

# CORBRIDGE C OF E FIRST SCHOOL Newsletter: Friday 8 March 2024

Dear Families,

It has been another packed week in school with so many book-based and reading activities!

On Monday, Animal Aid UK came into school to deliver a cookery demonstration to Year 4. The children learnt how to cook vegan pasta bolognese whilst thinking about ways we can be kind to animals, our environment and how to reduce our carbon footprint. All of the children said the lentil dish was "Delicious!", and were so keen to try all of the new foods on offer.

World Book Day was a resounding success with so many wonderful costumes on display. Thank you for your tremendous effort in preparing for this. We loved walking down to Forum Books to spend our vouchers and felt very lucky to have such a fantastic resource on our doorstep.

Throughout the week, Surprise Readers have been coming into school to end the day with a story. The look on the children's faces when they have seen their surprise grown-up, has been nothing short of a delight and something they will remember for years to come. Huge thanks to all of the volunteers that have supported this, from parents to previous teachers. It really has been a huge success and something we firmly intend to do more often.

Have a lovely weekend.

## S Hart & E Florek

Executive Head Teacher
Executive Deputy Head Teacher

#### Attendance this week: 97.7%

Our weekly goal is 97% across the whole school.

1st	2nd	3rd
Year's 1 & 2 with 98.8%	Year 3 with 98.7%	Reception with 98.6%



#### **School Dinners**

Week beginning Monday 11 March 2024 for Spring Term, will be Week 3 of our menu

#### **Internet Safety**

Please see attached for a helpful guide to the game Roblox. More and more of our children are mentioning this game in school, so please have a read through. As ever, staff in school are always happy to answer any questions.

### Magpie Sports - Easter 2024

Please see attached flyer for details of Magpie Sports Holiday Clubs for Easter 2024.

**The School Diary:** Please remember to check for any new dates in each week. *Dates in red are new dates which have been added* 

Date	Event	Notes
March 2024		
Tuesday 12th March	Spring Music Concert (pm)	Parentmail issued.
Friday 15th	Dogs Trust Workshops & Assemblies	More information to follow
Tuesday 19th	KS2 Football Event (pm) at CFS with BFS attending.	
Tuesday 19th	Choir Visit to Newcastle Civic Centre	Parentmail and payment issued.
Friday 22nd	Year 2 Stay & Read Session 2.25pm	Parentmail issued.
Monday 25th	Parent Consultation Week	Parentmail issued & paper copies sent home.
Tuesday 26th	Easter Service at St Andrew's Church, 1.30pm	More information to follow
Thursday 28th	Last Day of Term	
Friday 29th	School Closed - Good Friday / Bank Holiday	
April 2024		
Monday 15th	School Re-Opens for Summer Term 1	
Tuesday 16th	Premier League Trophy Visit	More information to follow
Monday 15th April - Friday 10 May	Mini Marathon	More information to follow
Thursday 25	National Dental Survey for 5 Year Olds	More Information to follow
May 2024		
Friday 3rd	Year 3 Inspire Workshop - Parents invited 9am - 10.15am	More information to follow
Monday 6th	School Closed – Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 7th - Wednesday 8th	Year 4 Residential (Kingswood)	
Monday 13th	Year 4: Bikeability	More information to follow
Wednesday 15th	Reception - Vision Screening	More information to follow
Thursday 16th	KS1 Rounders Event (pm) at Broomhaugh CE First School	More information to follow
Monday 20th- Friday 24th	Walk To School Week	More information to follow
Thursday 23rd May	Year 3 visit to Vindolanda and Roman Army Museum	More information to follow

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Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 Quad Kids at Corbridge Middle School (pm)	More information to follow
Friday 24th	Last Day of Term	
<u>June 2024</u>		
Monday 3rd	School Re-Opens for Summer Term 2	
Tuesday 18th	KS1 Cricket Event (am) with Broomhaugh at Corbridge Cricket Ground	More information to follow
	KS2 Cricket Event (pm) with Broomhaugh at Corbridge Cricket Ground	
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Leavers Service at Newcastle Cathedral	More information to follow
Thursday 20th & Friday 21st	Art & Textile Exhibition at St Andrew's Church, Corbridge	
Monday 24	Visit from Lyndon Longhorne - GB Paralympian Swimmer	More information to follow
July 2024		
Tuesday 2nd	Transfer Day	More information to follow
Friday 19th	Last Day of Term School Closes at 1:30pm for Summer Holiday	
September 2024		
Tuesday 3rd	School Re-Opens for Autumn Term 1	