

School News

Monday 5th December 2022



SORRY WE'RE CLOSED

Just a reminder that school is closed on Friday 9th December. We will reopen as usual on Monday 12th December, ready for lots of festive fun!



Christmas Fayre



We will be holding a Christmas Fayre on Wednesday 14th December from 12:30pm. Parents/guardians are welcome to attend.



Party Time!

Christmas party dates:

Monday 12th - EYFS

Tuesday 13th - KS1

Thursday 15th - Years 3 & 4

Friday 16th - Years 5 & 6

All parties are during school time. Children can come to school in party clothes on the day of their party, or bring them to change into if they prefer.



Christmas Dinner Day

We will be having our school Christmas dinner on Tuesday 6th December. If children would like to wear a Christmas/Winter jumper on this day, then they are welcome to do so.



Christmas at Church

Parents/carers are welcome to join us at Holy Trinity Church. We hope to see you there.



Thursday 15th December 4:30pm

Carols by Candle Light



Tuesday 20th December 1pm

Christmas Service at the Church. Children may go home after the service if you wish for them to do so.

Craft Morning

Please join us for our Christmas craft morning on Friday 16th December 9:00 - 10:00am.

There will be a variety of craft activities for you to work on with your child. Staff will be on hand to work with those children whose parents are unable to attend.



Achievement Assemblies

Teachers have chosen children who they feel deserve an award for the autumn term. Awards given will be based on our school values. If your child has been selected, you will receive an invite to the assembly via post.



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Educational Visits

Year 3 visited the Palace Green Library in Durham as part of their work on the Stone Age. The class elf managed to sneak on the trip too!



Year 4 had a great day learning about Anglo-Saxons and the history of Hexham Abbey. They even performed a procession dressed as Benedictine Monks!



Year 5 visited the Centre for Life in Newcastle. They learned about what it would be like to live in the International Space Station, explored the various zones, visited the planetarium and watched the Science Show. As a treat, they also had a go at ice skating.



Rockstar Day

There were some amazing costumes to celebrate our relaunch of Times Tables Rockstars. Throughout December, children in Years 2 - 6 are encouraged to play on TTRS and children in Year 1 are encouraged to play on NumBots. Daily prizes will be given out in each class.

<https://numbots.com/>
<https://ttrackstars.com/>



Sports Leaders

Thank you to Easington SSP who have trained our sports leaders to enable them to deliver active games at playtimes and lunchtimes.



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Star of the Week

Well done to all of our superstars who impressed their teachers this week!

Nursery - Frederick F

Reception - Ari I

Year 1 - Harper Lilly

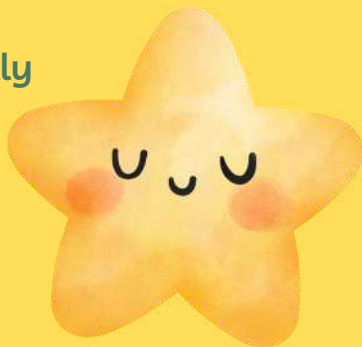
Year 2 - Issac

Year 3 - Kate C

Year 4 - Grace DS

Year 5 - Bethan M

Year 6 - Ivy B



It's good to be green!

Well done to the children who impressed their teachers by following our high expectations of behaviour.

Nursery - Hannah K

Reception - Annie S

Year 1 - Harriet K

Year 2 - Danny

Year 3 - Kyle O

Year 4 - Finley C

Year 5 - Shelby G

Year 6 - Kai P



Attendance Matters

Last Week's Whole School Attendance:

94.2%

Best Class Attendance



| Class Attendance | |
|------------------|-------|
| Reception | 90.8% |
| Year 1 | 93.5% |
| Year 2 | 90.3% |
| Year 3 | 97.6% |
| Year 4 | 93.3% |
| Year 5 | 95.0% |
| Year 6 | 98.1% |

Our school attendance target is 96%+

