



Derwent Vale Newsletter

This certificate is awarded to **Class 2 & 3** for highest attendance this week. **(100%)**

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Friday 6th September 2019

NUT FREE SCHOOL

- ATTENDANCE: 0 children were late this week. Well done everyone!
- Pupils arriving late will have to miss playtime so please ensure your child is at school before 8.45am
- Please drive carefully and park considerately when bringing and collecting children from school –
- PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE CAR PARK, THE BUS LANE OR THE DOUBLE YELLOW LINES.

ATTENDANCE

School attendance this week
98.41%

WELL DONE!



Our Local Authority target is 96%
Appointments should be made after 3pm

School Meals

Thank you to parents/carers for ordering school meals online via the new Lunchshop system. The new school meals system has been a great success so far & the children have been really enjoying their lunches. School meals can be ordered up to two weeks in advance on Lunchshop.

School starts at 8:45

Events coming up

10 th September	Governors meeting
12 th	New nursery children start
	Year 5 swimming
	Parent meetings, 3pm
19 th	Year 5 swimming
23 rd – 27 th	Year 5 Bikeability
25 th	Year 6 React Science trip
26 th	Year 5 swimming
27 th	Year 3/4 The Beacon trip

“Strive for 5” reading challenge.

Our Strive for 5 programme restarts again on **Friday 13th September.**

Week 1 will be **Friday 13th September to Friday 20th September.**

Reading journals must be returned on Friday mornings to ensure that children achieve their Strive for 5 for that week. Please continue to make sure that your child reads 5 times per week at home. Strive for 5 really **DOES** make a difference to your child’s reading ability which is why this is a whole school initiative. Staff will question children about the texts they read.

Remember that in the back of the reading journal you will find: - year group spellings – the ones your child is learning, times tables & an example of the handwriting style. We hope this is helpful.



Parent Meetings

We will be holding a parent meeting for each class on Thursday 12th September at 3pm. This meeting will be an opportunity to meet class teachers & find out important information about the class for this year. The meetings will take place in the classrooms. Hope you can make it!

Reading Volunteers

Mrs Fox needs your help! She is looking for some reading volunteers. Please contact us if you are interested.

Safeguarding Cumbria Local Children’s Safeguarding Board (LSCB). Concerns about the wellbeing of any child information can be found at <http://cumbrialscb.com> Tel: 0333 240 1727

NOTICEBOARD

<p><u>Lexia</u></p> <p>The username to log in to Lexia is on the hardcopy Newsletter.</p> <p>If you google 'Lexia Core 5,' the web page should be included in the search results.</p>	<p><u>School Uniform</u></p> <p>School uniform can be ordered in school or online at: www.asdesignwebshop.com</p>
<p><u>Midday Supervisor</u></p> <p>We are looking for a midday supervisor to cover for a 3 week period in October. The hours of work would be 11.30am – 1pm. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact the school office.</p>	<p>Cockermouth Scottish Country Dance Club</p> <p>Scottish Country Dancing Class</p> <p>for young people aged 7 years and above</p> <p>Why? to improve fitness, concentration, social skills, musical appreciation and listening, while having fun</p> <p>When? Classes on Mondays from 16 Sept 2019, 5.00pm to 6.30pm</p> <p>Where? Lorton Street Church Hall</p> <p>Cost? £25 for a term of ten lessons</p> <p>Teacher? Fully certificated and trained by RSCDS and DBS checked</p> <p>How to find out more and to book your place:-</p> <p>e-mail cockermouthyouthscd@talktalk.net</p>
<p><u>Who's Who</u></p> <p>Mrs Edmondson - Headteacher Mrs Robson - Administrator Class 1 (N, R) - Miss Greer, Class Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mrs Fox, Class Teacher- Miss Chamberlain, Teaching Assistant- Miss Cowan – Apprentice Teaching Assistant <p>Class 2 (Y1, 2) – Mrs Steel, Class Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Miss Stilwell, Senior Teaching Assistant- Mrs Donachy, Senior Teaching Assistant- Miss Chamberlain, Teaching Assistant <p>Class 3 (Y3/4) – Mrs White, Class Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mrs O'Donnell, Senior Teaching Assistant- Mr Maddison, Teaching Assistant- Miss Hughes – Apprentice Teaching Assistant <p>Class 4 (Y5) – Mrs Dennison, Class Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mrs Stanley, Class Teacher <p>Class 5 (Y6) – Mr Lucey, Class Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Miss Atkinson, HLTA <p>Lunchtime supervisors - Mrs Speight, Mrs Moore, Mrs Creighton Kitchen – Lesley, Tasha, Sharon Cleaning – Linda, Val Music teacher - Mr Milner</p>	<p><u>Reminders</u></p> <p>Please label <u>ALL</u> uniform clearly. No jewellery including earrings or false nails to be worn in school. New piercings must be covered by plasters from home. After the first 6 weeks earrings must be removed during school time.</p>