friday 20th March: Professional Development Day: **SCHOOL CLOSED**
 Tuesday 24th March: Y5 Visit to Jorvik -York
 Tuesday 31st March: Parent Consultations: Pupil Reports
 Wednesday 1st April: Parent Consultations: Pupil Reports
 Thursday 2nd April: H TEMPEST Class photographs
 Thursday 2nd April: **SCHOOL CLOSURES** end of term
 Monday 20th April: **SCHOOL OPENS** – Summer Term 1
 Wednesday 22nd April: Dental Checks in school– Rec/Year 1
 Monday 4th May: **SCHOOL CLOSED** – Bank Holiday
 Friday 22nd May: **SCHOOL CLOSURES** - half term
 Monday 1st June: **SCHOOL OPENS** – Summer Term 2
 Friday 17th July: **SCHOOL CLOSURES**
Monday 20th July/ Tuesday 21st July: Professional Development Days: SCHOOL CLOSED

CONTACT NUMBERS

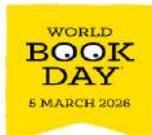
Please notify the school office if any of your contact details have changed - address, landline number, mobile phone number etc.

DINNER MONEY

All school dinners to be paid via your **ARBOR account**.
£12 per week

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a lovely half term and have settled back into the routine of school. It has been a busy week-with lots going on. World Book week along with the improved weather, has been a lovely way to start the half term - putting a 'Spring' in our step!

<p>WORLD BOOK WEEK</p> <p><i>Symphony of Stories</i></p>	<p>School looks amazing with our displays to support World Book Day/week in school. What a busy week with</p> <p>Come and Read across the school, a Fairytale Family Quiz, the 'Book in a box' competition, a Book Fair, ending today with a Fairy tale dress-up day.</p> <p>We hope the children have enjoyed the first week back, as much as the staff 😊</p> <p>Reading is a priority for our children, it supports access to a world of learning. Today the children will be bringing home a paper copy of our 'Fairytale read and succeed' booklet – please read the booklet and support your child with the activities enclosed. We thank you for your continued support 😊</p>	
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	<p>CHOIR – TRUST MUSIC EVENT – MIDDLESBROUGH TOWN HALL</p> <p>Our choir will be performing in Middlesbrough Town Hall at the Trust Music event: 6pm on Wednesday 11th March 2026. All choir performers are entitled to 2 free tickets, with additional tickets costing £2 each.</p> <p>The event is a ticketed event, open to the public.</p> <p>A small number of tickets are available from the school office costing £2 each.</p>
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SCHOOL PAYMENTS All school payments eg Dinner Money, Educational Visits, Events, Residentials, Lost books, Discos, etc have now moved to the Arbor system. Payments can be made via your own ARBOR accounts. If you have not already activated your account please **seek your email from Arbor to activate your account**. The system will enable you to access your child's information.

UNIFORM

Uniform is red jumper/cardigan, white shirt/polo shirt, grey or black trousers/skirt and black shoes.
 PE uniform is to be worn for PE – see below.

SPRING TERM 2 PE DAYS: PE sessions have now changed for Spring 2 and we ask that the Year 1 – Year 6 children **come to school in their kit** (white t-shirt, black shorts, joggers and a sweatshirt, plimsolls or trainers). The children's PE days are:

PE TIMETABLE: SPRING TERM 2 2026		
	Indoor	Outdoor
M	Nursery/Reception	Year 3 (2NS/2AJ)
T	Year 6 (2BV/2KT)	Year 5 (2HB/2DJ)
W	am: Year 1 (1AC) / Year 2 (1MG) pm: Year 3 (2NS/2AJ)	Year 6 (2BV/2KT)
Th	am: Nursery/Reception pm: Year 4 (2CR/2 JH)	Year 1 (1AC) / Year 2 (1MG)
F	Year 5 (2HB/2DJ)	Year 4 (2CR /2 JH)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS: Friday 20th March 2026, Monday 20th July 2026, Tuesday 21st July 2026



Does your child have a SEND support plan or EHCP? If so, please come along and drop in to one of our Local Authority sessions where we will gain your views and opinions on The White Paper proposals that has been recently published – if you have any worries, concerns and/or questions please come and have a chat. A member of the Parent Carer Forum will be in attendance to support and signpost you as needed

Friday 20th March 9:30-11am @ Park End Hub TS3 OAA

Monday 23rd March 1-2:30pm @ The Live Well Centre, Central Middlesbrough TS1 2PA

TERM TIME HOLIDAYS School attendance is mandatory for all pupils. Parents should plan their holidays around school breaks and avoid seeking permission to take their children out of school. **School holidays during term time will not be authorised and Fixed Penalty Notices are being issued by the LA.** The DFE does not consider a need or desire for a holiday or other absence for the purpose of leisure and recreation to be exceptional circumstances.



EASTER RAFFLE

Staff are currently donating Easter eggs for our Easter raffle which will be drawn in assembly during the week beginning 30th March. Tickets are available from **Monday 16th March** at a cost of 20p cash, before school 8.40am–9.00am.



IMPORTANT DATES 2026: NATIONAL ASSESSMENTS

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 20292

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

SPRING TERM AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Early Bird Club 8.10 – 8.40am (Y1 – Y6 30max)	
Please ensure all children (Y1-Y6) are collected at the correct time (Bold below) by an appropriate adult (OVER 18). *Year 6 pupils may walk, if school has already received written permission.	
Monday	Table Tennis 4.00pm Mario Kart Club 4.10 pm Maths Masters 4.10 pm
Tuesday	Mighty Warriors 4.10 pm Y6 Homework 4.00 pm
Wednesday	KS2 Multi-sports (Gp 2) 4.10 pm
Thursday	Big Kids 4.15 pm TTRS 4.00 pm
Friday	Archery 4.20 pm Trampolining 4.10 pm



MEDICATION

Only prescribed medication (4x daily) can be given in school.

All medication **MUST** be delivered to and collected from the school office.

Thank you!