

Lanchester E. P. Prímary School



<u>Summer Newsletter (6)</u>

It is hard to believe that I am writing the final newsletter of the year and I am sure that many of you will be wondering where the academic year has disappeared to as well! Every week seems to be as busy as the last and we were especially lucky with the weather for our Fun and Fitness Week during the final week of last half term. Thank you all for making the Wheels Day such a success for the children. The children just love it but I am sure you don't particularly appreciate the hassle! The children thoroughly enjoyed their Skip2Bfit day too!

This half term is busier than ever and every week is completely action-packed so please look out for all the weekly letters. We also hope that our Year 6 children will look back on these last few weeks together with great fondness as they spend their last half term together as one year group. They are all heading off to seven different schools with the majority heading to Consett Academy and St Bede's. We also have some children going to North Durham Academy, St Leonard's, Wolsingham, Durham Johnston, Framwellgate Moor, Durham High School and Durham School so it really is the end of an era for them all. I am sure that all parents of Year 6 can hardly believe that the time for them to leave us is quickly approaching. Many have been with us for the whole 7 or 8 years and, as a staff, we do all become very attached to them.

Equally, we are always sorry to see some of our Nursery children leave us. More than ever are staying and joining us in Reception but, of course, some children will also be transferring to All Saints R.C. School and even further afield. Again, we are very sorry to see the children leave us, but know they will enjoy the rest of their education wherever they go. We wish them all the very best and look forward to seeing them around!

One of the great qualities of our school is the excellent relationship we have with you, our parents. We continue to have some great help on our trips and parents are an essential part of the success of these visits. We have a record number of parents joining us on the school walk and our stay and play sessions in the Foundation Stage have been exceptionally well-attended. We also really appreciated the help and dedication of over 12 wonderful parents on our 16-mile bike ride during Fun and Fitness Week which helped to make this one of the best bike rides ever! Our parents were so helpful, blowing up tyres, putting seats up and mending punctures, to name but a few of their roles that day. I do think our school perfectly demonstrates the great partnership that should exist between home and school. Thank you each and every one of you.

Ocean World is taking over our school with the whole school really throwing themselves into the topic. The auditions were packed with enthusiastic children, eager to do their best and prove what they are capable of. We have some amazingly talented children who you will get the opportunity to see on Thursday 11th July at Consett Empire! The singing is coming on especially well – they sound amazing already! This show really is one not to be missed – further details on ticket sales are to be found later in this newsletter.

The next few weeks really are action packed and exceptionally busy so please make a careful note of all the diary dates whilst also reading all the information contained in this newsletter. Please also remember that letters are sent out every Friday with up-to-date information for the following week. Even if your child forgets to bring the letter home, or is absent on a Friday, the letters are also available on our website and are actually posted there before it is printed! It is also emailed to all contacts whose email addresses we have in the system, so there is no reason why you should ever miss a letter.

As always, please do not hesitate to speak to us if there is anything at all that we can ever do to help.

Staff News





Mrs Wendy Brennan, one of our teaching assistants, will be leaving us at the end of the summer term. Mrs Brennan has worked at the school for over 21 years and has

supported hundreds of children during her time at the school. She has been an exceptionally popular member of staff and has been highly valued during her time with us. I am sure you will all join me in wishing her all the very best for her exciting future. I am sure she will keep in touch with everyone!

Class Organisation for September 2019

Every year, some very careful planning and discussion goes into deciding where each teacher will be based. This takes weeks of discussion as each teacher has unique skills and each class has unique needs. I am very confident that next year we will have another exceptionally strong teaching team with the prospect of another very exciting and successful year ahead.

