

Corbridge Church of England First School

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Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a lovely first week back in school and I would like to thank all families who attended their parent meeting appointments this term. The children are making such good progress and the teachers have enjoyed sharing this with you. Thank you for all the kind words and thanks you have shared with the teachers for the work they do. Working in partnership with parents is definitely how we get the best from the children, so many thanks again for your support.

Next week we will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5 March, and the Year 3 and Year 4 children are also looking forward to an exciting author visit on 12 March. The Spring Two curriculum booklets have been added to the website so you can see what the children are learning this half term, and you can access them directly from the links below. We are also looking forward to welcoming you into school this term to enjoy some learning sessions with your children.

We have had a fantastic start to the half term this week - starting with a cold, crisp and snowy Monday! The children thoroughly enjoyed playing in the snow and making the most of the wintery weather. Please make sure the children all have warm jogging bottoms, jumpers, hats, gloves and trainers in school at all times as well as a pair of wellies – we will be out in all weathers so staying warm and dry is very important!

Have a lovely weekend.

J. Ainsley S Gray

Executive Head Teacher

Executive Deputy Head Teacher



School Dinners: Week beginning Monday 2 March 2020 will be Week 3 of our [menu](#).

Spring 2 Class Curriculum Information Booklets

Click on your child's class to be taken directly to this term's learning.

[Nursery](#)

[Reception](#)

[Year 1](#)

[Year 2](#)

[Year 3](#)

[Year 4](#)

Bags to School – Don't forget to bring your "Bags2School" in by this Tuesday, 3 March!

Money raised will go to buy new playground toys as soon as possible. School council are asking their classes what they would like to play with so they can create an order after their next meeting.



A big thank you to everyone who supported our non-uniform fundraising event for the World Wildlife Fund for the Australian bushfires, we raised £138.65.

Year 3 swimming dates –Spring Term 2020 – Wednesdays

4, 11, 18 and 25 March

1 April

The diary is on the following pages....new dates will be added in red so please check each week for any events/activities involving your child's year group.

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Corbridge Church of England First School – Diary Dates Spring/Summer Term 2020

Tuesday 3 March	Year 2 Family Learning Session in School 1 family member to attend	Morning Session Letter has been issued.
Tuesday 3 March	BAG2SCHOOL COLLECTED Bags must be dropped into school before 9am on this date.	Please feel free to bring bags to be stored in school following the half term break. Parentmail has been issued.
Wednesday 4 March	Year 1 Family Learning Session in School 1 family member to attend	Morning Session Letter has been issued.
Thursday 5 March	World Book Day	Parentmail has been issued.
Tuesday 10 March	Year 3 Family Learning Session in School 1 family member to attend	Morning Session Letter has been issued.
Thursday 12 March	Author Visit @ Broomhaugh First School Year 3 & Year 4 (AM)	Further information to follow.
Friday 13 March	SPECIAL LUNCH - Sport Relief Sport relief – Charity Fundraiser – Wristbands £1	Letter has been issued. To be sold on the day – more information to follow.
Friday 20 March - 13 April	Great Big School Clean	Further information to follow.
Tuesday 31 March	Spring Stay & Play – EYFS (am) 1 family member to attend	Further information to follow.
Friday 3 April	SPECIAL LUNCH – Easter Lunch	Letter has been issued.
Friday 3 April	Easter Celebration at St Andrew's Church	1.30pm - all welcome Children can be taken home at the end of the service
School closes at 3.00pm on Friday 3 April for the Easter break and reopens on Monday 20 April.		
Thursday 30 April	Year 4 Family Learning Session in School 1 family member to attend	Morning Session Further information to follow.
Tuesday 5 May – Thursday 7 May	Year 4 Residential	Payment letters have now been issued.
Thursday 7 May	SPECIAL LUNCH – Reception Lunch Choice	Further information to follow.
Friday 8 May	SCHOOL CLOSED	MAY BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 11 - 15 May	Year Two SATs Week	Y2 Parent letter issued.
Friday 22 May	Year 1 Class Assembly 2:30pm	Further information to follow.
Friday 22 May	SPECIAL LUNCH – Year 1 Lunch Choice	Further information to follow.
School closes at 3.00pm on Friday 22 May for Summer half term reopens on Monday 1 June.		
Monday 8 June	Phonics screening check week	
Friday 12 June	Year 2 Class Assembly 2:30pm	Further information to follow.
Friday 12 June	SPECIAL LUNCH – Year 2 Choice	Further information to follow.
Monday 15 June	Year Four Times Table Check Week	
Friday 19 June	Reception Class Assembly 2:30pm	Further information to follow.
Friday 26 June	Year 3 Class Assembly 2:30pm	Further information to follow.
Friday 26 June	SPECIAL LUNCH – Year 3 Choice	Further information to follow.
Wednesday 1 July	SPECIAL LUNCH – Teddy Bear's picnic	Further information to follow.
Monday 6 July	TRANSFER DAY The children spend the day in their classroom for next year with new staff and Y4 go off to the Middle School.	Further information to follow.
Tuesday 14 July	Nursery Graduation & Sports Morning 9:15am	Further information to follow.
Thursday 16 July	Year Four Leavers Show (morning)	Further information to follow.
Friday 17 July	SPECIAL LUNCH – Year 4 Choice	Further information to follow.

