



CORBRIDGE C OF E FIRST SCHOOL

Newsletter: Thursday 15 February 2024

Dear Families,

Not only is it the end of half term, today has brought STEM Fortnight 2024 to a close. And what a successful two weeks of fun, learning and investigating it has been!

Professor Brainstorm performed his 'Amazing Sound and Light Show' for us and it was truly fantastic - he proved that 'SCIENCE IS FUN'! It was also an absolute delight to see so many grown-ups join us for the open afternoon and get a feel for the children's sheer excitement. Thank you to all of the families who joined us for this event and for your wonderful feedback. We love sharing our learning with you!

We ended the week with a treat as Mrs. Dobson and the team served up a delicious Valentine's Day lunch! We are so lucky to have such delicious food every day and appreciate the extra special events and decorations. At Corbridge CofE First School we proudly say that it doesn't matter what you look like, what you believe or who you love: LOVE HAS NO LABELS! We are looking forward to celebrating this on our Rainbow Day on Wednesday 28th February 2024 (details below in the School Diary).

Have a lovely weekend, and a safe and happy half term.

S Hart & E Florek

Executive Head Teacher

Executive Deputy Head Teacher

Attendance this week: 95.2%

Our weekly goal is 97% across the whole school.

1st	2nd	3rd
Year 1 with 98.6%	Reception with 97.4%	Year 3 with 96%



School Dinners

Week beginning Monday 26 February 2024 for Spring Term, will be Week 1 of our [menu](#)

Easy Fundraising

Thank you to all families who support us through easyfundraising. We have just received our quarterly payment, which was for £25.96. If you would like to support CFS through easyfundraising, please follow the details and link below. *Support Corbridge C of E First School - Northumberland on easyfundraising to increase our chances of winning a massive £1,000 donation! Every new person who joins counts as an extra entry - but hurry, you've only got until the end of the week. It's completely free, and the prize would make a real difference to us, so it would be great if you could take a moment to help. Thank you.*

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/corbridgefirst/?utm_medium=email-share&utm_source=Facebook&utm_campaign=dd-feb-24&utm_term=Q4234&utm_content=socialshare

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
<u>February 2024</u>		
Thursday 15th	Last Day of Term	
Friday 16th	Teacher Training Day – school closed to pupils	
Monday 26th	School Re-Opens for Spring Term 2	
Wednesday 28th	<p>Rainbow Day & Rainbow Bake Off Children are invited to come to school dressed in different colours of the rainbow as follows: Nursery/Reception: Blue or Purple Year 1: Green Year 2: Yellow Year 3: Orange Year 4: Red</p> <p>Children are invited to bake and bring in up to 6 cupcakes or biscuits, based around the rainbow theme. The cake/biscuits will be available at donation stations outside of classrooms at 3pm. *The cakes/biscuits from the Nursery children will be available in their classroom at the end of their session.</p>	Parentmail issued.
<u>March 2024</u>		
Friday 1st	Reception visit to St Andrew's Church - Baptism theme (pm)	
Monday 4th	Animal Aid - vegan cookery workshop with Year 4	
Thursday 7th	World Book Day	
Tuesday 12th	Spring Music Concert (pm)	More information to follow
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	More information to follow
Monday 25th	Parent Consultation Week	

Tuesday 26th March	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	
<u>April 2024</u>		
Monday 15th	School Re-Opens for Summer Term 1	
Monday 15th April - Friday 10 May	Mini Marathon	More information to follow
<u>May 2024</u>		
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
Friday 24th	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 KS2 Cricket Event (pm) with Broomhaugh at Corbridge Cricket Ground	More information to follow
Thursday 20th	Leavers Service at Newcastle Cathedral	More information to follow
Thursday 20th & Friday 21st	Art & Textile Exhibition at St Andrew's Church, Corbridge	
<u>July 2024</u>		
Tuesday 2nd	Transfer Day	More information to follow
Friday 19th	Last Day of Term School Closes at 1:30pm for Summer Holiday	
<u>September 2024</u>		
Tuesday 3rd	School Re-Opens for Autumn Term 1	