

Remember, our whole school target is above 95%.



What's gone... 2nd - 5th May

Star of the Week

Year 1	Britney
Year 2	Lincoln
Year 3	David
Year 4	Samantha
Year 5	Olivia
Year 6	Millie

Weekly Attendance League Table

😊 = 100% class attendance
 😊 = best class attendance (not 100%)

Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
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Remember to check out our Facebook page



Head Teachers Award
Louie D



House Group Winners!	Best Class Attendance	Whole School Attendance
Red	Y2 100%	96.3% 😊

Race for Life: Our second Race for Life event took place last Friday and it was a wonderful occasion made special by the number of parents who came along early to run and walk the route with their children. The children made a superb effort to get dressed in pink for the run and got into the spirit of the event. Massive thanks to everyone for their donations—we raised £300 for Cancer Research—and the support of the FDD who provided drinks and biscuits after the run. If you haven't already seen the video Mr Byers put on Facebook last week then please go and have a look. It really captured the atmosphere of the day. Thank you and well done to you all.



Please note
We are no longer able to accept the old £5 notes



Reminder

If you child is absent from school please ring the school office before 9am to inform staff.
Thank you.

Ambulance Service: A very big thank you indeed to the Ambulance Service and Scott Dalton and his colleague Jack for spending the day in school last Friday to give the children an insight to the work of our paramedics. The children of all ages really enjoyed the experience and of course the opportunity to sit in the ambulance. Many thanks to Scott, Jack and the service once again.



Young Leaders

Here are our new Young Leaders. They provide valuable help and support to our younger children through organizing games and fun during lunchtime.



Year 6 SATs:

I must pay tribute to the year 6 children who begin taking the national SAT exams next week. They have worked so hard this year learning about mathematical concepts, complex grammar rules, thousands of spellings and so much reading too. They have shown an outstanding attitude to learning and they are thoroughly prepared and ready for the challenge of next week. Mrs Pearson, Mrs Elliott and Mrs Cawley have done a wonderful job to prepare the children who look very relaxed and confident. All that remains now is for the children to have a lovely weekend, lots of play and in school nice and early on Monday for a special SATs breakfast! Just make sure you keep Mr Byers away from the food. Breakfast will be served between 8.30 and 8.45am

Gold Award: Congratulations to Mrs Ireland who has secured the Sunderland Music Hub Gold Award 2016-17 for our school. The award is given for the academic provision and achievements of our pupils and is totally deserved. Great news!

Whats on 8th - 12th May

Rugby Y5: There is a tournament at Monkwearmouth next Tuesday afternoon for some of the year 5 children against our rival cluster schools. Children taking part will be notified of clothing to bring. All children will be returned to school ready for 3:20pm

Alnwick: Year 5 are off on their educational travels next week with a trip to Alnwick as part of their topic work. Children must wear their school t-shirt and jumper, sensible shoes and can wear tracksuit bottoms. Packed lunches are provided. Please be at the school for 8.15am as we will be leaving at 8.30am.

Diary Dates

- 08.05 KS2 SATS Week
- 15.05 Derwent Hill Week
- 17.05 Meeting for NEW reception class parents starting in September. 11am Music Room
- 19.05 Meeting for NEW nursery class children starting in September. 10am Music Room
- 29.05 Half term week
- 05.06 School re-opens

The Safeguarding designated people are: Mr Williamson, Mrs Pearson and Mrs Burdon.

The Anti-Bullying Coordinators for the school are: Mrs Burdon and Mrs Pearson. Please view the Anti-bullying policy on the school website.