



Windermere Primary School Newsletter 6th June 2025

A word from the Headteacher

Welcome back to the final half term of this school year. The typical summer weather is with us again so please make sure your child has a jacket/waterproof in school each day in readiness for light showers so we can still give them their valuable outside time. There are a lot of events and activities happening this half term across various year groups. Please check the school calendar on the website for key events and dates and updates sent via email.

Wishing you all a good weekend.

Sarah Gilliver

Assembly Theme and value: Attitude, Hope and Joy

Our new theme for this half term is in 3 parts. We have begun by thinking about how our attitude to life can be the key to our success and today's attitude can make a difference to tomorrow. We have celebrated children who are able to identify their attitude to life.

In our singing assembly we also enjoyed a performance on the saxophone by Mrs Sami, linking with last term's talents theme and Jazz music listening focus. It really showed us how we all have hidden talents that we can share.

Summer Uniform

As we begin to have some warmer weather it is essential the children's uniform, particularly jumpers and sunhats are named so they can be returned.

Smartphone Free Childhood Presentation for parents

Following our local Headteachers' letter on Smartphone free childhood and various news and radio articles, we are pleased to share that we have collaborated with Camp Primary to provide a presentation for parents around this issue. While the campaign is driven by parents, we feel it is important to share some of the background reasoning for this. This will take place at Camp Primary School on Wednesday 11th June from 7pm. Please indicate if you will be attending by completing the form here (link also attached to the email). <https://forms.office.com/e/hX01dVv57V>

Attendance Matters:

Our Local Authority Attendance Officer will be in school next week reviewing our attendance and absence data. She will be particularly looking at data for children who have high levels of absence, patterns of absence, lateness and unauthorised absences. Following this there may be invites to meetings to explore support available and next steps. If you would like to meet with her, or discuss any aspect of attendance/absence, then please let us know.

Weekly cricket this half term

The whole school will be having a weekly cricket session every Friday, provided and led by Hertfordshire Cricket through their Chance to Shine Program. Children will need their PE kit in school for these sessions every week so they can fully participate.

Dates for your Diary:

3 rd – 13 th June	Multiplication Test period (Y4)
9 th – 13 th June	Phonics screening (Y1 and some Y2)
9 th June	Virtual athletics comp (PE Kit needed)
16 th June	Year 4 trip
17 th June	Vista transition workshop Y6 parents
18 th June	NSPCC workshops
30 th June-2 nd July	Y6 Residential
5 th July	PTA Summer fair
9 th July	Sports Day

Attendance September to 06.06.25

92.3% whole school

Ask your child about their learning

- Reception-What can you tell me about summer?
- Year 1-What are the three skills needed for cricket?
- Year 2-What are the most useful features in our school?
- Year 3-Can you name the parts of a flower?
- Year 4-What are the main features of a volcano?
- Year 5- What angle would you get if you added together 2 obtuse angles?
- Year 6- What were the main events during World War Two?

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