



YEWDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Yewdale Primary School



Earrings – PE

Please make sure all children's earrings are removed for PE days.
Children should not be wearing jewellery to school other than stud earrings.

Reminder that we are a **nut free school**, and no nuts of any kind including Nutella and Peanut butter are allowed in school.

Please can children refrain from bringing sweets/chocolate into school and in packed lunches.



Patently waiting for the other ducklings to arrive...

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Tues 17 th March	Non Uniform Day in exchange for Chocolate! See Poster
Wed 25 th March	PTA Chocolate Bingo see poster
Friday 20 th March	Red Nose Day see poster
Mon 23 rd Mar – Wed 25 th Mar	Year 4 Robinwood Trip
Fri 27 th March – Tues 14 th April	Easter Holidays School reopens Tues 14 th April

DRIVE CAREFULLY

Please drive carefully outside school

Do not block driveways or the road - respect our neighbours

Children deserve to get to and from school safely!

PARK COURTESOULY

Non Uniform Day



to support

PTA Chocolate Bingo

Tuesday 17th March

To support our chocolate bingo we will be holding a non-uniform day on Tuesday 17th March in exchange for any donations of a chocolate item – an egg, a chocolate bar, chocolate biscuit anything chocolate

Please send all chocolate donations
to school with your child
on Tuesday 17th March



PTA Chocolate Bingo



Wednesday 25th March

**Come along for a fun evening of bingo
with the chance to win a stack of
chocolate and raise money for the
school PTA at the same time!**

5pm – 6.45pm (doors open 4.15pm)

**Bingo tickets available on the night, £1 per book
Raffle tickets also available, instant win games –
everyone can go home with a prize**

**This event is open to all family, it is always lots of fun
and there is always LOTS of chocolate to be won!**

**Come for tea, before the bingo
hot dogs, pizza, cans of pop,
sweets etc. available
on the night**

*cash only



COMIC RELIEF

RED NOSE DAY

£1 donation for
Comic Relief



FRIDAY 20TH MARCH

**Come to school in non
uniform -
with a dash of red!**

**PJ's - fine, Football kit - cool,
favourite jumper - splendid, jeans - awesome
leggings - you do you!**

**JUST HAVE A LITTLE SOMETHING RED -
EVEN A SOCK!**

STAR OF THE WEEK



Elm – Jessica
Cedar – Isabelle
Oak – Kinsley
Hawthorn – Donald
Birch – Whole Class



Aspen – Ayda
Willow – Deyvn
Rowan – Kai
Hazel – Rosie
Maple – Hattie



HOUSE POINT WINNERS

 459	408
397	345

HOUSE CAPTAINS



FREYA



NANCIE



KAI



MILLIE P

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



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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



Cumberland Council

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

Children 3 years +



YEWDALE NURSERY SCHOOL

part of Yewdale Primary School

Spaces Available From April and September

Call for more information

01228 830036





Family Community Team

Our DWP Family Community Team provides support for local families. We can help to make a brighter future for your family.

We can:

- Check your household income and benefits to ensure you are paid the right money at the right time to support your family budget.
- Refer you to local service providers and charities for 1-2-1 support depending on your individual needs.
- Provide regular progress updates to Lead Professionals where appropriate.
- We can support you through the process to show you how your finances can improve when starting work, when increasing your hours or when changing jobs.
- Signpost you to budgeting and debt support.
- Support you back into the workplace by accessing funding through your local Jobcentre, removing barriers to work such as upfront childcare costs, clothes for interviews, equipment needed for work and initial travel to work costs.
- Support you if you want to start your own business or become self-employed.
- Support you back into the workplace if you have recently lost your job or been made redundant.
- Support you or a family member with apprenticeships, traineeships, training, volunteering, work experience placements or want to improve your qualifications.
- Support you if you have a disability and want to get into work using the Government's Access to Work Scheme where appropriate.
- Advice on how to do on-line job searching using jobsites and social media platforms.
- Signpost you to organisations who can support you to update your CV and can carry out a skills audit to find out the jobs that best suit your skills.
- Provide you with ongoing in work support.

How you can contact your local Family Community Team:

Louise Armstrong, Vicky Norwood and Adele Aitken.

Email Family.CommunityTeam@cumbria.gov.uk

We are here to help you and your family

cumberland.gov.uk



Department
for Work &
Pensions



EASTER CAMP

WED 8TH, THURS 9TH & FRI 10TH APRIL

09:30-14:30 EACH DAY

CALDEW SCHOOL, DALSTON

AVAILABLE TO AGES 5-15

£40- 3 DAYS, £30- 2 DAYS & £20-1 DAY



ROAD TO THE WORLD CUP
PART 4- EUROPEAN EDITION

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

CONTACT US



WWW.ELITEFOOTBALLCARLISLE.CO.UK



07932 659 482



INFO@ELITEFOOTBALLCARLISLE.CO.UK

TAKE THE PLUNGE INTO WEEKLY LESSONS

Give your child the gift of confidence and safety in and around the water with Better Swim School.

50% OFF INITIAL PAYMENT



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