



It was wonderful to see everyone looking so shiny and smart in their new school uniforms this week. The children have begun the new school year with fantastic attitudes to learning and have already tackled taxing tasks and made gains in their learning. All our newest pupils have settled in well and have already made new friends. The tears have been few and far between but the smiles have been huge and frequent!

Thank you for preparing the children so well for their return to school after the long summer break, and for making sure they have everything they need – seeing Reception in their PE kits, concentrating on Mr Mottram’s teaching was one of the highlights of my week!

We have a busy term ahead and look forward to welcoming you in school to join us for celebrations of learning and special events. We have arranged Welcome Meetings for parents and carers of children in Reception to Year 6 as we would like to share key information with you and answer any questions you may have about your child’s new year group. Please come along if you can - see the dates section for dates and times.

Our ‘OPEN DOOR’ policy remains firmly in place so please come and talk to us if you have any comments to make – we want to hear your views so we can pass on good news or tackle any issues as they emerge. We look forward to working with you this year as we endeavour to always be the best we can be,

*Mrs Halliford, Head of School*

## Dates for your Diary

### September

Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup> 9.00-9.20am	Welcome to Year 2 meeting
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup> 2.50-3.10pm	Welcome to Year 1 meeting
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> 9.00-9.20am	Welcome to Reception class meeting
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> 1.15-1.45pm	Welcome to Year 6 meeting followed by
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> 1.45-2.15pm	Assembly by Kenton School for children & parents of Year 6
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> 2.50-3.10pm	Welcome to Year 3 meeting
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup> 9.00-9.20am	Welcome to Year 4 meeting
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup> 2.50-3.10pm	Welcome to Year 5 meeting
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	School photographs

### October

Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	Harvest Lunch
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> 1.30pm	Harvest Assembly
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> 3-5pm	Parent Consultations
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> 3-5pm	Parent Consultations
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	INSET day School closed to pupils

More dates to follow!

**BREAKFAST CLUB** begins on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 8am. Please make sure children do not arrive before 8am.

Please also ensure children are in Breakfast Club and registered before 8.20am to allow them time to eat before they play.

Children not attending Breakfast Club should arrive on the yard from 8.45am for the first bell at 8.50am.

### Class Attendance

Little Explorers	100%
Nursery	77.8%
Reception	94.2%
Year 1	88.7%
Year 2	93.1%
ARC 1	100%
ARC 2	100%
Year 3	95.7%
Year 4	89.3%
Year 5	95%
Year 6	93.5%



**GET UP!  
GET IN!  
GET ON!**



### House Attendance

Hedgehope	89%
Yeavinger	91%
Ravens	100%
Yetholm	93%

### Whole School Attendance

<b>Target</b>	<b>96%</b>
This week	92.9%
Year so far	92.9%



**Well done to all the Stars of the Week! You make Cheviot a special place.**

### Stars of the Week

Little Explorers	Millie T
Nursery	Robbie
Reception	Maddie
Year 1	Jasmine
Year 2	Tommy
ARC 1	Riley
ARC 2	Steven
Year 3	Bobby
Year 4	Jack
Year 5	Frankie
Year 6	Lucy
PE	Corbin

Thank you for your ongoing support,  
Mr Gallon, Executive Headteacher & Mr Ruderman, Chair of Local Governing Board

