



(Article 31)



You have the right to play and rest.

Friday Letter



3rd July 2026

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Dates for the diary:

Friday 17th July - Break up for Summer

Blue Day - Wednesday 15th July

In March this year, one of our pupils experienced the tragic loss of his younger brother.

The family is now raising funds to form a charity in his memory. This will be an independent support network to families who feel uninformed or need advice to follow up care and treatment for their child. The group will offer guidance and clarity to ensure no family feels unsupported through their journey, after diagnosis.

We are asking our Bill Quay families to help.

On Wednesday 15th July we would like to invite all children to come to school wearing blue, as the sibling's favourite character was 'Bluey'. Please support Year 2 in their sponsored walk around the local community by bringing in a cash donation. Any donation, big or small will help get the charity started.

Let's do our bit to support our own and show our strength as a community around this Bill Quay family.

Online Safety Newsletter

Please find attached our monthly online safety newsletter.

Snack Attack

Due to other events in school, there will now be no snack attack until we return in September.

Year 2 Beach Trip - Tuesday 7th July

Year 2 will be visiting South Shields Beach on Tuesday 7th July. Children will have the opportunity to get an ice cream or ice lolly while they are at the beach. If you wish for your child to receive one, please ensure £5.00 is paid using the SchoolGateway app. This covers the cost of the ice cream and the metro. A link to the consent form containing further information has been sent to you via email.

Nursery Graduation

There will be a graduation on Wednesday 15th July for all children who are moving up from Nursery into Reception in September. This will begin at 1.30pm. Parents/carers are welcome to attend school from 1.15pm.

End of Year Celebration Assembly - Year 6

Our end of year assembly will be held on Thursday 16th July at 2pm. Parents/carers of children in year 6 are welcome to attend and should arrive at school for 1.45pm.

Outstanding Payments

Now that we're nearing the end of term, could we please ask that any outstanding payments are settled using the SchoolGateway app.

Year 6 Leavers' Shows

Children in year 6 will be performing 'Cinderella' in their end of year shows on Tuesday 14th July. This year there will be two shows, details are as follows:

1.30pm (relaxed performance) - any parents/carers who wish to attend with younger children should attend this show.

5pm - no children under the age of 6 allowed.

Tickets will be available for parents/carers of children in year 6 and in the choir and can be purchased on the SchoolGateway app at £3.00 per person from Monday 22nd June. Tickets are restricted to 2 per family until Friday 10th July. Any spare tickets after this date will be offered on a first come first served basis. All children taking part in the show will need a packed tea on this day. Children will be staying in school at 3.30pm in readiness for the second performance.

Toy Day

All children are invited to bring a small, inexpensive toy to school on Friday 17th July.

Flu Immunisations (Rec-Year 6)

The school nurses will be in school on Friday 2nd October to administer the flu vaccine to all children whose parents/carers wish for them to receive it. Could we please ask that you follow the link below to complete the consent form. If you do not wish for your child to receive this, we would appreciate that you still complete the form to opt out.

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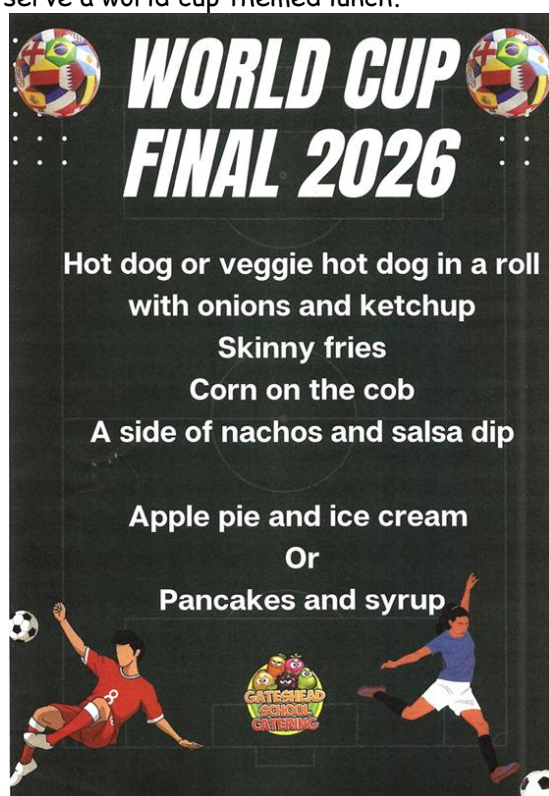
The school code is: **NB108357**

Menu Change

On Thursday 16th July, the school kitchen will serve burgers with roast potatoes instead of pie.

World Cup Day

On Friday 10th July, children are invited to come to school wearing a football strip to celebrate the world cup. The school kitchen will also serve a world cup themed lunch.





Treat your child to a day in the forest this Summer!

*** SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS 2026! ***
Michelangelo's, Ryton, 10-3pm

21st, 22nd, 23rd July
28th, 29th, 30th July
4th, 5th, 6th August

Order a delicious Italian takeaway to be delivered to the woods! (£35 per day with own food / £40 per day with food)
Suitable for children from Reception age and upwards.

Activities can include campfire and s'mores, fire lighting, mud, sand and water play, outdoor crafts, mud kitchen, tools, hammocks, messy play, hill climbing and free time to explore.



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