

Leadgate Primary School – Friday Newsletter

Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

Friday 19th May



1536 Anne Boleyn, second wife of English King Henry VIII, and mother of Elizabeth I, is beheaded at the Tower of London on charges of adultery, incest and treason

1568 English Queen Elizabeth I arrests Mary, Queen of Scots

1649 England is declared a Commonwealth by an act of the Rump Parliament making England a republic for the next 11 years



**Whole School Attendance
Weekly Attendance figures**

Reception = 91.33 %

Year 1 = 96.25 %

★ Year 2 = 96.67 % ★

Year 3 = 95.0 %

Year 4 = 93.79 %

★ Year 5 = 95.91 % ★

Year 6 = 90.0 %



Congratulations

Well Done Year 2
for the best attendance in Lower
School and Year 5
for the best attendance in Upper
School.

**Year 2 SATS testing
Completed!**

Year 2 have completed their SATs test papers this week and have shown just as much perseverance and hard work as our Year 6 last week. They all deserve a great big pat on the back!

Results will be shared at the end of the year

EYFS Ceiling Collapse Update

Following the collapse of Reception class ceiling I would just like to thank all parents for their understanding in having to close the classroom until a complete survey and works have been completed. The safety of the children is a priority and we cannot take any risk with their safety. Unfortunately, **both classrooms will now be closed on Monday** as County complete a full safety inspection before reopening.

Year 5 STEM (Science and Technology) activity

Year 5 have had a brilliant day with Phil carrying out STEM activities. They showed excellent teamwork skills completing science and engineering activities to make a moving object. Phil also commented how well mannered and skilful the children were -well done Year 5!



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School Dates



School Holiday Dates

The next school Holiday is the Half Term Holiday.
School closes Friday 26th May and reopens on
Monday 5th June.



School Dates and Holidays

- 23rd May – Year 5/6 Consett Cricket Club
- 24th May – Lower School Non Curriculum Day
- 25th May – Year 6 Visit Derwent Reservoir
- 26th May – Upper School Non Curriculum Day
- Half term holiday – closing Friday 26th May – reopen Monday 5th June**
- 9th June – Year 5/6 Netball Consett Academy
- 13th June – Year 2 Visit Tynemouth Aquarium
- 14th June – Year 4 Kids visit Beamish
- 15th June – Buddhist Visit to Year 1
- 16th June – Year 3 and 4 Netball – Consett Academy
- 20th and 21st June – Adam Bushnell Author Visit to school
- 22nd June – Year 6 Visit to Hamsterley Forest
- 27th June – Year 6 Rugby Festival – Consett Academy
- 28th June – SEND Coffee Afternoon
- 28th June – Year 5 South Moor Golf club visit
- 29th June – Year 6 Visit to Blanchland
- 4th July – Year 3 and 4 Cricket at Consett Cricket
- CHANGED TO DATE - 6th and 7th July Year 6 Transition Days at Consett Academy
- 10th and 11th July Parent report afternoon and evenings
- 11th July - EYFS Beach Visit
- 12th July – Nursery Sports Day 9.30
- 13th July - Keystage 1 and Reception Sports Day
- 13th July – 1.15pm Upper School Sports day
- 18th July – Year 2 Moving Up Party
- 18th July – 1.15 Year 6 Leavers Celebration and Moving Up – Parents to Attend
- 21st July – School Closes for Summer Holidays

LOWER SCHOOL TUTORING REMINDER

Lower school tutor groups will finish next week with the last session on Thursday 25th May.

DANCE / DRAMA CLUB REMINDER

Reminder to the parents/carers of Year 3 and 4 children who have attended dance and drama club this half term that this week was the final session and there will be no club next Tuesday the 23rd May

Transition Events

EYFS

- 19th June – New Reception Parents meeting with Miss Pedro 3.30 – 4.30 including tour of school
- 26th June – New Reception Children and Parents Stay and Play 1.30 – 2.30pm
- 3rd July - New Reception Children only Stay and Play
- 5th July – Early Years Stay and Play

Keystage 1

- 3rd July - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Transition afternoon
- 6th July - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Transition Morning

Keystage 2

- 6th July – Keystage 2 Transition Morning
- 7th July – Keystage 2 Transition Morning

Year 6 to Year 7

- 12th May – Consett Academy Parental Coffee Morning
- 15th May – Consett Academy Parental Coffee afternoon
- 4th July - Academy staff to visit Year 6 and Teach Computing lesson – pm
- 5th July – Consett Academy Parent Evening 6-7pm and 7-8pm
- 6th July – Year 6 Children Full Day at Consett Academy
- 7th July – Year 6 Children Full Day at Consett Academy
- Additional lesson dates for Maths, English and Science taught by Academy staff to be confirmed

Looking After Your WELLBEING ONLINE

We all know that taking care of our minds and bodies is essential to keep us feeling happy and healthy. The thing is, we spend so much of our time online these days that it's also important that we remember to look after ourselves in the digital world, too. Our poster has got some simple but useful tips for supporting your wellbeing while you're gaming, on social media or just using the internet.



**BE KIND &
BE CAREFUL**



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