



NEWSLETTER

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w/e Friday 10th July, 2026

Welcome, Ласкаво просимо, добро пожаловать, Witamy, Sveiki, Bienvenido, Bienvenue, ยินดีต้อนรับ to our weekly newsletter.

Term Dates

School closes for the Summer holidays on

Friday 17th July, 2026

and reopens on

Wednesday 2nd September, 2026

Details of term dates are available on our website, click the calendar icon



Updated PE Lessons for Summer Term

Reception Class - Tuesday & Thursday

Year 1 - Tuesday & Wednesday

Year 2 - Tuesday & Friday

Year 3 - Wednesday & Friday

Year 4 - Monday & Wednesday*

Year 5 - Monday & Thursday

Year 6 - Wednesday & Thursday

*Year 4 will attend swimming lessons this term, please see Class Dojo for more detailed information

YEAR 6

Summer Term Dates

Tuesday 14th July, 2026 – Year 6 Leavers' Mass

Mass will take place at 9.30 am in Holy Family Church, followed by refreshments in the school hall, and some fun games between the children and adults.

Thursday 16th July, 2026 – End Of Year Show

Our end of year performance, 'The Wizard Of Oz' will take place at 5.00 pm in the school hall. We are very excited for you to see the hard work the children are putting into this production. Further details regarding arrangements for performance day will be added to Class Dojo.



Pupil Success!

We are very proud to share the success of our Year 3 pupils who have recently celebrated an incredible tournament with their football team.

The boys play for Darlington 21st Allstars Under 9 Jets, who competed in the Promotiv8 June Cup in Washington. The team enjoyed an outstanding tournament, they were undefeated in all 8 games and won against Whitley Bay in the final.

Both boys contributed towards many of the goals scored and the team's fantastic achievements throughout the day. Congratulations from everyone at Holy Family!



Happy Birthday

to pupils celebrating their birthday during the next week.

Nathan

Maiya



Despite constant reminders, we still have unpaid accounts with substantial outstanding amounts.

Next week is the last week of this academic year. Please can all families pay their outstanding balances for meals and wraparound care clubs.

Please also ensure there is sufficient credit on the account to cover meals and wraparound care until the end of term.

Thank you in advance for your support!

Class Outings

YR Trip to Hall Hill Farm

Tuesday 14th July, 2026

Y2 Trip to The Auckland Project

Thursday 16th July, 2026

Further details have been sent by email and further information will be added to Class Dojo.



The Summer holidays are a wonderful opportunity for the children to continue learning. They can develop their geography knowledge, experience different cultures, practice their reading, try a new hobby, learn to ride their bike or simply enjoy time with family and friends.

We would like to create a special newsletter feature in September, sharing the wonderful memories the children have made during the Summer.



Whether travelling abroad, exploring the UK or spending time at home, we would love to hear about anything the children do and anywhere they go.

Please send us an email to tell us about it (attach a picture if you are happy to share one).

We can't wait to see where the Summer takes you!

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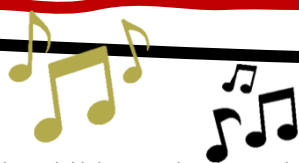
Starting School & Nursery

This week we have welcomed children and families who are starting Reception Class and Nursery with us in September.



Our Reception Class families came along for a Teddy Bear's Picnic and our Nursery children have been for two visits. They had a play session with their adult and then an individual visit.

We hope everyone enjoyed their time in school and nursery. We can't wait to welcome everyone again in September.



Brass Concert

The children who have brass instrument lessons in school with Durham Music Service performed a short concert for their families. Thank you to everyone who came along to support the children. They were delighted to showcase what they have been practicing and we are incredibly proud of their confidence and progress. Well done to all our musicians.

