



(Article 2)



All children have these rights, no matter who they are, where they live, what their parents do, what language they speak, what their religion is, whether they are a boy or girl, what their culture is, whether they have a disability, whether they are rich or poor. No child should be treated unfairly on any basis.

Friday Letter



1st May 2026

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Dates for the diary:

Monday 4th May - Bank Holiday

Friday 22nd May - Break up for May half term

Monday 1st June - Occasional day

Tuesday 2nd June - Return to school

Pupil Progress Meetings (Reception)

Mrs Morton will hold pupil progress meetings on a Thursday morning beginning Thursday 7th May. Meetings will last around 10 minutes and can be held face to face or by telephone. They are now available to be booked using the link below:

<https://billquayprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

If you have any problems with booking using the system, please contact the school office.

Online Safety Newsletter

Please find attached our monthly online safety newsletter.

Headteacher Appointment

Last week, governors successfully appointed Mrs Vicky Page as our new headteacher. Mrs Page comes from a school in Durham where she works as deputy headteacher and will take up post at Bill Quay from September.

Sun Cream

Now that we are into the summer term, could we please request that on sunny days, children have a bottle of sun cream in their bags. Parents/carers of younger children should ensure sun cream is applied before school.

Sports Day (Nursery and Rec)

Children in Nursery and Reception will have their sports day at school on Monday 22nd June starting at 1.30pm. Parents/carers are invited to come along to watch. Children who do not usually attend Nursery on a Monday are welcome to come along and join in.

Sports Day Arrangements

As you are aware, our sports day this year will take place at Monkton Stadium on Thursday 25th June. The morning session will focus on field activities such as throwing and jumping as we have use of some of the equipment from Monkton. Where age appropriate, our pupils will also have the opportunity to experience the long jump into the sandpit and the high jump. There is no need for parents to attend the morning session-we appreciate that you are at work and may struggle to take the whole day off, but if you wish to attend, please feel free to do so. Our afternoon session, starting at 12.30, will focus on traditional sports day activities on both straights of the track. Pupils should wear their PE kit with their coloured t-shirt, together with a waterproof coat/suncream, and will need a packed lunch and plenty to drink. Thank you to those parents and carers who have offered their support throughout the day. Fingers crossed for good weather!

Sports Day (Year 1-Year 6)

Sports day will once again be held at Monkton Stadium on Thursday 25th June. If you are unable to transport your child to Monkton Stadium a coach will be provided. In order to make appropriate travel arrangements for your child, could we please ask that all parents/carers follow the link below to let us know if your child requires a space on the bus.

<https://forms.gle/8Aqf6CtwufW84Keb9>

Please ensure this form has been submitted no later than **Friday 8th May**.

Could we please ask that if your circumstances change and you can either no longer take your child or they no longer require a seat on the bus to inform the school office as soon as possible.

On sports day, children will be taking part in their family tree groups. If possible, we would like your child to come to school wearing a coloured t-shirt depending on their family tree group. If you are unsure of which family tree your child is in, please contact the school office.

Family Tree	Colour
Beech	Blue
Maple	Red
Chestnut	Black
Willow	Green
Birch	Yellow
Oak	White



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SESSIONS FOR ALL
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USE OUR VENUE TO CELEBRATE:

- End of School Term
- Birthdays
- Sport Club Events
- Weekend Fun
- School Rewards Trips and more...

FROM TRAMPOLINES, VALO INTERACTIVE GAMES TO FUN AT THE FAIR MINI GOLF, ARCADES... THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

FOR MORE INFORMATION & PRICING CONTACT RECEPTION@INFINITEDURHAM.CO.UK



SUMMER TERM EVENTS

JUNE

Monday 1st - Occasional Day

Week commencing 22nd - Sports Week

Monday 22nd 1.30pm - Sports Day (Nursery/Rec)

Thursday 25th - Sports Day (Years 1-6)

Monday 29th - Non-uniform Day

JULY

Friday 3rd 1.30pm - Summer Fayre

Thursday 9th & Friday 10th - Move Up Days

Tuesday 14th - Year 6 Leavers Shows

Thursday 16th 2pm - Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Friday 17th - Last Day (Toy Day)