



Cumberworth's Weekly Newsletter

Friday 25th April 2025

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Thank you for bearing with us this week with the new fobbed gate and door, these should be open at the beginning and end of the day and the system hasn't been communicating with them. Hopefully on Monday the gate will be open from 8:30am at the beginning of the day and from 3:20pm at the end. The front door will be open from 8:15am each morning until 8:55am.

Well done to our Y5 Bikeability children who were all out on the road after lunch on the first day and all passed the course today.

Classroom Kitchen started working in school this week working on food preparation skills as part of the Design Technology curriculum. Team Sharman made a tomato and onion bruschetta with basil, Team Attenborough made a rainbow wrap and the after school club made a fajita to take home for their tea, it all looked and smelled delicious!

Next Friday afternoon we will be going on our Spring wellbeing walk. We would like to invite any parents that would like to join us to meet at 1:15pm in the playground. The walk usually takes a couple of hours. Stars will be done before lunch just for the children and staff on this day.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Claxton



Oliver we hope you enjoy your birthday this weekend. We can't wait to hear all about it!

Whole School Attendance Figures

Our target is 97% attendance.

Attendance	W/C 31.03.25	This Week
Whole School	96.70%	97.48%
Reception	98.89%	97.43%
Year 1	97.50%	98.57%
Year 2	95.24%	97.67%
Year 3	98%	98.55%
Year 4	97.78%	96.70%
Year 5	98.10%	96.15%

Congratulations to this week's Stars of the Week!

Attenborough – Mia-Rose

Sharman – Ralph

Lenny – Emma

Roberts - Mace



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Sports Champion

Reuben Ward, two-time bronze medallist will be visiting Cumberworth on **Thursday 12th June**. More information about Reuben can be found using the link below.

<https://sportsforchampions.com/athletes/reuben-ward/>

On the day children should come to school wearing their PE kit.

Sponsorship forms will be sent home on Monday and should be returned to school no later than **Monday 19th May**, along with online donations through the Crowdfunder QR code or below link. This will ensure that we have the relevant reward available for your child on the day.

The Cumberworth CofE First School Fundraiser - a Community crowdfunding project in Huddersfield by Sports For Champions UK (CIC)



*Join us to celebrate the 80th
Anniversary of VE Day*

DATE: THURSDAY 8TH MAY 2025

TIME: 12:00PM - 13:00PM

PLACE: CUMBERWORTH FIRST SCHOOL

**DRESS CODE: RED, WHITE & BLUE OR
1940S**

Bring your rugs, tables, chairs and picnics and join our school
community to commemorate this special day!





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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.



Sporting Achievements

Well done to our KS2 first and second team netballers who took part in a Hi - 5 competition at Shelley College also after school on Tuesday. Both teams played with amazing team spirit and resilience to come 3rd and 5th out of 10 teams. A special thank you to Mrs Gregory for running the after school club for us!



Diary Dates

April

28th – Ninja Skipping Challenge all week
29th - Team Attenborough to Yorkshire Wildlife Park all day
30th – After School Games Night

May

1st - Classroom Kitchen for Lenny and Roberts
2nd – 1:15pm – Whole school spring wellbeing walk. All children in PE kits. No Stars worship for parents
5th – BANK HOLIDAY
6th – Year 3/4 Residential to Cliffe House
4pm – KS2 (Y5) Tag Rugby event at Scissett Middle School
7th – Year 3/4 at Cliffe House
4:40pm – Neilly Races
8th – VE Day. See invitation sent out last half term
Bags 2 School to be returned to school

Well done to our Year 3 boys and our Year 4 girls who all took part in Neilly Races on Wednesday after school this week.

