



Burradon Community Primary School



Monday 17th March 2025

Dear Parents / Carers

1) Weekly Attendance update

Below are the individual class attendance figures for last week. The Government expectation is 96% and this should be the minimum that we are all aiming for this year!!

Attendance for Monday 10th March 2025 – Friday 14th March 2025

<u>Year Group</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Year 6	100%
Year 4/5	98.3%
Year 3/4	97%
Year 2	100%
Year 1	95.6%
FS2 (Ladybirds)	90.5%

Last week, we had 4 classes above 96% which is the national expectation. Year 6 and Year 2 had 100% attendance which is brilliant! The average attendance from Y1-Y6 was 98.2% which above our 96% target. A great week! Let's keep this up.

2) Parent / Teacher Nights

A reminder that parent / teacher nights take place this week on Tuesday 18th March and Wednesday 19th March. Many thanks for booking your appointment slot through our APP. We look forward to seeing you this week!

3) Easter Activities

Children will be taking part in an Easter morning on Friday 11th April. There will also be a boiled egg competition for any child who would like to bring in a decorated boiled egg from home on Friday 11th April.

We will also be holding an Easter egg raffle. Tickets go on sale on Monday 7th April until Friday 11th April. Tickets will be £1 a strip. Please send any money for raffle tickets into school during the week beginning Monday 7th April for your child to buy their tickets for the raffle which will take place on Friday 11th April.

Any donations of Easter eggs, chocolate or Easter sweets and jellies for our raffle will be gratefully received. Many thanks.

This year, all proceeds will go to the little boy we sponsor in Bethlehem called Omar. He is 4 years old and the money will be used to support paying for his school fees.



4) Easter holidays

A reminder that school breaks for the Easter holidays at the end of Friday 11th April. The children will return to school on Monday 28th April.

Yours Sincerely

A.L.Hunter

Miss A.L. Hunter
Headteacher

Upcoming events at Burradon Community Primary School

Letters for events and activities below, where appropriate, will follow.

18 th March	9am – Burradon Helpers
18 th March	Parent / Carer Teacher Night (online booking in place)
19 th March	Y2 visit to Newcastle Quayside and Discovery Museum (all day)
19 th March	Parent / Carer Teacher Night (online booking in place)
21 st March	Red Nose Day (letter to follow)
27 th March	Y1 Animal Antics visit in school (morning)
31 st March	Road Safety sessions for FS2-Y6 (morning)
2 nd April	North Tyneside Parent Forum parent session with Connect Mental Health Team focusing on helping your child to manage their emotions
10 th April	Active mile event (in school)
11 th April	<u>School closes at end of today for Easter holidays</u>
28 th April	<u>School re-opens after Easter holidays</u>
29 th April	Y1 and Y2 Safety Works trip (morning)
30 th April	FS1 Minibeast session for parents / carers at 9am
1 st May	FS2 Minibeast session for parents / carers at 9am
5 th May	<u>School closed for Bank Holiday Monday</u>
12 th May	<u>Key Stage 2 (Year 6) SATs week</u>
21 st May	Y3/4 visit to Newcastle University for Coding Enrichment (afternoon)
22 nd May	Whickham Thorns Outdoor Activities Centre visit for Y6 (extended day) (Y6: 8:15am into school and back to school at 4pm)
26 th May	<u>School closes at end of today for May half term holidays</u>
2 nd June	<u>Teacher Training Day 4 (school closed to all pupils)</u>
3 rd June	<u>School re-opens after May half term holidays</u>
16 th June	National School Sports Week



16 th June	EYFS (Reception and Nursery) sports day at 9:30am (main school field)
17 th June	Y3/4 Newcastle History trip (all day)
17 th June	Year 5 and Year 6 (Upper Key Stage 2) sports day at 2:30pm (main school field)
18 th June	Year 1 and Year 2 (Key Stage 1) sports day at 2:30pm (main school field)
19 th June	Y4/5 Newcastle History trip (all day)
20 th June	Year 3 and Year 4 (Lower Key Stage 2) sports day at 2:30pm (main school field)
23 rd June	EYFS trip to Cullercoats (all day)
25 th June	Phototronics taking class photographs in school (morning)
3 rd July	Y6 trip to Alnwick Gardens (all day)
7 th July	Y6 transition day for pupils going to North Gosforth Academy (Day 1)
8 th July	Y6 transition day for pupils going to North Gosforth Academy (Day 2)
16 th July	9:30am – Year 6 leavers assembly for parents / carers of children in Y6
18 th July	<u>School closes at end of today for summer holidays</u>

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