	Teachers	Teaching Assistants
Early	Miss Butler, Mr McLoughlin & Mr Osmond	Mrs Davis, Mrs Moran, Mrs Nash, Mrs
Years		O'Halloran, Mrs Peters & Miss Pugh
Year 1	Miss Martin & Mrs Burke	Miss Honan & Mrs Race
Year 2	Mrs Startup & Miss Jackson	Mrs McGilvray & Mr Graham
Year 3	Mr Stephenson & Mrs Grayson	Miss Bainbridge & Mrs Evans
Year 4	Mr Stoker & Mrs Sant/Mrs Coyle	Miss Dodds & Mrs Tatham
Year 5	Mr Knighton & Mr Taylor	Mrs Grieve & Mrs Boyd
Year 6	Mr Mordue, Mrs Tate & Mr Wilson	

	Current Class Teacher	New Class Teacher	
Reception	These classes will be mixed and parents informed of their child's Year		
	1 teacher in a separate let	teacher in a separate letter.	
Year 1	Mr Osmond	Mrs Startup	
Year 1	Miss Martin	Miss Jackson	
Year 2	Mrs Startup	Mr Stephenson	
Year 2	Mr Mordue	Mrs Grayson	
Year 3	Mr Stephenson	Mrs Sant/Mrs Coyle	
Year 3	Mrs Sant/Mr Knighton	Mr Stoker	
Year 4	Mrs Grayson	Mr Knighton	
Year 4	Miss Jackson	Mr Taylor	
Year 5	Mr Stoker	Mr Mordue	
Year 5	Mrs Coyle	Mrs Tate	

Year 6 will continue to be split into two classes for the morning sessions and will come back together again as one class for most afternoons as it has been for the latter half of this year. Whilst they will have new 'registration' teachers, the children will be set every morning for Maths and English. So whilst your child may be transferring to one registration teacher as stated here, they may not actually be taught by that teacher. At the end of this academic year, the staff will be meeting to discuss which group every child should be taught in in the morning sessions. Mr Wilson also teaches Maths to a small group of very able mathematicians. We have worked in this way for the last three years and it has proved to be very successful so intend to continue with the same organisation for next year.

Mrs Sant and Mrs Coyle will share responsibility for their class with Mrs Sant teaching Maths and English every morning and Mrs Coyle teaching the foundation subjects every afternoon.

If anyone has any questions at all about these arrangements, please feel free to get in touch with me.



School Walk and Beach Day



I think the children are becoming really excited about our school walk and beach day next week on Tuesday 18th June. To many children in our school, this is most definitely

the highlight of their year which is just lovely! The weather forecast is currently looking very good, especially considering the weather we have had this week! Please remember that all children need a packed lunch for the day, plenty of drinks and sensible clothing (bearing in mind the weather up there can be very different to here!). School uniform is not needed.

This year, we are organising things slightly differently for our Reception children. They are going to do a shorter walk on the beach to allow them more time to spend on the beach, building sandcastles and playing in the dunes on their own, before the rest of the school joins them for lunch. Their bus will take them straight to Bamburgh where they will go to the toilet before walking through the dunes onto the beach.

Please remember that we do not return until 5 pm on that day and the children will be dismissed in the same way as any other day, NOT from the bus. We need to be sure that all children are dismissed to a parent/carer so please come onto the top yard for approximately 5 pm where your child will be dismissed from the usual place. However, we are unable to predict the traffic in advance, so please keep an eye on twitter where any updated arrival times will be posted.

We are, once again full on the buses for parents. Thank you all for your help. It makes a big difference to the day and allows us to have much smaller groups. We do have a waiting list for bus places or some parents do drive up there and join us for the walk. Please note, dogs are not allowed to accompany us due to health and safety reasons. It is always so lovely to see an increasing number of parents joining us for a lovely, family day out and it does help our organisation of the day (which is challenging!) so thank you all. However, please remember that all children must return with us on the buses as otherwise it becomes a logistical nightmare!

On the morning of the walk, we would appreciate it if all parents accompanying us on the trip could make their way to the Junior Hall where I will talk about the organisation and expectations of the day before you join the appropriate classes.

Please note, we will be keeping a very careful eye on the forecast. In the past, when the weather has been changeable, we have been asked to make a decision regarding whether the walk will actually take place or not, the day before to help parents who have taken the day off work. Whilst I understand that this is useful for working parents, sometimes it is just not possible to make the decision before the day itself. The only time a decision to cancel will be made in advance of the day is when we are in a period of low pressure and the forecast is for very heavy rain. In all other cases, we will wait and see what the day brings.

However, if the walk does have to be cancelled due to the weather, we will organise alternative, fun activities in school for the children to enjoy throughout the day, as we have had in the past.



