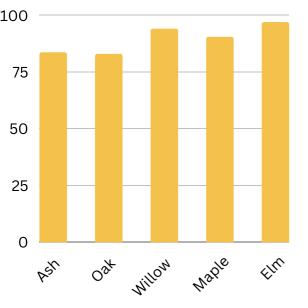
Newsletter





Attendance



Our whole school attendance for week 5 (3rd - 7th October) was **89.46**%.

The class with the highest attendance was Elm



Highlights

- Forest School Day each class has had a Forest School session this week and they have done some amazing activities! Check out our Facebook page to see the photos and find out what they got up too.
- Film Night this was our first school fundraising activity. We had over 50 pupils stay to watch either The Adam's Family or Inside Out and raised almost £400.
- AMAZING NEWS! We have been chosen to be one of the next Co-op Community Trust beneficiaries. This will run from 23rd October for twelve months. Please ask everyone you know to go on the Co-op app or website and select our school for rewards. You don't have to live in the local area; anyone in the country can choose us! Help us to raise as much money as possible!
- Each class had a session from Life Education this week. Karen, who delivers the sessions. complemented us on the excellent behaviour of our pupils which is always great to hear. The children enjoyed learning about their bodies; healthy lifestyles.



Parents' Evening – Tuesday 1st November

Please complete the form (below) to select your preferred time by next Wednesday. Class teachers will send out information next week. If you would prefer a phone call or online meeting, please contact your child's teacher. https://forms.office.com/r/JM7PLMRsVX

Lunches

Please complete
the lunch form for
ALL pupils in
school
https://forms.office.com/r/exTQMJtN
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Year 6 residential to Lockerbie Manor

Our Year 6 pupils are going to their residential trip at Lockerbie Manor on Monday. We hope they have a fabulous time and make some amazing memories!

When the pupils arrive on Monday, they can bring their luggage directly into the hall. Please see Elm Class Dojo for any extra messages from Mrs. Simpson. They will have an early lunch and leave at 12:30pm.

We will post on Class Dojo what time they are due back on Wednesday.

Maple Class Worship

Maple Class pupils have planned a whole school worship on the theme of Respect and Thankfulness which they will deliver next Thursday at 9:15am. Parents who have a child in Maple Class are welcome to attend. It will be followed by our end of half-term Celebration Worship.

Half-term

School will close for halfterm on Friday 21st October at 3:30pm and reopen on Monday 31st October.

Dance

There will be no Laura Sandham School of Dance classes next week as the 6-week block finished this Wednesday. Please make sure you have paid for the first half-term before starting a new block. The new term will start on Wednesday 2nd November.

Miss Gemma is going to have an extra dance festival rehearsal instead on Wednesday next week, from 3:00-4:30pm. Pupils who have swimming can join at 3:30pm. Please can your child/children attend if possible. (Year 6 pupils will not attend due to returning from Lockerbie).

Tickets for the show at the Winter Gardens on 15th November are selling fast so if you are planning on watching, book soon to avoid disappointment!

Letters about costumes will come home next week so you can source items in the half-term holiday.

There are still places left on the half-term Halloween themed dance day. Look out for a competition on our Facebook page to win a free place.



Monday 17/10/22 - Wednesday 19/10/22 - Year 6 Residential trip to Lockerbie Manor

Thursday 20/10/22 - Maple class worship 9:15am

Friday 21/10/22 - School closes for half term - 3:30pm

Monday 31/10/22 - School opens for all

Tuesday 1/11/22 - Parents' Evening

Tuesday 15/11/22 - Dance Festival - Blackpool Winter Gardens

Thursday 1/12/22 - School Christmas Fair

Saturday 3/12/22 - Knott End Christmas Lights Swith On

Tuesday 13/12/22 - Christingle Service at St Oswald's Church - KS2 pupils



Open Sessions

It has been a busy week showing families round school during our Open Sessions. All of the pupils who volunteered on Saturday were superb advocates for the school. Our Head Boy and Head Girl team have conducted tours today and shared their enthusiasm with our visitors.

If you know any families looking for a pre school or Reception place, please ask them to contact Mrs Adams in the office - 01253 810324





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