



NEWSLETTER



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Headteacher's Headlines

I hope everyone had a great Easter. It has been wonderful being back in school, hearing stories from the holidays and watching children settle into a new school term.

To start the term as we mean to go on, please can I draw your attention to the following reminders:-

Our free Breakfast Cub opens every morning at 8am and everyone is welcome. Our main gates open at 8:40am, with classroom doors opening at 8.45am. Please ensure you arrive at school by 8:50am as lessons start promptly.

Children are expected to arrive to school every day wearing their full school uniform. If you have any problems sourcing uniform, please let the office know as we do have supplies of clean, spare uniform in school. Children can wear small stud earrings and watches in school. They are not allowed to wear bracelets or necklaces.

Now that the warmer weather is approaching, our PE lessons will move outside. Please ensure your child brings their PE kit, including trainers, to school. PE kits can be left in school all week on your child's peg.

Children should bring a water bottle with them into school every day. Our classrooms can get very warm in the summer months, especially when the sun shines through our large playground windows. Children are encouraged to drink plenty of fluids throughout the day and children are able to re-fill their water bottles. Water bottles should be taken home every night to be washed and re-filled.

We are a nut free school as we have several children who have a nut allergy. Please do not send any snacks or packed lunch items to school which contain nuts – thank you for your understanding.

Our new bike rack has arrived and we hope to have this fitted in the playground in the next week. This will be fitted by the entrance to our playground. For safety reasons, we ask children not to ride their bikes or scooters once they are on school grounds inside our blue school gate. Bikes and scooters can be wheeled in and secured inside the gates for safe keeping until home time.

Attendance Stars

We are pleased to announce that we have had 96.5% attendance this week – keep up the good work, Newtown!

Our winning classes for attendance were Ennerdale and Crummock.

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 24th April – Crummock & Derwent – Pizza Express

Wednesday 1st May – Windermere – Pizza Express

Friday 3rd May – Class Photos

Friday 3rd May – Cash4Kids Day

Thursday 9th May – Tullie House Workshop Year 3 & Year 5

13th – 16th May – SATs Week Year 6

20th – 23rd May – SATs Week Year 2

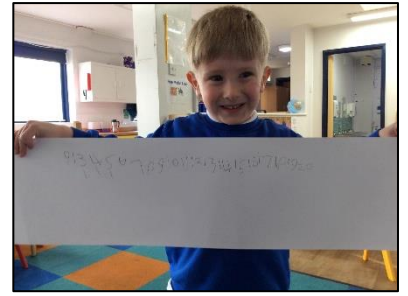
Wednesday 22nd May – Great North Air Ambulance Assembly

Class Reviews!



Buttermere Class – Reception

Buttermere have been working hard, completing some amazing counting to 20 and beyond number challenges this week in Maths. Children used number lines, Numicon tiles and their own number lines to solve the problems! 🍌🧮



Coniston Class – Year 1 and 2

👩🏫🧑🏫 Coniston have had a fabulous time experimenting with clay. They have worked to mould and shape their clay to create their own characters! Wow! 🧑🏫👩🏫



Windermere Class – Year 3

In year 3, children have been working hard in Maths exploring fractions using concrete objects and pictures.



Derwent Class – Year 1 and 2

👧👦👧 Last week, the sun was out! Derwent class took full advantage of the better weather, improving their jumping skills by creating increasingly difficult hopscotch challenges for each other to complete! 🏃🏃🏃





Crummock Class – Year 5

This week in English, Crummock have been writing their final drafts of an informal explanation. Children designed their own 'Bedroom Tidier' machine with levers, buttons and a secret compartment. They used their understanding of the features needed to write an informal explanation, to write their own explanations about their machine – how it works and what it does! Well done, Crummock!



Loweswater Class – Year 5

Loweswater were happy to see the sun this week, they took full advantage and enjoyed their PE session outside on the school field. This half-term, we are focusing on field games and developing our throwing and catching skills.








Ennerdale Class – Year 6

🧡📖 Year 6 have completed their very own Worry Monsters! We may be biased, but we think they look fabulous- better than the ones in the shops! Well done for showing how resilient you all are in Year 6! 📖🧡



House Points Winners of the Week

 <h2>House Team Points</h2>			
			
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