Parents' Evening

This year, we are holding a drop in session on the final Monday of the school year – Monday 15th July from 4pm until 6pm. This will allow parents and carers the opportunity to discuss any issues you have arising from your child's end of year reports which will



have been given out on the previous Friday. We find holding 'normal' parents' evenings at this time of year just means that teachers are repeating everything that is written in the school report and this has been very successful in the past.

No appointments are necessary for this drop in session – just come along at any time during the two hours to see your child's class teacher. However, if you are happy with your child's report and you have no comments or issues, obviously there is no need to come along to this evening.



ParentPay

As we approach the end of the year I would strongly encourage you all, and especially the Year 6 parents, to check your ParentPay balances. Please adjust your payments accordingly for Dinner Money and Wrap Around Care to ensure that your accounts are at £0.00 for the end of the year.

I would encourage you all to pay for dinner money and any wrap around care sessions at least a week in advance to ensure that your account is always up to date.



Foundation Stage News and Trips

We are looking forward to our Nursery trips next week. On Monday 17th June, our Giraffes, Monday-Wednesday Flamingos and the Penguin Group are going on their trip to Roker Beach and Park. On Friday 21st June, our Zebras, Wednesday to Friday Flamingos and Meerkats are on their trip. Please note that for children not attending the trip, Nursery will be closed as all staff will be accompanying children. This means there is no session on Monday for Meerkats or Zebras and no session on Friday for Giraffes or Penguins.

On trip days, we would like everyone to come to Nursery for 9am please when a briefing session will take place for adults accompanying us on the trip before the bus departs at 9.30am. All children will need a bag with a packed lunch, drink and a full change of clothes. They need to be dressed appropriately for the weather, ideally with a hat and wellies. Please remember to apply sunscreen and children are encouraged to bring a bucket and spade. They will not need spending money. The weather forecast looks promising for a wonderful day out! We will return to school by the end of the school day so any unaccompanied children should be collected from Nursery as normal.

This term, Mr McLoughlin's class have been trialling the Skoolbo website as a way of practising reading and sounds, rather than using Word Box Books. This has so far proved to be very successful and it has been great to see that lots of children have been trying hard to improve their scores. Using Skoolbo means that children can be stretched to read words based on their previous successes and can automatically revisit words that they might have found tricky. We are planning to use this with our Reception children next year and are very excited about how we can use this even more to improve learning. If anyone in Reception would like some information about how to access Skoolbo, please speak to Mr McLoughlin.

On Wednesday, we will be having a visit from Laura Bryant, the Reception teacher at All Saints, who is coming to visit the children who will be starting with them in September. She is very much looking forward to getting to know your children!

Please note that on the day of the whole school walk (next Tuesday 18th), there will be no main school afterschool club, so any Nursery children staying for After School Club will need to be collected by 4.30pm. Thank you.

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Go Givers Project



Thank you so much for your textile donations. We managed to collect almost 300kg of textiles and raised £116. The Make a Difference Group have worked really hard over the last few weeks and we have been both shocked and fascinated by the facts and figures we have learned. The textile industry is responsible for a large proportion of the waste in our landfills but the discarded textiles also contribute to pollution of water supplies and have a huge carbon footprint. We have been learning about different ways we can recycle and upcycle our textiles to help reduce the amount we throw away.

We hope that our message is filtering through school and that everyone will consider a little more carefully before simply throwing something away. We are excited to be attending a presentation event in Durham on June 26th, where we will be sharing our findings with many other schools from the county.



Sports Days

The children are all looking forward to their sports days this term. On Wednesday 26th June, we have the two Foundation Stage Sports Days. Giraffes Monday – Wednesday,

Flamingos, Meerkats and Mrs Burke's class will have their sports day at 9.30 am. At 2.00 pm, the Wednesday – Friday Flamingos, Zebras, Penguins and Mr McLoughlin's class will enjoy their sports day. Both events will be held on the main school field. Parents will gain access to the school field via the school gate.

Children are to come to school dressed in their sports gear ready for the day ahead! If they wish, Nursery parents can take their children home after the Sports Day has taken place. Equally, the children can also stay with us. Foundation Stage Sports Day is all about enjoyment of the activities. It is completely non-competitive and is about participation and having fun!

On Friday 5th July at 1.30 p.m. we have Sports Day for Years 1 - 6. Again, all parents are very welcome to join us and access to the school field will be via the field gate. Once again, sports day will be a carousel of activities when all children are put into teams consisting of all year groups. There will be competitive races at the end of sports day and heats will have taken place previously for the children.

The Friends of the School will be serving tea, coffee and soft drinks during the event – a huge thank you to them as I know so many of you really appreciate this!

As usual, we will be holding a parents' race as well. There will be two races – one for men and another for women – and it is a sprint race. Please note, that we cannot be held responsible for any injury sustained due to competing in this race... it does get rather competitive on that track! We will also be having a staff race which is equally as competitive and often needs Hawk-Eye to settle disputes! Mr Knighton and I have still not recovered from our defeat last year!



SPORTS NEWS

We have had one of our most successful years yet with our many sports teams!



The Girls Football Team (coached by Mr Taylor) were incredibly successful - winning the league and cup double! Our Y5/6 Boys Football Team (Mr Stoker) competed very well in their league and cup competitions, showing an excellent attitude in every single game. The Y4 Boys Football Team (Mr Stephenson) are in with a chance of winning their league and have yet to concede a goal! We also have our very successful Netball Team (Mrs Grieve and Mrs Smith of Consett Steelers) who continue to represent themselves superbly in training and competitive games.

Our Cricket Team (Mr Taylor) are currently in training and will be playing games soon. We have also had children representing our school at the Derwentside Swimming Gala this year. Our Fun and Fitness Week was our best yet! Children enjoyed lots of sporting activities throughout the week. Huge thanks to the coaches and clubs who have worked with us this year from Consett Rugby Club, SAFC, Lanchester Tennis Club, Lanchester Cricket Club, Durham Cricket Club, Deerness Gymnastics and Consett Steelers Netball Club. We have built some very strong links over recent years and we really do benefit from the expert coaching that these clubs provide.

Now that the sunny weather is here (!) the cricket season has begun with the two teams playing their opening two fixtures at Consett Cricket Club. Despite fielding an inexperienced side, the team applied themselves superbly showing some fantastic batting, bowling and fielding skills.

The girls' cricket team have been invited to attend the county finals on Wednesday 19th June at Darlington Cricket Club where they will be accompanied by Mr Graham. This promises to be a valuable experience for all the girls - good luck!







All children from Years 2 – 6 will be taking part in our musical extravaganza at the end of the summer term in Consett Empire Theatre. The whole school has a real buzz about this show with work taking place in every classroom around this theme, art work being completed, singing taking place in every classroom, children learning their narrations and the excitement and pride at being chosen to have one of the main roles.

On Thursday 11th July, we will be holding two performances of 'Ocean World' at 1.30pm and 6pm. On this day, all children in Years 2 – 6 will need a packed lunch as we will be going up to the Empire Theatre at 9am in the morning for our dress rehearsal and will stay there for lunch and the afternoon show. Children will then return to school to be collected and then will need to return to the Empire Theatre for 5.30pm in time for the evening performance.

Tickets for the show are £5 per person and this time, ALL tickets MUST be purchased from Consett Empire Theatre directly – they cannot allow us to sell the tickets ourselves due to their auditing regulations. So, in order to allow everyone time to purchase tickets, they will go on sale from Monday 24th June and initially, there will be a maximum of 3 tickets per person per show. From Friday 5th July there will be no limit on the number of tickets purchased. This just allows a little time for all parents/carers to buy their tickets. Tickets can be bought in person from the Empire itself (opening hours are Monday 10am – 3pm, Tuesday – Saturday 10am – 3pm and 6.30 – 9pm) or you can book online via their website or via telephone (there is a £2 booking fee via telephone and £2.50 online per transaction).

Each year group are taking different parts – some are turtles, others are dolphins whilst some are the creatures of coral, fishermen, polluters to name but a few! The children, as usual, are showing amazing talent and skill and we know this is going to be another wonderful and memorable event for them all.



End of Year Reports and Results

The staff are all very busy writing the children's end of year reports which will be given out on Friday 12th July 2019. At that time, Year 1 parents will find out whether their child has passed the phonics screening check, Year 2 parents will be given the end of key stage teaching assessments and Year 6 parents will receive the results of the SATs tests. While we do receive the test results earlier than that for Year 6, these are never shared with parents until the reports are given out and until we have had chance to go through the test papers to check for any errors. I am sure you will appreciate that this is quite a time-consuming task!



