



*'Jesus said: I am the light of the world.
Whoever follows me will have the light of life! John 8:12
Our Mission: 'Be the light'*

Friday 8th May 2026

Dear parents/carers,

News from this week...

Early Years Stay and Play sessions



It has been wonderful welcoming parents and carers into school to join us in play. we've had a lovely time together playing indoors and out in the sunshine.

Careers talk



We welcomed Leanne Taylor into school to talk about her role as a parent support worker. It was very interesting and we even learned some techniques to stay calm.



100% attendance

Our attendance this week was truly fantastic! On Thursday and Friday mornings, we had 100% attendance across the whole school! Excellent attendance plays such an important role in children's learning, confidence and well being, ensuring they can take part in all that school life has to offer. Thank you for your continued support.

Year group	Attendance
N1	100%
Reception	100%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	100%
Year 1	99%
Year 2	99%
Year 6	99%
N2	96.50%

David Attenborough is 100!

Today we celebrated the 100th birthday of David Attenborough. Children and staff came to school dressed in natural colours, floral patterns and animal prints to honour his incredible contributions to our understanding and appreciation of the natural world.

Next week:

Mon 11th - Thur 14th May Y6 SATs and SATs breakfast

The Year 6 children have their KS2 SATs next week and we wish them all the very best. We are offering a free breakfast for all Y6 children from 8am Mon-Thur.

Thur 14th May PM

Y1 to Framwellgate Moor School for a Disney themed gymnastics festival.



Friday 15th May International Event

We are very excited to announce the return of our popular international day event which will take place next Friday afternoon. We have volunteers from a range of countries who will lead presentations to share information to the children. The children are very excited to travel the world! We are still looking for volunteers to represent India – if you could help with this, please message into school.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Bridon





Attendance for this week

Our school target is 97.7%

Well done to our youngest and oldest children this week – a great start to the new term!

Coming up ...

Sunday 26th April 9am

Y4 to attend Mass at St. Godric's

Monday 27th April 3.15-4.30pm

Y4 First Holy Communion preparation session

Tues 28th April 3.15pm

London trip meeting for Y6 and parents

Wednesday 29th April – Friday 1st May

Y5 Holy Island residential with Mrs Bridon, Mr Campbell, Mrs Callan and Miss Coxon

Wednesday 29th April 9am

Y6 to attend the Eucharistic Service

Wednesday 29th April 9.30am

YR NHS Vision screening

Friday 1st May 2.30pm

Careers talks for KS2 – Psychologist and family support worker

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards



Mrs Bridon