



# Cumberworth's Weekly Newsletter

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025

## A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

It's been lovely to welcome everyone back into school this week. We've had a busy week of football competitions, farm visits and visitors into school as well as starting our new learning topics in the classroom.

We are looking forward to taking our school Parliament to the Houses of Parliament in London on Monday to find out how it all works on a bigger scale. We are hoping to bring some ideas back to school! Each class will be visiting the library in Denby Dale as part of book week and we are looking forward to celebrating our second World Book Day on Thursday!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Claxton

### Football Tournaments

On Tuesday our Year 3 football team played against 11 other teams in the Shelley pyramid at 5score. We won all our games and came second overall on goal difference. They had an amazing team spirit, communicated so well on and off the pitch and encouraged each other brilliantly.



Well done to our Year 5 football team who were in action after school at 5score yesterday! They played 3 games, winning two and losing one to finish 6th overall. They all played fantastic football, and it was a pleasure to watch



If you have a dog with you outside the school gate at pick up time, please can I ask that you are responsible for keeping it under control when other members of our school community are walking past it.

Thank you



A big happy birthday to Oliver, Emma and Elijah who have celebrated their birthday this week.

We hope you enjoyed your special day!

### Whole School Attendance Figures

Our target is 97% attendance.

Attendance	W/C 10.2.25	This Week
Whole School	96.99%	96.98%
Reception	100%	97.48%
Year 1	100%	97.50%
Year 2	90.48%	96.67%
Year 3	100%	97.85%
Year 4	94.71%	96.77%
Year 5	97.62%	96.13%

### Congratulations to this week's Stars of the Week!

Attenborough – Ralph

Sharman – Elspeth

Lenny – Emma

Roberts - Clara



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## Reminders

- A number of boys have had haircuts recently with lines and patterns shaved into the side of their heads. Please can I ask that this is something you consider for the six-week holiday rather than through the school term.
- Snacks at morning break should be healthy ones such as fruit, vegetables, cheese or yogurt. Crisps, biscuits and chocolate will be sent home, and a healthy alternative offered.
- PE Kit - should be plain black/navy bottoms and plain black/navy hoodies/fleece. Grey and white hoodies/sweatshirts are not part of our school PE uniform or colourful leggings.
- A reminder that nail varnish should not be worn in school unless on a themed/non uniform day. Earrings should be studs only, not hoops which should be removed or taped over at home for PE sessions. No other jewellery should be worn, and children will be asked to remove this at school and put into bookbags moving forwards.

## Diary Dates

### March

3<sup>rd</sup> – School Parliament visiting the Houses of Parliament

Denby Dale Library Visit – Team Roberts

4<sup>th</sup> - Denby Dale Library visit – Team Sharman

6<sup>th</sup> – World Book Day

Denby Dale Library visit – Team Lenny

7<sup>th</sup> - Denby Dale Library visit – Team Attenborough

11<sup>th</sup> – Team Attenborough and Sharman visit to the Ledston Estate

18<sup>th</sup> – Catherine Cawthorne Read event with Team Attenborough

KS2 Hockey Festival at Storthes Hall, 4pm

21<sup>st</sup> - KS1 football skills session with Project Sport

26<sup>th</sup> – KS2 River Study visit to Crowden

28<sup>th</sup> – Purple Cow – Class photos

Mother's Day afternoon tea

### April

1<sup>st</sup> – Messy Church 3:30 – 4:30

After school film night, 3:30 – 5:00

2<sup>nd</sup> – Easter Worship for parents

4<sup>th</sup> – Break up

## After School Film Night

On Tuesday 1st April, we would like to invite our children to a Film Night after school – pick up will be 5:00pm.

Children are welcome to bring their own snacks and drinks. If you would like your child to attend the film club, please make payment of £2 through ParentPay by Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March.