Summer Fair

Our very popular summer fair is being held on the final Saturday of term on Saturday 13th July between 11.00 am and 1.00 pm. This is always a lovely way to finish the year and is another lovely social event for young and old alike. I am sure that this year's event will be even bigger and better than last year's! We have a variety of stalls and activities for the children including fairground rides, (teacups and bouncy slide), penalty shootout game, some new side stalls (including a putting game, tic-tactoe, hook-a-duck, tin-can alley, potty toss and bull ring toss), tombolas, pick-a-bottle, hot dogs, refreshments, ice creams and (weather permitting) a water slide. All we need is some dry, sunny weather!

In addition to all of these, we have our ever popular soak the teacher which the children just love! I am sure the children will love the opportunity to get a little revenge on those staff brave (or silly) enough to take part! All money raised goes directly back to helping your children in school and we hope to use it to continue to develop our outdoor area for the children.

Year 6 Leavers' Services

Our Year 6 children are coming to the end of an era at our school and we try to make their end of term as special as possible. These children have been together as a cohort for 7 years

in school and almost 9 years if you include Nursery – it is a long time and they have been through so much together during their childhood. As they are all transferring to different schools, we really do try to make sure that these last few weeks are very special for them all. During the last week, we have two very special services planned for them.

On Thursday 18th July at 1.30 pm the more formal Leavers' Service takes place, again in All Saints Church. This is a very reflective service led by the children where we make some formal presentations to the children as well as both looking back at their time at our school and looking forward to life in their new schools.

On the final day of term at 10.00 am on Friday 19th July, a much more light-hearted assembly is held by the children which is full of humour, fun, laughter and tears! All events complement each other with parents/carers and grandparents keen to attend both. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Special Educational Needs

For parents and carers of children with additional needs, you may find the Durham Local Offer website useful. It has contact details and information about the support, advice and

services available to families of children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). You can find the Durham Local Offer online at countydurhamfamilies.info

If you have any further questions about this, please contact Mr McLoughlin, our school SENDCO (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Co-Ordinator).

Non Uniform Day for the Summer Fair

As always, we are having a non-uniform day when we ask the children to bring in donations for the summer fair in exchange for wearing non-uniform. This will be held on Friday 5th July. We ask for any donations that will be suitable to use in the summer fair such as bottles, chocolates, toiletries, children's gifts etc. We will of course, remind you and the children nearer the time. This is also the day of our main school sports day but children will just change into their PE kits as usual after lunch.

Wednesday 26th June – Durham ICT Conference

We are delighted that seven of our Digital Leaders will be attending the Durham ICT Conference at Ramside Hall on Wednesday 26th June. It is a real honour that two of our Year 6 Digital Leaders have been asked to present at this event and will be sharing our effective use of social media at Lanchester EP with teachers from around County Durham. Five of our Year 3 Digital Leaders will also be in attendance and will be showcasing both now>press>play and Learning by Questions (two products that we love using at Lanchester EP). All pupils in attendance will also have the opportunity to visit the market hall and give their opinion on the many products being exhibited. 'Pupil voice' is something that we very much value and the opportunity to influence future purchases is a fundamental role of our Digital Leaders.

Friday 12th July – Northern Celebration of Education

It is a real privilege that we have been invited to be a part of the 'Northern Celebration of Education' at Northumbria University on Friday 12th July and this is another indication of the wonderful things that we are doing and how these are viewed throughout the North East. Twelve of our pupils from Year 3 and Year 4 will be attending the event and will showcase how our use of digital technology has a positive impact throughout our curriculum. Pupils will also entertain delegates by singing songs from 'Ocean World' that will have been performed the previous evening.



End of Year Questionnaires

The end of year questionnaires will be distributed towards the end of term. Please give these your due consideration as they do help to influence any changes we make in school. We value your opinions both about what you like about the school and how you think we could improve. We have made changes every year due to comments and suggestions received from yourselves. These will be given out with your child's end of year school reports so please do take the time to complete it!













