

The Week Ahead

Monday 18th April

Gospel Assembly 2:45pm Year 5

Tuesday 19th April

Play and Stay session for new F1 children starting in September.

Wednesday 20th April

Year 5 to Institute of Sport

Toddler Group 9-10:15am

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

Y6 SATS After School club 3:15-4:30pm

Y3/4/5 After school summer sports club-Cricket/Tennis/Rugby 3:15-4:15

Thursday 21st April

Play and Stay session for new F1 children starting in September.

Year 3/Private tuition Music lessons

Y1/2 After school football club 3:15-4:15pm (changes to Y3/4 next week)

Friday 22nd April

After school Wath Festival club 3:15-4pm

Email Newsletter

We would like to email the newsletter wherever possible, rather than sending a paper copy for every child. Please contact the school office if your child requires a paper copy. Also ensure that your contact details, including preferred email addresses, are up to date. Thank you.

Kindness Awards

The following children were nominated by their peers and received a kindness award in KS2 assembly this week: Thomas Stacey, Simrah Goni, Holly McMaster and Theo Stewart. Well done!

First Holy Communion

A number of our children are preparing to receive First Holy Communion.

Sessions in church are as follows:

Sunday 1st May 10:15am

Tuesday 3rd May 7pm-Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday 15th May 10:15am

Tuesday 17th May 6pm-Rehersal and 2nd Confession

Sunday 22nd May-First Holy Communion -11am

Sunday 12th June Follow up class 10:15am

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers at this special time.

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Thursday 14th April 2016

Dear parents and carers

Welcome back to the summer term. We hope you all had an enjoyable Easter break. This term is busy already, especially for Y2 and Y6 who are preparing for SATS. Good attendance is always important, but especially so for these classes during this half term.

Y6 SATS Booster classes

These will run for the next three weeks: Wednesday 20th April, Wednesday 27th April and Wednesday 4th May. There is no booster class either during or following SATS week. Thank you for all your support in ensuring your child has attended these invaluable sessions.

Y6 SATS breakfast club

This runs from Monday 9th to Thursday 12th May. Doors open to Y6 at 8:30. We provide breakfast and the opportunity to relax with friends before tests and we have found it to be beneficial for the majority of Y6 children to attend during SATS week. There is no cost for Y6 but please note that Y6 children will not be able to come into school before 8:30 unless they are **booked into** the normal school breakfast club which runs for all children from 8am

Learning Behaviours

This half term we will be celebrating Teamwork in Friday assemblies. We all have different gifts and learning to share and appreciate those gifts when we collaborate is a very important life skill. You might like to congratulate your child when they cooperate with others, take part in group activities or demonstrate listening to, and sharing with, siblings or peers.

Class Led Gospel Assemblies

Each class takes a turn at leading our Gospel assemblies on Monday afternoons at 2:45pm. You are always welcome to join with us. The following classes will be leading assemblies after half term:

Monday 18th April Year 5
 Monday 25th April Year 1
 Monday 9th May Year 4
 Monday 16th May Foundation 2
 Monday 23rd May Year 3

Attendance week before school holidays.

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
95.2%	89.6%	97.9%	95.6%	94.8%	90%	90.8%

Congratulations to Y2 97.9% attendance. Keep it up.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 30 th April - am	Festival Club perform at Wath Festival
Monday 2 nd May	School closed –Bank Holiday Monday
Friday 6 th May	Final payment due for Y6 Residential Visit
Monday 9 th Thursday 12 th May	Y6 SATS
Friday 13 th May	Wath Comprehensive teachers to work with Y6 children moving up in September
Wednesday 18 th May	Y5/6 Visit to Forest School-further details to follow
Thursday 19 th May	Y3/4 Visit to Forest School-further details to follow
Friday 20 th May	Wath Comprehensive teachers to work with Y6 children moving up in September
Thursday 26 th /27 th May	Y5/6 Cycle training
Friday 27 th May	Last day of school for spring bank holiday
Monday 6 th June	Return to school after school holiday
Friday 24 th June	Sports Day
Tuesday 5 th July	Y3 and Y4 Shakespeare Festival - evening
Wednesday 6 th /Thursday 7 th July	FS2/KS1 Presentation KS2 Movement Presentation
Monday 11 th July	Changeover Day
Thursday 14 th July	Leavers' Assembly - pm
Friday 15 th July	Leavers' Mass – am This will include the Passing on of the Candle

New Menus week 3

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Pasta Bolognaise	Chicken Fajita	Hot Dog	Roast Gammon with Pineapple	Fish Goujons
Yellow	Quorn Sausage Hotpot	Cheese Flan	Vegetable Lasagne	French Bread Pizza	Tomato Pasta Bake
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings
Blue	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	Egg Mayonnaise
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
	Cornflake Tart & Custard	Chocolate Brownie	Iced Sponge & Custard	Fruit Crumble & Custard	Lemon Shortcake & Custard
	Bun & Milk	Ice Cream & Fruit	Jelly	Muffin	Cookie & Juice
	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts