

Derwent Vale Primary & Nursery School

Newsletter

21st March 2025



★ Star of the Week ★

Nursery & Reception

Harper – for joining in brilliantly with every activity she takes part in

Year 1/2

Kyle – for settling into his new class so well

Year 3/4

Eve – for a great effort in her times tables

Year 5/6

Amelia – for writing a beautiful poem

Parent Meetings

Thank you to the parents/carers who attended the parent meetings for all classes earlier this week. It was lovely to see lots of parents engaging in the process and finding out how the children are getting on with their learning. Thank you for all the positive comments that were received – the school staff really appreciate them.



Year 5/6 Art

Highest Attendance this week:

Year 5/6 97.8%

Year 1/2 Multi-Sports After School Club

There will be a weekly multi-sports after school club for Year 1/2 children starting after the Easter holidays on Tuesday 22nd April, 3.15 – 4.15pm and running weekly until Tuesday 3rd June. If your child would like to attend the club, please email the school office admin@derwentvale.cumbria.sch.uk. Thank you.

Governor Vacancies

We currently have some vacancies for new governors to join our governing body. You do not need to have had any experience in schools or as a governor and you would be well supported by our current governors. If you are interested or know anyone who would be, please contact the school office for more information. Thank you.

Nursery Applications

We are now accepting applications to our nursery for children who are due to start in April and September 2025. If you have a child who will turn 3 before April or September or know someone who does, please contact the school office for an application form or more details.



YEAR 3/4 P.E

Achieving Together

Whole School Attendance

95.4%

Just below target

Our Local Authority target is 96%.



Feet First Active Travel Challenge

Well done to everyone who took part in the challenge this week!



Upcoming dates

Monday 24th March

Year 6 SATs after school club

Wednesday 26th March

Year 6 SATs after school club

Monday 31st March

Year 6 SATs after school club

Wednesday 2nd April

Year 6 SATs after school club

Friday 4th April

1.30pm School closes for Easter holidays

Tuesday 22nd April

School re-opens after Easter holidays

Year 3/4 Forest School

Year 1/2 Multi sports after school club

Wednesday 23rd April

Year 6 SATs after school club

Tuesday 29th April

Year 3/4 Forest School

Year 6 SATs After School Club

An after school SATs club for Year 6 will be starting on Monday next week (24th March). Please ensure that you have returned the permission slip for your child to attend. Thank you.



Nursery/
Reception

