



Friday 11th September 2026

Dear parents and carers,

Parent Curriculum Meetings

Last week, I mentioned that we are looking to offer more opportunities for parents to join us in school this year.

You may have already noticed that there is a series of curriculum meetings on the diary for this half-term. Most of them will be held starting at 2.45pm, and they'll finish so everyone is ready to pick the children up for home time.

We're going to use these first meetings to go through some of the curriculum aims for Maths and Spellings for most year groups, so parents have a good idea of what we'll be working on with the children over the next few months.

We will use the meetings to share some resources and some ideas for how you could help embed the children's learning at home.

There will be other meetings focused on phonics for some of the younger children, whilst we will look at the upcoming SATs with Year 6 parents.

Please add them to your diary, and come along if you can. If you're not sure which to come to, drop us a line and we'll get you to the right session.

Note that these meetings are in addition to Parents' Evenings, the first of which will be held across Monday 19th to Wednesday 21st October this year.

Many thanks for your support,
Ross Peacock
Head Teacher

Policy Reminder - Attendance

A little reminder about the importance of **good attendance**: being in school regularly gives children the best opportunity to learn, enjoy time with their friends and take part in all the experiences that school has to offer.

We completely understand that children do sometimes become unwell and need to be at home. However, when children are well enough to attend, we ask that they **come to school every day and arrive on time**.

We monitor attendance carefully and will always get in touch if we have concerns. If there are circumstances making regular attendance difficult for your family, please talk to us — **we are here to help and work with you**.

Musician(s) of the Moment

The Beatles

Value of the Month

Resilience

Celebration Assembly

Values Award

EYFS: Dior L
C1: Gracie H
C2: Hattie H & Elijah Q
C3: Isaac O
C4: Jessica B

Word Wizard

Olivia R
Mason R
Lily M
Erin S
Isabelle D-L

Excellent Work

EYFS: Maisie N
C1: Otis R
C2: Lyla S
C3: Archie J
C4: Abbey M

Sports

Onyx F
Danny T
Katy G
Roby J
Jimmy M

TT Rockstars:

Most Improved Times

1st Mitzi Hardy
2nd Bunny Rockeezy

Most Correct Answers

1st Bunny Rockeezy
2nd Strike Woolfe
3rd Rockin' Marsh

Safeguarding: If you have any concerns about a child, please let either Mr Peacock, Mrs Crelling or either Mrs Lawman know. Alternatively, you can contact Cumbria Safeguarding Hub on 0333 240 1727.



E-School Nurse Video Clinics

(By appointment only)



Twice weekly **online health support and advice** for **parents, carers and professionals** who are **supporting children and young people aged 5-19 years old**.

Tuesday and Thursday

You will be able to talk to the nurse over a live video link using [Attend Anywhere](#). The link is private, secure, confidential and convenient.

In consultation with you, the nurse will assess the child or young person's health problem and provide you with the support and advice needed.

For more information on the **E-School Nurse video clinic**

Please read the information leaflet or visit:

www.cumbria.gov.uk/ph5to19

You can telephone for an appointment

01228 603973 Mon-Fri 8-4pm



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TERM DATES 2026/2027**AUTUMN TERM 2026**

STARTS;	ENDS;	HALF TERM;
WEDNESDAY 2 ND SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 18 TH DECEMBER	MONDAY 26 TH OCTOBER – FRIDAY 20 TH OCTOBER

SPRING TERM 2027

STARTS;	ENDS;	HALF TERM;
TUESDAY 5 TH JANUARY	THURSDAY 25 TH MARCH	MONDAY 15 TH FEBRUARY – FRIDAY 19 TH FEBRUARY

SUMMER TERM 2027

STARTS;	ENDS;	GOOD FRIDAY; 26TH MARCH
MONDAY 12 TH APRIL	FRIDAY 16 TH JULY	EASTER MONDAY; 29TH MARCH
		EARLY MAY BANK HOLIDAY; 3RD MAY
		HALF TERM; MONDAY 31 ST MAY – FRIDAY 4 TH JUNE

Autumn Term Dates

Date	Event
Tuesday 15th September	Reverend Paul Kelly Assembly
Thursday 17th September	Class 1 and Class 2 - Walkmill Woods
Tuesday 22nd September 2.45pm	Reception Meeting with Miss McNamee - Reading, Writing and Counting
Thursday 1st October	Class 4 - Walkmill Woods visit
Thursday 1st October September 2.45pm	Class 1 Parents' Meeting with Mr Kershaw - English and Maths curriculum
Tuesday 6th October 2.45pm	Year 4 Parents' Meeting with Mrs Lawman - English and Maths curriculum
Wednesday 7th October	Class 4 - REACT Science Show at Lakes College
Friday 9th October	Non-uniform— please bring a donation for the Christmas C1/C2—Bottles/tins/jars C3/C4—Biscuits/sweets/crisps Please check the date of your donations are passed January 2027.
Tuesday 13th October 2.45pm	Year 3 Parents' Meeting with Mrs Lawman - English and Maths curriculum
Wednesday 14th October 3.15pm	Year 6 SATs meeting with Mr Peacock, Mrs Crelling and Mrs Lawman
Monday 19th - Wednesday 21st	Parents' Evenings
Thursday 22nd October	Harvest Performances (afternoon)
Monday 26th October—Friday 30th October	October half-term holiday
30th November	Juniors swimming week
Friday 11th December 2pm	Christmas Fair
Wednesday 16th December PM	Christmas Performances
Thursday 17th December	Christmas Dinner and Parties
Friday 18th December 1.15pm	School closes for the Christmas holidays