



I do hope you all had a lovely Easter break. Many congratulations to Mr and Mrs Dunstan on their wedding – Mr Dunstan proved to be quite a mover on the dance floor!

Also, welcome back to Mrs Walker in Class 1. It is lovely to have her back with us.

This week saw our first farm visits to L'Enclume Farm. Rory worked with three groups across the school to show them around. They visited the chickens, looked in the poly-tunnels at all the different vegetables and then planted their own squash seeds. We will be revisiting the farm again later in the term to plant the seeds out and then harvest them. Meanwhile, Rory will be visiting school to get our greenhouse up and running with the children. We are working towards entering Cumbria in Bloom, so if we have any green fingered family members who would like to get involved, do let us know!

Best wishes,
Mrs Battersby

Please can all parents/carers ensure that all school uniform and PE kits are clearly named so that stray items can be returned to the correct owner.

Uniform

We now have a new alternative school uniform provider called "Koolskools". They make uniform from Fairtrade cotton. A letter has been sent home with all the details and information about the company. Over the Easter holidays please can **ALL** parents/carers check their child's/children's school uniform and PE kit to ensure they have the correct uniform and PE kit and have it **clearly labelled**.

School PE kit

White polo shirt
Black/Navy shorts
Trainers/pumps
Plain black/navy tracksuit

School Uniform

Black/grey/white socks
White polo shirt
Navy jumper/cardigan
Grey/black trousers
Grey skirt/school dress
Grey/black/navy tights
Black school shoes.

Next Guitar/Ukulele lesson will be on Tuesday 24th April

Hopefully the sunshine will be here for a while but as the weather warms up please can you ensure all children have a water bottle in school at all times and use sun cream/hats on hot days.



A little note from Mrs Staggs -

I would like to say thank you for my lovely send off at the end of last term. I feel very privileged to have taught at Cartmel for nearly 9 years and to have made so many good friends and taught so many wonderful children. I was extremely touched by all of your kind words, cards and gifts and wanted to thank you all from the bottom of my heart. I very much look forward to spending my gardening vouchers now that spring seems to have finally arrived and the beautiful olive tree is now sitting on the decking in my back garden. With lots of love, Mrs Staggs x

School Clubs

Bible and Me club is due to start again this term.

This will take place on the following dates.

25th April/2nd May/9th May/16th May. The four sessions will take place from 12:30 – 13:00 each Wednesday. Please can you let school know via email or phone by the end of the week if you wish your child to take part.

Mr and Mrs Dunstan had a terrific wedding day during the Easter holidays. Thank you to all those families who so generously contributed towards a wedding gift.



Dates for your Diary

Event	Time	Date/place
Cricket Club	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Every Monday
Keith's Multi Skills	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Every Wednesday
Islam Day	During school time	Wednesday 2 nd May
Mini tennis	1pm-3pm	Wednesday 9 th May for class 2 children.
Mini tennis	1pm-3pm	Thursday 10 th May Class 3 children.
KS2 SATS		Week beginning 14 th May 2018

Minutes for Governing Body meetings can be requested from the clerk.

Can we also remind parents who use After School Club that pick up is 5.30pm at the latest. Any parents who pick up after this time will be charged a fee of £5.00 per child per 15-minute slot.

Important

Please remember to inform a member of staff if you have arranged for somebody else to collect your child/children from school or afterschool club.

Parent / Pupil information **Order online purchase of school uniform**

Please find attached a link to your schools uniform web site

www.oneidentity.co.uk

If you go to

- register now for school uniform (register as new customer)

this can take up to 48 hrs to confirm

Then once you have received a conformation email sign in on the site

Go to

-shop for uniform here in the categories section

Any problems please phone 01229 823584

Contact details

Please can parents/carers remember to update the school with change of address and contact details so we have the correct information in case of an emergency.

Children should not be left in the school playground prior to 8.30am without adult supervision. The school will have a member of staff on duty daily from 8.30am