

# MORESBY



TOGETHER EVERYONE ACHIEVES MORE

## Friday 11th October 2024

Dear parents and carers,

### Term-time holidays

I have continued to work on understanding the new school attendance framework over the last couple of weeks, and the position around term-time holidays is becoming clearer.

In previous years, unless a child was repeatedly taken out of school for longer periods, there was very little chance of a Fixed Penalty Notice (FPN) being imposed.

Under the new system, we are now obliged as a school to pass to the local authority the details of any child being taken on a term-time holiday of 5 days or more.

It's then up to them to decide whether a FPN is appropriate - all we do is provide the information. I have had further indication that there is an expectation that the number of FPNs awarded locally will rise, so please be aware of this when considering term-time breaks.

Many thanks for your support,  
Ross Peacock      Head Teacher

### Year 3 and 4 Football Event

We took a team of Year 3 and 4 children to a football event at Whitehaven Academy last Friday, and they represented our school superbly! Well done to Effie, Elijah, Max, Miah, Jesse, Bella, Abigail and George for playing their hearts out - you were all absolutely superb!



### Halloween Disco

Our School Council is hosting a Halloween Disco after school on **Thursday 24th October**. Tickets - which include a snack and a drink - are available via School Hub for £4.50.

The disco will finish at 5pm, and all children attending will need to be picked up by an adult.

The children should dress as normal for school, but can bring their costumes with them. Parents can come into school at 3.15pm to help them with face paints.

Please note that no paper tickets will be issued - we'll keep a register of who is coming. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

### Musician(s) of the Moment

**The Rolling Stones**

**Value of the Month**

**Resilience**

### Celebration Assembly

Values Award      Setting an Example Award

C1: Isla

C1: Macie

C2: Cienna

C2: Mila

C3: Abigail

C3: Dorothy

C4: Flora, Freya & Paige

C4: Grayson

Excellent Work      Over and Above Award

C1: Robyn

C1: Hattie

C2: Lottie

C2: Maia

C3: Abbey

C3: Jesse J & Miah

C4: George

C4: Millie

TT Rockstars:

*Most Improved Times*      *Most Correct Answers*

1st Lou Jammy

1st Jennifer Bluhm

2nd Boston Hay

2nd Diesel T Hendrix

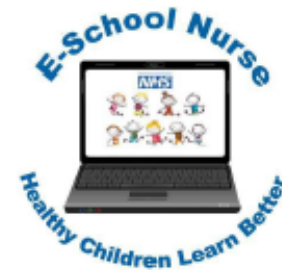
3rd Izizz Fender

3rd Mason Finch

**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](http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/ph5to19)

You can telephone for an appointment

**01228 603973 Mon-Fri 8-4pm**



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## **CUMBRIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES DIRECTORATE SCHOOL TERM DATES 2024/2025**

### **AUTUMN TERM 2024**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF – TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Wednesday 4 September	Friday 20 December	Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November

Number of school days in term – 73

### **SPRING TERM 2025**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF – TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Tuesday 7 January	Friday 4 April	Monday 17 February – Friday 21 February

Number of school days in term – 59

### **SUMMER TERM 2025**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF – TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Tuesday 22 April	Friday 18 July	Monday 26 May – Friday 30 May

Number of schools days in term – 58

Good Friday – 18 April  
Easter Monday – 21 April

Early May Bank Holiday  
Monday 5 May

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
Tues 24th / Wed 25th September	Class 3—Walkmill Woods project
Thurs 26th September	Class 3 and 4 Viking Day in school
Tues 1st / Wed 2nd October	Parents' Evening
Fri 4th October	M&M Productions performance of Alice in Wonderland in school—all children
Thurs 24th October (after school)	Halloween Disco
Friday 25th October (afternoon)	Harvest performances C2 1.15pm C1 1.45pm C3 2.15pm C4 2.45pm
Monday 28th Oct—1st Nov	School Closed—October half-term
w/b 2nd December	Assessment Week 1
Friday 6th December (afternoon)	Christmas Fair
Tuesday 10th December (afternoon)	Class 2 / 3 / 4 trip to Theatre by the Lake, Keswick—The Jungle Book
Thursday 12th December	Dance/Music/Gymnastics Evening
Monday 16th December	Progress reports sent home
Wednesday 18th December	Christmas performances C2 1.15pm C1 1.45pm C3 2.15pm C4 2.45pm
Thursday 19th December	Christmas Dinner and Parties
Friday 20th December 1.15pm	School closes for Christmas holidays

Date	Event
Tuesday 7th January	School opens for Spring Term
Tuesday 7th — Friday 10th January	Classes 3 and 4—swimming
Thursday 13th February	Valentine's Disco
Monday 17th—Friday 21st February	School closed for February half-term
Thursday 6th March	World Book Day
Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th March	Nat Pattinson in school—Wheelchair Basketball
w/b Monday 17th March	Assessment Week 2
Monday 24th March	School Photos Day
Friday 28th March	Moresbury Music Festival
Thursday 3rd April	Dance/Music/Gymnastics Evening
Friday 4th April 3.15pm	Easter performances C2 1.15pm C1 1.45pm C3 2.15pm C4 2.45pm
Friday 4th April 3.15pm	School closes for Easter holidays