



CORBRIDGE C OF E FIRST SCHOOL
Newsletter: Friday 1 May 2026

Dear Families,

The weather has been so lovely this week and the children have spent lots of time outdoors, exploring and playing!

This week in school, we have been reflecting on the story of Saul and Paul during our worship time. Through this story, the children explored themes of change, forgiveness and the importance of accepting differences in others. It has prompted some thoughtful discussions about how we treat one another and how everyone can grow and make positive choices.

We are also delighted to share that our new Forest School area is now complete. The space is ready for the children to enjoy, and we are eagerly awaiting the growth of newly planted flowers which will make the area even more inviting. This development will provide wonderful opportunities for outdoor learning and exploration as our classes access their Forest School sessions this term.

In addition, we recently met with the PTFA to discuss upcoming plans and events. Ideas included organising a volunteer day to support school projects, preparing for the Summer Fair and looking into new playground markings to enhance playtimes. We look forward to working together on these exciting initiatives and sharing further updates soon.

Have a lovely weekend, everyone.

S Hart & E Sanderson

Executive Head Teacher & Deputy Head Teacher

Attendance this week: 96.4%

Our weekly goal is 97% across the whole school.

1st	2nd	3rd
Year 3 with 98%	Year 2 with 97.4%	Year 4 with 97%



School Dinners

Week beginning Monday 4 May 2026 for Summer Term 1, will be Week 3 of our [menu](#)

Additional Information:

- **Free School Meals**

If you feel that your child may be eligible for free school meals, please read the criteria and make an application as soon as you can. Find out more on the [Northumberland County Council](#) website.

To apply, please complete this form via [Northumberland County Council](#).

The School Diary: Please remember to check for any new dates each week.

Dates in red are new dates which have been added

Date	Event	Notes
May 2026		
Monday 4	School Closed - Bank Holiday	
Friday 8	Big Brunch Celebration fundraiser for Christian Aid	Parentmail sent out 20.4.26 (In school event for children only)
Friday 8	Reception Visit to Low Barns Farm	Consent form and information sent out 27.4.26 Payment to be made by cash to the office
Friday 8	Year 4 - Quad Kids @ CMS (PM)	More information to follow
Sunday 10	Adult Skate session from 10am - 12pm at Wentworth Leisure Centre	Parentmail and sign up - sent out 22.4.26
Wednesday 13	Nursery Visit to Low Barns Farm (Children in school on a Wednesday)	Consent form and information sent out 27.4.26 Payment to be made through parentmail
Wednesday 13	Class Photos (AM)	
Week of Monday 18 May	Walk to School Week	
Thursday 21	KS1 - Federation Athletics @ Wentworth	More information to follow
Friday 22	Last day of term – Break Up for May half-term	

June 2026		
Monday 1	School Re-opens for Summer Term 2	
Wednesday 3	CFS New Nursery Welcome Meeting for Parents/Carers 5pm - 6pm	
Friday 5	World Environment Day - switch off afternoon	
Friday 5	Year 4 Leavers Hoodies - deadline for orders to be placed directly with Salto	Parentmail sent on 2.04.26
Monday 8	Week beginning 8th June - Year 1 Phonics Screen Check	
Monday 8	Week beginning 8 June - Healthy Eating Week	
Wednesday 10	Year 4 Visit to Beamish	More information to follow
Friday 12	Year 3 - Visit to Vindolanda	More information to follow
Sunday 14	Adult Skate session from 10am - 12pm at Wentworth Leisure Centre	Parentmail and sign up - sent out 22.4.26
Wednesday 17	CFS New Reception Welcome Meeting for Parents/Carers 5pm - 6pm	
Friday 19	World Music Day	
Monday 22	Year 4: Sports Activity at Corbridge Middle School (am)	
Tuesday 23	Year 4 Leavers Service at Hexham Abbey (am) **Service for children only**	More information to follow
Tuesday 23	KS1 & KS2 Federation Cricket at Corbridge Cricket Club	More information to follow
Friday 26	Whole School - Beach Visit to Tynemouth	More information to follow

July 2026		
Thursday 2	Sports Day	Timing to be confirmed & more details to follow
Friday 3	CFS Choir will be singing at St Andrew's Church in Corbridge, at 1:30pm, along with our Broomhaugh choir	Parentmail sent on 20.04.26
Sunday 5	Summer Fun Roller Disco from 2pm - 4pm at Wentworth Leisure Centre	Parentmail and sign up - sent out 22.4.26
Tuesday 7	Transfer Day	More information to follow
Monday 13	School reports to be sent home	
Thursday 16	Year 4: Leavers Picnic (3:15pm)	More information to follow
Friday 17	End of Year Service at St Andrew's Church, Corbridge at 9:30am	More information to follow
Friday 17	Last day of term Break up for Summer School Closes at 1:30pm	**School re-opens for Autumn Term - Wednesday 2 September 2026
Saturday 18	Salto: School Uniform Orders - the deadline for orders is Saturday 18 July	Parentmail sent out 2.04.26
September 2026		
Tuesday 1	Teacher Training Day: School Closed to Pupils	
Wednesday 2	School Re-opens for Autumn Term 1	