Barbecue

We are holding our summer barbecue during the final week of term and this will take place on Wednesday 17th July from 3.30 pm until 5.30 pm. This is always a thoroughly

enjoyable, social evening which parents, children and staff really enjoy. Once again, Knitsley Farm will be providing all of the food, including sausages, burgers, buns and salad, so you are guaranteed top quality food! We will also be having a variety of activities that the Rotakids will be organising – please see that information below! Tickets will go on sale on Monday 1st July are £5.00 per person or 5 tickets for £20.00. Please note - all children MUST be accompanied by an adult. We look forward to seeing you there.



Rotakids Fundraising for our Bereaved Families

During this academic year, four of our children from Year 1, Year 4 and Year 6 have lost their beloved fathers. This is really quite exceptional for a primary school and all staff have felt so much for the children, mothers and extended families. We would like to show our support for them all by organising an event which will not only show the children how much we care for them, but also help to raise funds for their chosen charities.

So, on Wednesday 17th July – the day of our summer barbecue – we will be having a non-uniform day in exchange for £1 donation. In addition, this will be followed by our Rotakids organising some fun events for you all to enjoy at the summer barbecue. There will be a small charge for these activities.

The four charities who will benefit from this are:

- Haemochromotosis uk •
- Alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency
- DREAME fund through https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/steventopping
- School family have requested that their charity is the school as their child is due to leave us this year



Summer Holiday Club



We are very lucky to be able to once again host LJG Coaching's holiday club, run by Mr Graham and other sports coaches. This will be running for the first two weeks, Monday 22nd July to Friday 2nd August. Forms have already been given out to all pupils, but are also available from the School Office.

The club comprises of a number of different sports games and skills, and is incredibly popular with children as Mr Graham and his fellow coaches bring their sporting expertise to help the children enjoy themselves and get as much out of their time as possible. I know a number of people have already commented that their child enjoyed the club so much that they begged to go back for a second day!



Friends of the School

The Friends of Lanchester EP Primary School have had another highly successful year, both organising a wide range of events whilst also raising money for the school. They are very committed to our school and spend hours both organising events and staffing them.



You will have noticed that we do have the occasional 'Ice Cream Sun Day'. When we have a warm, sunny day (which is not very often at the moment) which coincides with some of the Friends having a day off work, they will tweet that we are having an 'Ice Cream Sun Day' when they will sell ice creams and lollies on the yard for 50p. This has been very popular with children and adults alike so please watch out for this on twitter.

The Overnight Camp will now take place on Friday 5th July. If anyone would like to come along who couldn't make it the last time, please feel free to pay and book at the school office. Let's hope the weather is kinder to us on this date as it really couldn't have been much worse last weekend when it should have taken place!

We are also really grateful to them that they have organised and paid for a Year 6 leavers' disco which will take place on Friday 12th July during the afternoon. We have not had anything like this in the past and I am sure that all the Year 6 children will thoroughly enjoy this treat - thank you so much!



Holiday	Closing Date	Date re-open for teaching purposes
Summer Holiday	Friday 19 th July 2019	Wednesday 4 th September 2019 Thursday 5 th September for Reception Week Beginning Monday 9 th for Nursery (Parents will be notified of dates/times)
October Half Term	Thursday 24 th October 2019	Monday 4 th November 2019
Christmas Holiday	Thursday 19 th December 2019	Monday 6 th January 2020
February Half Term	Friday 14 th February 2020	Monday 24 th February 2020
Easter Holiday	Friday 3 rd April 2020	Monday 20 th April 2020
May Day	Thursday 7 th May 2020	Monday 11 th May 2020
Summer Half Term	Thursday 21 st May 2020	Monday 1 st June 2020
Summer Holiday	Friday 17 th July 2020	To Be Confirmed

