

## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 26/06/2026

What a wonderful week we have had in school!

### ★ Star Awards ★

Congratulations to all of our Star Award winners this week! We are incredibly proud of your hard work, positive attitudes, and fantastic achievements. Keep up the excellent work!



### 📚 🏆 Homework Heroes 🏆 📚

Well done to our Homework Heroes for showing fantastic effort and dedication with your homework tasks! Keep up the amazing work! 📚 🏆



### 📚 Year 4 Open Classroom 📚

Thank you to all the families who joined us for our Year 4 Open Classroom. It was wonderful to see the children proudly sharing their learning and joining in activities in our lovely library area.



### **Year 5 Watersports Session**

This week, our Year 5 pupils will be taking part in an exciting watersports session. We hope they enjoy the opportunity to develop new skills, build confidence, and work together as a team.

### **Little Acorns Sports Morning**

We are looking forward to welcoming our Little Acorns families to Sports Morning this week. We hope everyone enjoys a fun-filled event celebrating the children's enthusiasm and participation.

### **Year 6 Transition to JCSC**

Our Year 6 pupils will soon begin their transition activities with their new high schools. We wish them every success as they prepare for this exciting next step in their education.

### **Sports Day**

We are looking forward to our annual Sports Day this week. We hope the weather is kind and that everyone enjoys a day of friendly competition, teamwork, and fun.

### **Fair Day**

The countdown is on for the most exciting event in our school calendar – Fair Day! This year's fair promises to be bigger and better than ever, with plenty of fun, games, entertainment, refreshments and activities for the whole family to enjoy.

Bring your friends and family along and join us for what is always a fantastic community event. You won't want to miss it! We can't wait to see you there!


### **Attendance**

Good attendance and punctuality are essential for children's learning and wellbeing. Recently, we have experienced an increase in children arriving late to school and being collected early for a variety of reasons.


If your child needs to leave school during the school day, please provide advance notice wherever possible, along with evidence of any medical appointments. Frequent interruptions impact your child's learning and also have a knock-on effect across the school, disrupting lessons and routines for other pupils.

Thank you for your continued support in ensuring children arrive on time and attend school for the full day whenever possible.

Whole School Attendance: 94.71%

Reception – 100% **Well done Reception!!** 

Year 1 / 2 – 91.67%

Year 3 – 100% **Well done Year 3!!** 

Year 4 – 89.47%

Year 5 – 97.14%

Year 6 – 90% -

## **School Dinners**

Please book & pay for your school dinners via SchoolMoney app.

## **Breakfast Club**

Doors open 8:15am and close at 8:30am.

Our free Breakfast Club continues to provide a valuable start to the school day for many of our pupils. To help us keep this service running, we are looking for volunteers who may be able to spare some time to support the club.

If you are interested in volunteering or would like to find out more, please contact the school office. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

## **After School Clubs**

All clubs need to be booked in advance and paid for at the time of booking on School Money please.

## **Little Acorns/Nursery Places – September 2026**

If you, or someone you know of need a Little Acorns (2 year olds)/Nursery place for a child in September 2026 please come to the office for a form. You could also mention our Open Afternoon to your friends and family.



## **Contacting your child's teacher**

If you need to speak with your child's teacher please either catch them on the yard or pop them a message on Dojo and they will respond as soon as they are able to (when not teaching). Thank you.

## **OneCall**

OneCall is one number you can call for all children's services, safeguarding or adult social care concerns in Northumberland, helping to keep the most vulnerable people safe and well 24-7. If you are concerned about a child or young person please call 01670 536400 or email [childrentriage@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:childrentriage@northumberland.gov.uk)

## **Is my child well enough for school?**

We aim for every child to achieve 100% attendance. Where attendance falls below 97%, our attendance procedures will begin, which may include support from the Education Welfare Officer. Parents and carers may find the following NHS guidance helpful when deciding whether their child is well enough to attend school:

### [NHS: Is my child too ill for school?](#)

If your child is feeling slightly unwell but is otherwise able to participate in normal school activities, appropriate medication (such as Calpol, where suitable and used according to the manufacturer's instructions) may help them attend school comfortably. However, parents should use their own judgement and follow NHS guidance when deciding whether their child is fit to attend. If your child becomes unwell during the school day, we will contact you immediately.

## 🎁 Easy Fundraising – for the Friends of Red Row Primary School 🎁

We have signed up to Easy Fundraising, which donates money to the Friends when you shop online. You can sign up using this link: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/redrow1st>

## 👕 Uniform 👕

A reminder that shoes/trainers should be all black for school through the week, and any trainers on a PE day. No crocs allowed. Also, please make sure that every single item of your child's uniform has their name inside it. Staff are not responsible for lost uniforms, especially if it does not have your child's name on it.

## 🆓 Pupil Premium/Free School Meals 🆓

It is quick and easy to check if your child is eligible for free school meals. This is different from Universal Free School Meals, which are available to all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. If your child is eligible, you may receive support such as subsidised educational visits and free milk. The school will also receive additional funding to help provide resources and support for your child. To check if you qualify, call 0345 600 6400. They can check your eligibility using your National Insurance number. Please consider applying – it could benefit both your child and the school. Thank you.

## 📞 Emergency Contacts/Up to Date Information ☐

For safeguarding reasons, we need two emergency contact numbers for every child in school. We also need up-to-date email addresses and home addresses for all parents and carers. If any of your contact details have changed recently, please let the school office know as soon as possible.

Thank you for your continued support. We hope you all have a wonderful week!



Summer Menu 2026



WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Fish Cake	Spaghetti Bolognese	Curry of the Day	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Chicken Nuggets
POTATOES PASTA RICE	Oven Baked Mini Waffles	Garlic Bread	Rice Naan Bread	Mashed Potato	Chips
VEGETABLES	Baked Beans	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	
SALAD BAR		Seasonal Salad			Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Water Melon	Old School Cake with a Glass of Juice	Fruit Crumble with Ice Cream	Fruit Mousse Slice	School Pudding of the Day
WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Chicken Burger in a Bun	Beef Taco's	Chicken & Tomato Pasta	Mince & Onion with Yorkshire Pudding	Homemade Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza
POTATOES PASTA RICE	Jacket Potato Wedges	Rice	Crusty Bread	Mashed Potato	Chips Pasta
VEGETABLES	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables		Seasonal Vegetables	
SALAD BAR	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad		Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Angel Delight	Fruit or Yogurt	Cheese & Biscuit	Fruit Jelly & Ice Cream	School Pudding of the Day
WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Chilli with Nachos	Plain or Cheese Burger in a Bun	Hunters Chicken	Hot Beef Sandwich	Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap
POTATOES PASTA RICE	Rice	Smiley Faces	Rice	Roast Potatoes	Pasta
VEGETABLES	Seasonal Vegetables		Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
SALAD BAR	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad		Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Fruit Whip	Fruit or Yogurt	Chocolate Muffin	Summer Fruit Cheesecake	School Pudding of the Day

Fresh Fruit and a Selection of Breads are always of available daily. Drinking water is available daily on the dining room tables. Menus are Subject to Change.

