



YEWDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Yewdale Primary School



Toys into School

Please can we remind parents that children should not be bringing toys into school from home. Despite our best efforts items can become lost or damaged during the school day leaving children upset. Many thanks for your support.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Thurs 29 th Jan – Fri 6 th Feb	Aspens – Lucky Plate Competition
Wed 11 th Feb	Year 5 Morton – “Matilda”
Mon 16th – Fri 20th Feb	Half Term
Mon 23 rd Feb – Wed 25 th Feb	Year 5 Cyclewise Bikeability
Mon 23 rd Mar – Wed 25 th Mar	Year 4 Robinwood Trip

Outdoor Learning

This week our Year 5 children took part in some outdoor learning with The Outward Bound Trust. The children loved the experience of building bridges and working as part of a team.

It has inspired us to start thinking about how we can do more of these activities in our learning within school.

We are asking anyone who may be able to help with any of the following:

den building materials such as wood, plastics sheets etc., tyres, a shed to store everything in, pallets, plant pots (all shapes and sizes), storage boxes, children's gardening gloves and equipment etc.

If you have any of the above lying around at home or know of any businesses that could kindly donate anything please get in touch.



Noah from Birch Class qualified to represent Yewdale School in a Trust Wide Cross Country Event this week. He managed to run 1700m in just 9 minutes and 11 seconds placing 64th out of hundreds of children! Well done Noah.

STAR OF THE WEEK



Elm – Francesca

Cedar – Zoe

Oak – Emily

Hawthorn - Emilia

Birch – Ollie

Aspen – Lucy

Willow – Harper

Rowan – Keira

Hazel – Ada

Maple – Billy



HOUSE POINT WINNERS



605

457

601

440

HOUSE CAPTAINS



FREYA



NANCIE



KAI



MILLIE P





Aspens

Lucky Plate



**From Thursday 29th
January until
Friday 6th February**



Underneath some lucky lunch
plates there will be a special
lucky plate sticker

NO PEEKING



**Could you find
the Lucky Plate?
remind your child to look
under their plate when
they have finished
their lunch**



Prizes for all ages

If your child is in
Key Stage 1 or
Reception you can
still apply ready for
Year 3 and receive
the vouchers.

FREE

SCHOOL

MEALS

Have you applied for Free School Meals?

You may be entitled to receive free school meals and vouchers
for your shopping in the holidays.

If you are not sure if you are eligible there is lots of information on the Cumberland
Council website or just give it a go and apply,
you never know.

We can help you, if you need help applying please pop in and see us.

To apply:

Google “Free School Meals Cumbria”

or visit

www.cumberland.gov.uk/schools-and-education/free-school-meals-and-activities/free-school-meals-and-clothing-vouchers



Yewdale Primary School

Uniform

PE Kit for all Years

- PE T-Shirt with school logo or plain coloured T-Shirt in child's house colour (if in doubt about your child's house colour please ask)
- Black / Navy shorts
- Black / Navy jogging bottoms
- Black / Navy Sweatshirt or Hoody
- Trainers (any kind)



All of these trainers are perfect for school



Please do not buy trainers like these for school



- We have new plain coloured PE T-Shirts, ties, book bags and PE Bags available for sale from the school office.
- We have a selection of good quality second hand jumpers and cardigans for sale in the school office.



Uniform is available from:

www.beuniforms.co.uk

or

BE Uniforms
11 West Tower Street
Carlisle, CA3 8QT



Help with Childcare Costs Before and After School Childcare

Tax Free Childcare

Tax-Free Childcare is a scheme open to working parents of children under 12 (or 17 if disabled) to help with childcare costs. For every £8 paid in, the government will pay in an extra £2, up to £2,000 (£4,000 if the child is disabled) per child per year.

How to apply?

www.gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare



We are now a part of the government's tax free childcare scheme.

You can use the tax free childcare to pay for
Breakfast and After School Clubs.

Once you have signed up and sent a payment all we need is; the amount you have sent, the date and your child's reference number and we can then allocate the money to your Breakfast and Afterschool Club account.

Please call the school office if you have any questions



FEBRUARY CAMP

MON 16TH & TUES 17TH FEB

09:30-14:30 EACH DAY

CALDEW SCHOOL, DALSTON

£30- 2 DAYS £20-1 DAY

AVAILABLE TO AGES 5-15



WEEKLY SESSIONS

THURSDAYS

17:00-18:00 AGES 4-7 18:00-19:00 AGES 8-13

FRIDAYS

17:00-18:00 AGES 6-10 18:00-19:00 AGES 11-15

SATURDAYS

09:00-10:00 AGES 4-6 10:00-11:00 AGES 7-10

11:00-12:00 AGES 11-15

ROAD TO THE WORLD CUP
PART 3

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Community Sports Trust

Carlisle February Soccer School

Harraby 3G, Edgehill Road,
Carlisle, CA1 3SL

Tuesday 17 February - Friday 20 February 2026

Ages 5-13

9am - 2pm

£60 for full camp
£20 per day



Book via Abler now

For more information and booking **Download:** The Abler app or **Email:**
Sam.Tickner@carlisleunitedcst.co.uk or **Phone:** 01228 554169



Community Sports Trust

Carlisle Dance and Gymnastics Camp

Harraby 3G, Edgehill
Road, Carlisle, CA1 3SL

Tuesday 17 February - Friday 20 February 2026

Ages 5-11

9am - 2pm

£60 for full camp
£20 per day



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The Lookout Community Hub February Half Term Activities!

Monday 16th of February @St Lukes Church- 11am to 3pm
Inflatables (until 2pm), crafts, food & fun!

Wednesday 18th of February- meet there at 4.30pm
Trip to Fusion!

Friday 20th of February @ St Barnabas Church- 11am to 3pm-
Disco, games, crafts, food & fun!

Activities are funded for those eligible - Places are limited
Children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult
All places **MUST** be booked through the online booking system



**We look forward
to seeing you!**

