

Barley Mow Primary School

WEEKLY NEWS



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A busy start to next half term

We have a jam packed few weeks when we get back after the half term break. Many of the classes are going out of school for visits, please send back your child's completed consent forms asap if you have not already. We are due to have some nice weather over the holidays (fingers crossed) and we are hoping that this will continue when we are back in school. Please remember to send your child to school with a water bottle, sun hat and apply sun cream before school.

Smart Watches

Some of the children have started wearing smart watches to school. Please can you check that any camera/ video features have been disabled before wearing to school.

School 360 Points

This weeks total in school:

3804



ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

Our Whole school target is 96%

Last Weeks Whole School Attendance was 96.6%

	Last Week	This Year	Lates last week
Nursery	96%	92%	0
Reception	98%	95%	0
Year 1	97%	93%	0
Year 2	99%	95%	0
Year 3	99%	96%	0
Year 4	98%	96%	0
Year 5	90%	96%	2
Year 6	97%	92%	0

A big well done Year 2/3!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Nursery– Carter

Reception– Amelia

Year 1– Xander

Year 2– Frankie Jack

Year 3– Olivia

Year 4 – Arlo

Year 5 – Corey

Year 6 –Jeremy

Open Door Policy

We operate an open door policy across our school. Staff make themselves available at the start and end of the school day for quick messages. If you have any worries or need to share information which may needs a little more time you are always welcome to ring and make an appointment with your child's class teacher or myself.

Raffle Prizes

If you have managed to secure any raffle prizes for our Summer Raffle please can you let myself or Mrs McGuire know so that we can start our organisation. Thank you

**SCHOOL IS CLOSED
ON FRIDAY 22nd
MAY AND REOPENS
TO CHILDREN ON
MONDAY 1st JUNE**

2026 SCHOOL DIARY

Monday 1st June	School reopens at 8.50am
Thursday 4th June	Early Years visit– Tynemouth Aquarium
Monday 8th June	Year 5 Science event Lord Lawson
Tuesday 9th June	Theatre Group Visit to school– Pinocchio
Thursday 11th June	Monster Kick About Day
Monday 15th June	Year 2 and 3 visit- Wetlands
Tuesday 16th June	Year 1 St Mary's Lighthouse visit
Wednesday 17th June	Gateshead Summer Sing
Wednesday 17th-Friday 19th June	Newby Whiske Residential
Thursday 25th June	Non Uniform Day– bring a bottle
Friday 26th June	KS2 Athletics Festival
Thursday 2nd July	am– Early Years Sports Day
Friday 3rd July	am Y4,5,6, Sports Day pm Y1,2,3, Sports Day
Wednesday 8th July	Science Show Day in school
Friday 10th July 1.30pm	Summer Fayre
Thursday 16th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 1.30pm
Friday 17th July	School Closes 3.20 pm
Wednesday 2nd September	School Reopens to Children 8.50am

ALL HOLIDAY DATES FOR 2025-26 and 2026-27 CAN BE FOUND ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

Breakfast club is open from 8am each day and is free to all children in Reception to Year 6.

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