



Windermere Primary School Newsletter 24th April 2026

A word from the Headteacher

We welcome all back from the Easter break to a busy half term. It is a delight to come back to school and be able to use our field to the fullest extent now it is dry enough. We are able to use our outdoor space for our PE lessons, use the grounds for inspiration in our art and elements of nature for our science and geography. We will also enjoy using the outdoors for some drama, reading and other activities. We really are lucky!

Wishing you all a good weekend.

Sarah Gilliver

Assembly Theme and Value

Our assembly theme for this half term is **Wisdom**. This links with all the British Values we have explored through being wise in decision making and applying the wisdom we gain through learning. We have begun by defining what wisdom is, looking at some everyday examples and learning about the wisdom of others. We have also looked at the Saints days of the UK as it was St George's Day this week. We have celebrated children who recognise the wisdom of others and those who can describe what wisdom is.

Weekly Celebration

Did you know we celebrate the most house points collected across the school each week with our House Cup? We also share attendance numbers for the classes, with the class that has the highest overall attendance being awarded the weekly Attendance Star.

Head bump notifications

As part of our First Aid and safeguarding procedures, when a child has a bump to the head, knocked tooth or any other injury in the general head area, we make a phone call home. This is not to worry you or because it is serious. Very few of these are serious. These calls are to ensure the message is passed on in addition to the accident slip, allowing you as parents and guardians to monitor when your child goes home and take any action as needed.

Curriculum information

This term's curriculum letters can be found on the Class Pages of our website. These give details of topics covered during the term, a reminder of what the children need each day and home learning expectations. Subject based curriculum information, including specifics covered in each area is available via the Key Information tab, under curriculum. If you have any questions about your child's learning and topics covered, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Dates for your Diary:

30 th Apr 5 th & 14 th May	Mini Police Y5
4 th May	Bank Holiday school closed
7 th May	Maths Masterclass
11 th -14 th May	Y6 SATs
15 th May	Kew visit Y1/2 & Reception
15 th May	Year 5 Cake Sale
18 th to 22 nd May	Walk to School Week
25 th to 29 th May	Half Term- school closed
1 st June	INSET day for staff
2 nd June	First day of second half of term

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- How does a caterpillar become a butterfly?

1/2- What is a producer?

3- How did life change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?

4- When rounding a number to the nearest 10 what is the rule?

5- What do you do to calculate perimeter and area?

6- Can you explain what a quadrilateral is? Bonus: what are the names of quadrilaterals?

Parents/carers: Have Your Say

We'd like to invite everyone, even if you or your family are not having music lessons, to tell us about your views and experience of music.



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