Important Dates for 2019 - 2020

KS1 Statutory Assessment Tests - May 2020

KS2 Statutory Assessment Tests - Week Beginning Monday 11th May 2020

Year 1 & Year 2 Phonics Screening Test - Week Beginning Monday 8th June 2020

DIARY DATES					
Monday 17 th June 2019	All Day	Nursery Trip to Roker Beach			
Monday 17 th June 2019	3.30pm	Kwik Cricket Team at Consett Cricket Club			
Tuesday 18 th June 2019	All Day	School Walk from Seahouses to Bamburgh			
Tuesday 18 th June 2019	1.30 – 2.30pm	Open Afternoon for Nursery New Starters			
Wednesday 19 th June 2019	All Day	Year 6 Girls Cricket Competition at Darlington			
Friday 21 st June 2019	Morning	North Durham Academy Staff Meeting Y6 Parents			
Friday 21 st June 2019	11.30-11.45pm	France Residential Visit Leaves			
Monday 24 th June 2019	3.30pm	Kwik Cricket Team in Consett Cricket Club			
Tuesday 25 th June 2019	6pm	Friends of the School Meeting			
Wednesday 26 th June 2019	Morning	Go Givers Presentation in Durham - Year 5			
Wednesday 26 th June 2019	9.30 am	Early Years Sports Day			
Wednesday 26 th June 2019	All Day	ICT Conference in Durham – Digital Leaders Presenting			
Wednesday 26 th June 2019	2pm	Early Years Sports Day			
Wednesday 26 th June 2019	4 pm	Curriculum Governor Sub Committee Meeting			
Thursday 27 th June 2019	2am (approx)	France Residential Trip Returns			
Friday 28 th June 2019	All Day	St Bede's Transition Day			
Monday 1 st July 2019	All Day	Yr 6 North Durham Academy School Transition Day			
Monday 1 st July 2019	3.30pm	Kwick Cricket Team at Consett Cricket Club			
Tuesday 2 nd July 2019	All Day	Yr 6 North Durham Academy School Transition Day			
Tuesday 2 nd July 2019	9.15 – 11.30am	Reception Visit for those coming from other Nurseries			
Tuesday 2 nd July 2019	All Day	Year 6 Consett Academy Transition Day			
Tuesday 2 nd July 2019	6pm	Consett Academy Year 6 Parents' Open Evening			
Wednesday 3 rd July 2019	All Day	Yr 6 North Durham Academy School Transition Day			
Wednesday 3 rd July 2019	8.45 - 11	Early Years Stay and Play Session for Nursery and Reception			
	12.30 – 3	*Afternoon session starts at 1pm for Reception*			
Wednesday 3 rd July 2019	6pm	North Durham Academy Year 6 Parents' Open Evening			
Friday 5 th July 2019	8.30-9.30	School Nurse Drop-In Session			
Friday 5 th July 2019	All Day	Non-Uniform Day for Summer Fair			
Friday 5 th July 2019	1.30pm	Sports Day for Years 1 - 6			
Friday 5 th July 2019	5.30pm onward	Overnight Family Camp on School Field			
Monday 8 th July 2019	All Day	Year 6 St Bede's Transition Day			
Tuesday 9 th July 2019	All Day	Year 6 St Bede's Transition Day			
Thursday 11 th July 2019	Morning	Year 2 – 6 Children at Consett Empire			
Thursday 11 th July 2019	1.30pm	Performance of 'Ocean World' in Consett Empire			
Thursday 11 th July 2019	6pm	Performance of 'Ocean World' in Consett Empire			
Friday 12 th July 2019	9.15 – 11.30am	Reception Visit for those coming from other Nurseries			
Friday 12 th July 2019	Afternoon	Year 6 Leavers' Disco			
Saturday 13 th July 2019	11am – 1pm	School Summer Fair			
Monday 15 th July 2019	Morning	Moving Up day to new classes			
Monday 15 th July 2019	4pm – 6pm	Drop In Sessions for Parents to meet Teachers			
Tuesday 16 th July 2019	6.30pm	Year 6 Sleep Over in Junior Hall			
Wednesday 17 th July 2019	All Day	Non Uniform Day in support of our bereaved families			
Wednesday 17 th July 2019	Evening	School Barbecue			
Thursday 18 th July 2019	1.30pm	Year 6 Leavers' Service in All Saints School			
Friday 19 th July 2019	10am	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly in School			
Mon. 22 nd July to Fri. 2 nd August 2019	All the Time	LJG Holiday Club in School			
Wednesday 4 th September 2019	8.50 am	Years 1 – 6 Return to School			
Thursday 5 th September 2019	8.50 am	Reception in School – whole days			
Monday 9 th September 2019	8.50 am	Nursery chidren start school – dates and times to be			
		confirmed with families			