



Windermere Primary School Newsletter 6th March 2026

A word from the Headteacher

As we have returned from our half term break we have seen some brighter days, warmth and sunshine. We are also seeing the blossom on the trees, daffodils bloom and hearing birdsong to cheer us all. We will be looking to get back onto the field as soon as it is dry enough. Please ensure children still bring in a coat for when the weather changes as it often does! Wishing you all a good weekend.

Sarah Gilliver

Assembly Theme and Value

This half term we are focusing our assemblies on the theme of **Courage**. We have begun by thinking about what courage means and what every day courage might look like in our learning, school life and other activities. We have thought about how we may need courage as children and adults too. We have begun to think about using courage to make the right choice when others may be persuading us to do otherwise. We have celebrated children who can explain what courage is and those who show courage every day.

Attendance Matters- being ready

When children are ready and prepared for their day, it reduces any stress and worry they may have when they arrive in school and during their day. Having a checklist at home of items to bring to school, such as reading book, water bottle and PE kit, can build their independence and ensure they have all they need for the day. It also helps to reduce the phone calls home needed. Please check the school website Class Pages on the termly letters for PE days and other reminders.

PTA events support

The members of the PTA have spent a considerable time planning events for both children and adults to participate in and enjoy. Please support these wherever possible as these extra funds raised means we can provide some additional experiences such as the pantomime, a new set of Ipads, improved playground equipment and more. Please see the separate emails and posters around school for what is coming up.

World Book Day and Workshops

Thursday was World Book Day, the children dressed up to represent a wide variety of adjectives, it was lovely to see how imaginative their words and costumes were. The children also took part in drama workshops. Each class exploring a different book that they have recently studied in lesson time. The children really enjoyed the experience.

Dates for your Diary:

11 th -13 th March	Y6 residential
18 th March	Voice in a Million- Choir
20 th March	Rocksteady Concert
27 th March	Certificate Assembly
	Last day of term finish 2pm
13 th April	INSET day
14 th April	First day of Summer term.
24 th April	PTA Quiz (new date)

Ask Your Child...

This is a way to start to discuss your child's learning. You aren't expected to know the answers but can encourage them to share what they have been learning about.

R- What did Jack take from the castle?

1/2- What are the main events of Holy Week and Easter?

3- Can you explain how life changed in the Bronze Age?

4- Can you name any of the Greek Gods and Goddesses?

5- Which is easier $5 \times \frac{1}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{4}$ of 5 and why?

6- Can you name three mountain ranges?