

# Newsletter

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2019

## Clubs:

**Every day** – Breakfast Club from 7:30 am  
(Please note that children must arrive before 8:30am).

<b>Monday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y1 @ 3:15 Gymnastics KS1 @ 3:15 Cook Club Y1-Y6 @ 3:15 Book Club Y1-Y6
<b>Tuesday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y2 @ 3:15 Film Club @ 3:15 Coding Club KS2
<b>Wednesday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y1 @ 3:15 Street Dance KS2
<b>Thursday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y2 @ 3:15 Homework Club Y5/Y6 @ 3:15 Sewing Club Y3/Y4 @ 3:13 Un Deux Trois Y1/Y2 @ 3:15 Dance for Y1/Y2
<b>Friday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y3/Y4 @ 3:15 Dodgeball KS2 @ 3:15 Board Games KS2

### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January

Y3 to Tyneside Cinema (Light workshop)

### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January

Y4 Skipping Training (part 2)

### Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January

Girls' Football Tournament

Y4 Sacramental Preparation 3:15-4:15pm

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February

Y5 Hoops-4-Health @ Sports Central

### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February

Rec Stay & Play

### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Mass – 9:15 at Church (everyone welcome)

### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

Rec's Fairy-Tale Feast

Last day of the half-term

### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

Half-term Holiday

### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Back to school

### Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February

Y4 Sacramental Preparation 3:15-4:15pm

### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February

Parents Evening (by appointment)

### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Parents Evening (by appointment)

Please see the school website for more events.

This term's science topic in Year 1 is 'Night and Day', so to introduce the children to the wonders of the universe Miss Womphrey took her class to the Planetarium at the Hancock Museum. The children were mesmerised by the spectacular show and were enthralled by all the amazing scientific discoveries made about the planets. Miss Womphrey is confident that she has some future astronauts in her class!



On Tuesday afternoon, Y2 went to the Laing Art Gallery to explore the printing methods used by the famous artist and designer, William Morris.



■ Parents Evening appointment letters were sent home on  
■ Monday. Please return your completed slip to the class  
■ teacher as soon as possible. Thank you.

Twenty-five Y4 pupils have been preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation: learning how to ask God for forgiveness.



On Monday afternoon, the children made their First Confession with Fr. Bill and Fr. John.

On Wednesday, our Reception pupils enjoyed a magical morning of traditional tales, music, arts and crafts at Seven Stories.



This term, Y6 are learning about the Victorians in History. To help them with their studies, on Wednesday the children experienced the social and economic challenges faced by local people in the late 1800s by spending the day at Beamish Museum.



## ATTENDANCE

*“Central to raising standards in education and ensuring all pupils can fulfil their potential is an assumption so widely understood that it is insufficiently stated – **pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education.** DfE 2013*



## Attend today, achieve tomorrow

Attendance for last week	
Class	Attendance
Reception	97.7%
Year 1	98.6%
Year 2	97.3%
Year 3	95.9%
Year 4	98.7%
Year 5	94.0%
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>99.3%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>97.4%</b>

Another fantastic week for Y6! It's clear to see that our Y6 pupils are focused and motivated: demonstrating the drive and determination needed to prepare them for success at Secondary School. Keep up the good work, Y6.

Business was brisk at the Winits Emporium this week for those children who were **in-it-2-win-it!**

On Thursday we saw our first flurry of snow. Elodie (Y3) has a wonderful winter joke to share:

Q. What did one snowman say to the other snowman?

A. Can you smell carrots too?



Next week's statement to live by is

**I listen to what you say. I show that I am listening**