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Dear parent/carer,

We thought we would just make contact and give some reminders regarding uniform expectations and personal belongings as many of you will be starting to consider school uniform shops etc in the coming weeks.

School Uniform

Full school uniform should be:

- White polo shirt (with or without the school logo)
- Red cardigan, fleece or jumper (with or without the school logo but ask you to aim to have at least one for when the children go on trips and photographs) – Year Six Red Leavers Hoodie
- Grey (not black) trousers, shorts, skirts or pinafores
- Grey, white, black or red socks/tights
- In the spring term, children can wear red gingham dresses
- Black shoes (not trainers)
- A pair of wellies for outdoor play

Please can we urge you to ensure that all clothing is labelled. Last year, the amount of lost property was unbelievable and we were not able to return it to their owners because there were no names in them.

Ideally, long hair should be tied back. As per the school uniform policy, children should consider the jewellery they wear to school. The school policy is the following:

- **One** pair of stud earrings – looped or dangly earrings are strictly not permitted
- A sensible wrist watch (not a smartwatch as this has safeguarding implications)



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Should a child be wearing any other jewellery e.g. bracelets and necklaces, they will be asked to remove them and placed in an envelope for security until the end of the school day. We would appreciate your support with this.

Please could we also remind you that acrylic nails are not to be worn in school and nail varnish needs to be removed on school days.

PE Days

The children will continue to come into school in their PE kits on the days they have PE. Feedback from the children continues to be very positive about being in their PE kit on these days as they are able to have more time doing PE as they no longer have to get changed within the hour they have allocated for PE. As yet we are not able to confirm the PE days for 2025-2026 but hope to do so the week before we return to school.

Just a quick reminder of the school uniform policy when it comes to PE kits:

- Red polo shirt
- Plain black joggers, leggings or shorts/skorts
- Plain black hoodie (Y6 Black Leavers Hoddie) It is good to get your child's initials printed on these as they are easily identifiable and can be returned if mislaid.
- Trainers

For children who have hair longer than shoulder length, it will need to be tied back and no earrings worn on these days. Children will be requested to remove their earrings for health and safety reasons so it is probably best they do not wear them at all on PE days.

Personal Belongings

Children in KS1 only need to bring in their book bag as there is not sufficient room in the classrooms to accommodate any other types of bags. Book bags are just the right size for the things the children need to transport to and from school each day. These can be purchased from the school office. When children move into KS2, they have their own locker and therefore they can have a backpack as we are able to accommodate them.

Unlike secondary schools, primary schools ensure that the children have all the resources they need for their learning and therefore, your child does not need to bring a pencil case to school.

For those of you who like to plan, please find below the diary of dates so far for 2025-2026.

Many thanks in anticipation of your valued and continued support.

Kindest regards,

Jayne Narraway
Headteacher



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Diary of Dates 2025-2026

Autumn Term 2025

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Wednesday 3rd September 2025	School Opens	All classes
Tuesday 6 th September 2025 @ 2:30pm	Arete Parents' Meeting	Year 6 parents/carers and children
Monday 15 th September 2025	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
Thursday 18 th September 2025	World Fitness Day – all children in PE kits	All classes
Thursday 18 th September 2025	Swimming starts	Year 4
Friday 26 th September 2025	Languages Day – children come in colours of the Spanish flag	All classes
w/c 29 th September 2025	Year Six residential to Arete	Year 6
Friday 3 rd October 2025	Harvest Festival – donations for Foodbank	All classes
Monday 6 th October 2025	Reception Parent/Carer Conferences	Reception Parents/Carers
Tuesday 7 th October 2025	Year 2 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 2 Parents/Carers
Wednesday 8 th October 2025	Year 1 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 1 Parents/Carers
Thursday 9 th October 2025	Year 3 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 3 Parents/Carers
Tuesday 14 th October 2025	Year 4 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 4 Parents/Carers
Wednesday 15 th October 2024	Year 6 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 6 Parents/Carers
Thursday 16 th October 2025	Year 5 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 5 Parent/Carers
Monday 20 th October 2025 @ 1:30pm	Open Afternoon	New starters September 2026
Thursday 16 th October 2025	Lowry workshop	Year 2
Tuesday 21 st October 2025	Academy Photographs	All classes
Thursday 23rd October 2025	School Closes	All classes
Tuesday 4th November 2025	School Opens	All classes
Thursday 6 th November 2025	Outdoor Learning Day	All classes – children in PE kits
Thursday 6 th November 2025 @ 2:30pm	Arete Parents' Meeting	Year 5 parents/carers and children
Friday 7 th November 2025 @ 1:30pm	Open Afternoon	New starters September 2026
Wednesday 12 th November 2025	NSPCC workshop	Year 2, Year 5 and Year 6



