



CUMBERWORTH FIRST SCHOOL

Newsletter 16th September 2022

Welcome back!

Our first two weeks have flown by and it is lovely to see the children settling in and happily adapting to their new year groups and routines. We've got off to a great start but please remember that registration is at 9:00 and learning begins straight afterwards so good timekeeping is essential.

Due to the Bank Holiday for the Queens funeral on Monday 19th September, the EYFS Phonics workshop at 6.30pm and the KS1 Meet the Teacher session at 7.15pm has been moved to the Monday 26th September. The times will remain the same.

A polite reminder that school will be closed on Monday 19th September due to the Queen's funeral.

Head Teacher's Award

This week the award goes to William B, Oliver M and Evie W. Well done everyone!

★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★

Class Hedgehog

Jack Emma Oliver Olivia Noah
Jacob W Hattie Henry Arthur
Edward

Class Caribbean

William Daisy Evie W
Henry H George Sam
Elijah Martha B
Keighton Oscar Emma
Madeleine Darcey

Class Owl

Florence G Erin Alice
Bethany Benjamin Jessica
Vinnie Florence C
Alexander Olivia B Eve
Angus

Class Pacific

Oliver Hattie Esme Rosetta
Logan Evie Maisie S Amelie
Harry O Minnie Harry I
Georgie Isaac Zosia
Layla W Shamarah

School Photographer - Tuesday 20th September.

The school photographer will be in school on Tuesday 20th September to take individual and family group photographs of the children. Family group photographs will have been allocated a time slot where requested. Please ensure your child is in school uniform.

Years 3 and 4 - please bring your P.E. kit to change into.

Dates for your Diary.

Harvest workshops in Church.

Friday 30th September - Children will **NOT** need to come in P.E kit on these days.

Harvest Assemblies

Wednesday 19th October - EYFS & KS1 3pm in school gym

Thursday 20th October- KS2 3pm in school gym

Xmas production - whole school:

Thursday 8th Dec afternoon and evening;

Friday 9th - morning.

Parent consultation evenings:

Tues 8th November 4pm-6pm

Wed 9th Nov 5pm-7pm

Wed 16th Nov 5.30pm-7.30pm.

Further information to follow.



Thank you from Marina.



Just a quick word to say a massive 'thank you' to everyone for their kind wishes, lovely cards and very generous gifts for my retirement. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at Cumberworth and over the past 25 years it has been a pleasure and delight to play a part in the care and education of so many children. I thank you for your support, care and friendship and I will miss you all. I am, however, excited for new challenges and adventures ahead - not least spending time with, and looking after, my baby grandson when his mum returns to work next month. Thank you again, take care and I'm sure I will see some of you around and about.

With love, Marina.

Statutory Free School Meals (means tested)

Families receiving certain benefits may be eligible for Free School Meals. Please follow the link below to apply:

[https://my.kirklees.gov.uk/service/Schools and education](https://my.kirklees.gov.uk/service/Schools_and_education) [Apply for free school meals](#)

Even if your child receives free meals currently because they are in Reception or KS1 it is still worth applying as receipt of Statutory Free School Meals may attract other assistance in school such as free milk, help with the cost of school trips etc.

STARS assembly cancelled.

Please note there will be no STARS assembly for Friday 30th September due to the Harvest Festival workshops.

Rucksacks in school.

As we have minimum space in our cloakrooms please can children bring in a rucksack that is no bigger than a bookbag when coming to school. Unfortunately, there are a number of large rucksacks being brought in which are causing a trip hazard to both children and staff.

We appreciate your understanding.



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