



Windermere Primary School Newsletter 3rd July 2026

A word from the Headteacher

The weeks are whizzing by this half term. The extreme hot weather has been challenging for all and we thank you for your patience as we have navigated these times and made changes. Our rearranged sports day this week was wonderful. Children gave the events a good try and encouraged each other well. We are really proud of how they supported each other when they could see disappointment or difficulty and praised each other's efforts. We hope to see lots of you at the Summer Fair tomorrow for the stalls and colour run.

Wishing you all a good weekend.

Sarah Gilliver

Assembly Theme and Value

Our new theme for this half term is **Happiness**. Over recent weeks, we have explored what joy is and thought about ways to help ourselves to be happy from the inside and being happy with what we have. We have had our final visit of the school year from the leaders at St Luke's church too. We have celebrated children who can describe what happiness looks like, can explain how to keep themselves happy and those who can describe what happiness means to them.

Class organisation

Letters went out this week sharing class and staff plan for 2026-2027. The summary chart is below. Any queries, concerns or questions can be directed to myself or any member of the schools' leadership team.

Class	Teacher/s	Teaching assistant/s
Reception	Ms Akthar/Mrs Milton	Mrs Wilson
Year 1/2	Mrs Clewett	Mrs Adams (HLTA)
Year 3	Miss Clapp/Miss Clark	
Year 4	Mrs Holton	Miss Amore
Year 5	Mrs Gleeson	Miss Bright, Mr Woodward
Year 6	Mrs Baker (4 days) Miss Turner (1 day)	Mrs Ahmed (4 days) Mr Holton (1 day)

Parent Coffee Morning

On Monday 6th July, the team from the Nourish Programme will be holding a coffee morning in school to showcase some budget friendly packed lunch and snack options as well as sharing tips on how to encourage children to try new foods. Come along after drop off 8:50 to 10am.

Dates for your Diary:

6 th July	Nourish day 2- parent coffee morning
7 th July	Year 6 trip to London
9 th July	Transition morning (Y6 to new schools)
10 th July	Rocksteady Concert 2:15pm
14 th July	Year 6 Performances 2pm & 6pm
15 th July	Year 4 trip to Verulamium
16 th July	Afternoon tea sharing work 2pm (all classes)
17 th July	Certificate Assembly
20 th & 21 st July	Scooter Workshops
22 nd July	Last day of the school year finish 2pm

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 happened in the story The Train Ride?

1/2- What days of the week do we go to school?

3- What can you tell me about the River Nile and its importance in Ancient Egypt?

4-Why was Hadrian's wall built?

5- What animals did you see at the Food and Farming Day?

6- Can you rehearse your lines without your script for your family?