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SUMMER TERM 2 DIARY DATES

Monday 1st June: **SCHOOL OPENS** – Summer Term 2
 Monday 1st June - Friday 12th June: Year 4 MTC
 Tuesday 2nd June: Year 4 Big Little Book Club
 Friday 5th June: Year 2 Raby Castle Visit
 Monday 8th June - 12th June: Year 1 phonics checks
 Tuesday 16th June: Year 4 visit to Tees Barrage
 Thursday 18th June: Year 1 visit to Saltburn
 Friday 26th June: SPORTS DAY: 9.30am KS2 1.30pm KS1 (**weather permitting**)
 Tuesday 30th June: 9am Reception starter mtg / 11am Nursery starter mtg
 Wednesday 1st July: 2pm Year 6 ‘Shakespeare Rocks’ performance (No under 3’s)
 Thursday 2nd July: 10am Year 6 ‘Shakespeare Rocks’ performance
 Tuesday 7th July: The Big Sing – choir at Middlesbrough Town Hall
 Tuesday 7th July: Reception Taster Lunch 11.45am
 Wednesday 8th July: Reception visit to Monk Park Farm
 Wednesday 8th July: 2.30pm Choir performance (Parents invited)
 Thursday 9th July: Summer Fair 3.30 – 4.30pm
Friday 10th July: Celebration of Learning Day (Class assemblies)
 Friday 17th July: 10 am Year 6 Leavers assembly
 Friday 17th July: **SCHOOL CLOSSES**
Monday 20th July/ Tuesday 21st July: Professional Development Days: **SCHOOL CLOSED**

CONTACT NUMBERS

Please update your ARBOR profile if you have changed address or telephone number.
 Thank you.

DINNER MONEY

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

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

We have **2** remaining P.D.Days, these are **Monday 20th July 2026, Tuesday 21st July 2026**

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we had our ‘Enjoy, Inspire and Achieve’ Assembly. Congratulations to all our ‘Enjoy, Inspire and Achieve’ winners. We also celebrated our Reading Stars for the half term. Again, congratulations to our super Readers 😊 Well done! Our Year 3 children enjoyed a visit to Northumberland Zoo and Year 4 had their first ‘Big Little Book Club’ in school. Thank you to our Y6 parents, who were able to attend our Year 6 open afternoon this week, providing our children with an opportunity to develop their communication and oracy skills, in sharing their work. Thanks to everyone who attended the open afternoons this term. Your support, as always, is greatly appreciated 😊 **Today school closes for the half term break**

BE YOURSELF DAY: Friday 22nd May

Today we will be having a ‘NO PEN’ Day in school. We are linking this with Mental Health Awareness Month and World Culture Day. We would like the children to come to school dressed in clothing that reflects their identity. Their culture, heritage and/or interests. There is no contribution required to participate.

SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

We are currently seeking feedback on our school communications. You will be receiving a questionnaire link via Arbor. Please could you take the short time to respond, and support our school communication journey. Thank you 😊

IMPORTANT DATES 2026: NATIONAL ASSESSMENTS

YEAR 4 Multiplication check: Between Monday 1st - Friday 12th June
 KS1 YEAR 1 Phonics Assessment: 8th – 12th June

UNIFORM

Uniform is red jumper/cardigan, white shirt/polo shirt, grey or black trousers/shorts/ skirt, red gingham dress and black shoes. PE uniform is to be worn for PE – see below. PE uniform **MUST** be worn if representing our school in Sports events.

SUMMER TERM PE DAYS: 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 PE days are:

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

Y6 Transition Dates 2026

Week beginning Monday 6 th July	
Macmillan	6 th / 7 th / 8 th July
Acklam Grange	6 th / 7 th / 8 th July
Outwood Acklam	6 th / 7 th / 8 th July
Kings	6 th / 7 th / 8 th July
Outwood Riverside	6 th / 7 th July
Nunthorpe	6 th / 7 th July
Trinity	7 th / 8 th July
The children wear their NB uniform and go to their allocated secondary school on the above dates. The children do not come to NB	

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.**

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS: Will resume immediately after the half term break

SUMMER 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 Silent Disco 4.00 pm
Tuesday	Y6 Homework 4.00 pm Nature Club 4.00pm
Wednesday	KS2 Multi-sports (Gp 2) 4.10 pm
Thursday	Big Kids 4.15 pm Basketball 4.00 pm
Friday	Archery 4.20 pm Trampolining 4.10 pm

EARLY BIRD CLUB (8.10 – 8.40am (Y1 – Y6 30max)

Families who access and use our Early Bird Club **MUST book in advance via the Arbor app.**

Families who pay to access the service also need to pay, in advance of booking. Thank you!

As Early Birds is operated voluntarily by staff, at no cost to the school, the limited funds generated support the purchase of new games and equipment for our early birds.



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!

ATTENDANCE: LATES/ABSENCE

Just to remind you that our school doors open at 8.40am and close at 9.00am for registration. Any arrival after 9.00am must go through the school office and will be recorded as a late on your child’s attendance record. We appreciate your support – Thank you! The Cawood Drive ‘Drop off area’ is supervised by staff and opens from 8.40am for Y2-Y6 pupils.

If your child is unwell and unable to attend school, please notify the office on 01642 816884 or message via the gateway app.

LATES

Minutes late is learning lost!

Attendance and punctuality are important life skills, which will impact on your child’s future.

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Lateness = lost learning (Figures below are calculated over a school year)	
5 minutes late each day	3 days lost!
10 minutes late each day	6.5 days lost!
15 minutes late each day	10 days lost! (2 weeks)