



Headteacher: V McDowell

9th December 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Wow, how exciting this week has been! The pantomime, 'Jack and the Beanstalk', was amazing and it was a joy to see all the children joining in with the chanting and singing. You would have been extremely proud of their behaviour whilst walking to the Carnegie and during the performance. Thank you to Mrs. Gill George, one of our LAB members, who supported with Class 1 on the trip.

Class 1 and 2 have been practising hard for their Nativity play, 'Shine, Star, Shine!' and are looking forward to performing this at the Community Centre on Monday and Tuesday followed by, on Wednesday, a lovely school Christmas dinner cooked by Mrs. Bode (I know this will be a lot of hard work, so we thank her in advance). Thank you to Bell Group who have provided a donation so that pupils can have Christmas crackers and a gift after their dinner. We are also looking forward to carol singing and seeing Santa at school towards the end of next week -only if we're very good! I hope that you will be able join us for some of these events.

Our Year 4 children have blown us away with the improvement in their Times Tables test scores and we have seen huge improvements in whole school Reading ability.

Finally, we were delighted to host a visit from MP Mark Jenkinson this afternoon. He was blown away by how hard the children were working during their Fast Maths lesson and they asked such intuitive questions.

Kind regards,

Mrs. McDowell

Headteacher

ADMISSIONS FOR NURSERY & RECEPTION 2023

We are open for nursery and reception applications at Northside Primary School.

If you know anyone looking for a school with a friendly and engaging learning environment, Please give us a call on **01900 62255** – We would love to meet you!

PE Days are

Tuesday & Thursday for all classes PE kits must be brought to school Our PE Kit consist of;

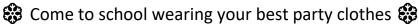
- White t-shirt (Logo optional)
- Black shorts or joggers
- **Trainers**

Reading Books

Please can all children being in their reading books to school every day.

Children who bring their book bags in daily will receive 10 minutes extra playtime on Friday at 2pm





3:15pm - 4:30pm

🕅 Juice and snacks provided

£1 per child, all children welcome (Payment can be made by cash or Parent Mail)

* Please contact Miss Mitchell to book your place!

All children must be collected by an adult at 4:30pm 公





Attendance Heroes

Well done to this week's attendance heroes.

Class 4 - Years 5 & 6

have the highest attendance this week.

This week's attendance

Class 1: 75.71%

Class 2: 90.67% Class 3: 88.89%

Class 4: 92.00%

Whole school: 87.10%

National benchmark: 96.6% Every Day



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Our attendance is very low this week. There are a few bugs going round, please continue to wash hands to prevent these bugs from spreading. Please remember, attendance to school is extremely vital to children's learning.

Stars of the week

Class 1: Mya-May

Class 2: Archie

Class 3: Tommy



Class 4: Chase

Well done!!





Upcoming dates

12th December Class 1&2 Christmas Play, 10am 13th December Class 1&2 Christmas Play, 10am 13th December Little Life First Aid, KS2 14th December Christmas Dinner Day 15th December Carols at Tesco, 11am 15th December Santa visiting Northside! 16th December Carols at Community Centre 11am 16th December Christmas Disco, 3:15pm – 4pm 20th December

School finishes for Christmas

100% Attendance this week

Well done to the 45 children who have 100% attendance this week This is absolutely amazing!

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Christmas Jumper Day 2022



Wow, everyone looked absolutely amazing in their Christmassy jumpers, t-shirts and accessories this week.

Thank you so much to our families for all their donations. We are pleased to confirm we raised £62 for CFM Cash4Kids & Jigsaw, Cumbria's Children's Hospice



♥★★★CHRISTMAS RAFFLE ★★♥★

We still have raffle tickets for sale for our amazing Christmas raffle. Tickets are £1 per strip. We have some wonderful prizes on offer.