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Wednesday 12 th November 2025 @ 2:30pm	Year 4 PGL Parents' and Carers' Meeting	Year 4 parents/carers and children
Friday 14 th November 2025	Children in Need Day	All class – dress up in Pugsy clothing, yellow or spots.
Monday 17 th November 2025	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
w/c 17 th November 2025	Bikeability	Year 5
Friday 21 st November 2025 @ 1:30pm	Open Afternoon	New starters September 2026
Wednesday 26 th November 2025	Reception visit to Newchurch Parish Church	Reception
Wednesday 26 th November 2025	Warrington Museum Workshop	Year 1
Wednesday 3 rd December 2025 @ 9:15am	KS1 Christmas Play	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
Wednesday 3 rd December 2025	A Christmas Journey trip	Year 2
Friday 5 th December 2025 @ 9:15am	KS1 Christmas Play	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
Monday 15 th December 2025 @ 1:30pm and 6pm	KS2 Christmas Play	Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
Wednesday 17 th December 2025	Christmas Jumper, Dinner and Party Day	All classes
Friday 19 th December 2025 @ 2pm	Christmas Assembly	All classes
Friday 19th December 2025	School Closes	All classes

Spring Term 2025

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Tuesday 6th January 2026	School Opens	All classes
Wednesday 7 th January 2026	Interim Reports Out	All classes
Thursday 8 th January 2026 @ 2:30pm	Burwardsley Parents/Carers meeting	Year 2 Parents/Carers and children
Monday 12 th January 2026	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
Tuesday 13 th January 2026	Science and Industry Museum visit	Reception
Tuesday 13 th January 2026	Year 4 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 4 Parent/Carers
Thursday 15 th January 2026	Swimming starts	Year 5
Thursday 15 th January 2026	Year 1 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 1 Parents/Carers
Monday 19 th January 2026	Year 2 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 2 Parents/Carers
Tuesday 20 th January 2026	Year 3 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 3 Parents/Carers
Wednesday 21 st January 2026	Reception Parent/Carer Conferences	Reception Parents/Carers
Thursday 22 nd January 2026	Year 6 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 6 Parent/Carers



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Monday 26 th January 2026	Year 5 parent/carers conferences	Year 5 parent/carers
Monday 2 nd February 2026	Storytelling Week and Reading Café	All classes
Thursday 5 th February 2026	Chicken Wire Workshop	All classes
Friday 13th February 2026	School Closes	All classes
Monday 23rd February 2026	School Opens	All classes
Tuesday 25 th February 2026	Academy Class Photographs	All classes
Monday 2 nd March 2026	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
Thursday 5 th March 2026	World Book Day	All classes
Thursday 12 th March 2026	Book Fair	All classes
Friday 13 th March 2026 @ 9:15am	Thank You Service	All classes
Wednesday 18 th March 2026	Year 5 Safety Central Trip	Year 5
Thursday 26 th March 2026	TTRockstars Day	All classes
Wednesday 1 st April 2026	Easter Extravaganza	All classes
Friday 4 th April 2026	Easter Extravaganza	All classes
Thursday 2nd April 2026	School Closes	All classes

Summer Term 2026

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Wednesday 15th April 2026	School Opens	All classes
Tuesday 14 th April 2026	Interim Reports	All classes
Thursday 16 th April 2026	Year 2 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 2 parents/carers
Monday 20 th April 2026	Year 1 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 1 parents/carers
Tuesday 21 st April 2026	Year 3 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 3 parents/carers
Wednesday 22 nd April 2026	Reception Parent/Carer Conferences	Reception parents/carers
Monday 27 th April 2026	Year 5 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 5 parents/carers
Tuesday 28 th April 2026	Year 6 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 6 parents/carers
Thursday 30 th April 2026	Year 4 Parent/Carer Conferences	Year 4 parents/carers
Wednesday 22 nd April 2026 to Friday 24 th April 2026	Y4 PGL residential	Year 4
Monday 4 th May 2026	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
Wednesday 6 th May 2026	Great Fire of London workshop	Year 1
Wednesday 6 th May 2026 @ 2:30pm	PGL Parents' and Carers' Meeting for when in Year 4	Year 3 parents/carers and children
Friday 8 th May 2026	Outdoor Learning Day	All classes – in PE kits
w/c 11 th May 2026	Year 6 SATS test week	Year 6
Friday 22nd May 2026	School Closes	All classes
Monday 9th June 2025	School Opens	All classes



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w/c 8 th June 2026	Phonics Screening Check	Year 1 and some Year 2
w/c 8 th June 2026	Y4 Multiplication Check	Year 4
Wednesday 17 th June 2026@ 9:15am	KS2 Sports Day	Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
Wednesday 17 th June 2026@ 1:15pm	KS1 Sports Day	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
Tuesday 30 th June and Wednesday 1 st July 2026	Year 2 residential to Burwardsley	Year 2
Thursday 9 th July 2026	Buddhist Temple visit	Year 6
Friday 10 th July 2026 @ 2pm	RobinFest	All classes
Monday 13 th July 2026	SEND Coffee Morning	Parents of children with SEND
Tuesday 14 th July 2026	Reception visit to Blue Planet Aquarium	Reception
Tuesday 21 st July 2026 @ 6pm	Year 6 Production and Award Ceremony	Year 6 families
Thursday 23 rd July 2026 @ 2pm	Leavers' Assembly	All classes
Thursday 23rd July 2026	School Closes	All classes



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