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## News Update 13th June 2025

**Dear parents and carers,**

**Let's start our news update with our celebrations:** Well done to all our golden work children this week.

### **Golden Work**

Chloe in nursery for sustained concentration on her life cycle matching

Ada in Nursery for fantastic labels and creativity using buttons to represent her family

Noah in y2 for his fantastic twisted tale

Carter in y4 for his wonderful progress with writing

Kody and Rivansh - Y3 - for using tone accurately when sketching.

Abel and Finn - Y3 - wonderful factual report writing.

Lucas, Albie and Paisley - Year 2 - for superb descriptive story writing.

Emmie in year 5 for wonderful translation in maths

**Healthy snacks-** A gentle reminder that we are a health school therefore the snacks children bring in for breaks should be healthy- such as fruit or cereal bars. There are an increasing number of children bringing crisps, biscuits and chocolate. On Fridays children are permitted to buy chocolate from the tuck shop or to bring their own chocolate snack as they wish.

**Nut free school-** Please be vigilant in checking all food items children bring to school. No items that have nuts in the ingredients or state they may contain peanuts, almond or a specifically named nut can be consumed in school and will be removed from children and placed in the school office to be returned at the end of the school day.

**Attendance-** As we move towards the end of the academic year please be mindful of attendance and requesting unauthorised holidays. Every moment counts in the school day up until the last day of term. You can now check your child's attendance rates on Arbor on their profile, this is kept up to date.

**Colour run-** A reminder that parents have until Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Sports Day Timetable reminder**

It is fast approaching that time of year when our Jericho Sports Day and Colour Run is due to

be held. As our school field is out of action, we have made the decision to host our sports day and colour run at **Whitehaven Academy on Friday 27th June**. Please see below a timetable of when your child's year group will be taking part in their events. Further information on how the day will run will follow after half term. This date is for Reception to year 6 only. Nursery will hold their own events separately and details to follow.

Times are:

Year 3/4 - 9:30-10:30

Year 5/6 - 10:45 - 11:45

Reception/KS1 - 1:00 - 2:15.

### **Appeal for cereal boxes for Year 1**

As part of our DT learning, Year 1 are making castles. If you have any spare, thin cardboard (cereal boxes are perfect) that can be easily cut by young children, please could they be dropped off at the Year 1 door or the office.

**Permissions to walk home:** If you want to change the permissions we hold on file for your child to walk home or to an adult (year 3 and above only) please pop into the office

**Job roles for current y5 children only:** Attached are the roles our y5 children have the opportunity to apply for. Our pupils taking responsibility and being an integral part of the running of our school is a valued part of the pupils personal development opportunities. They can apply to become a class buddy, librarian, team captain or a head or assistant head pupil. They can apply in any creative way they choose i.e making a short video, writing an application, creating a poster or maybe even a rap! Pupils will have all summer to do this as applications will be due at the end of August in preparation for our return in September. The children have been already excitedly asking if the application window is open. All applications can be sent to Mrs Ball at [lbball@jericho.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:lbball@jericho.cumbria.sch.uk) or handed in as paper copies too to their class teachers.

**Rugby Camp:** Hensingham ARLFC are holding a St Helens development rugby camp in the summer holidays (Monday 1st September) for children aged 5-12 @ £10 for 10am-3pm. To book tickets, please follow this link: [Buy tickets – Hensingham Saints Rugby League Development Camp – Hensingham ARLFC](#)

### **Dates for Summer Term 2:**

2nd-4th June - Year 4 Residential to Hawse End

Wednesday, 4th June 2025 - Year 6 parents meeting for London Residential.

12th June 2025 - 6W- Mrs Parkinson/ Mrs Fawcett- 12th June 2025

13th June 2025 - 6H- Mrs Coulson- 13th June 2025

17th June - Year 1 trip to the farm.

18th June - Year 1 Trip to the farm.

19th June - Year 2 trip to Lowther Castle

23rd June 4H Mining Workshop

25th June - 4H trip to Walkmill

Friday 27th June - Sports Day - Year 3/4 - 9:30-10:30, Year 5/6 - 10:45 - 11:45 ,  
Reception/KS1 - 1:00 - 2:15 at Whitehaven Academy.

Friday 27th June - Colour Run

30th June - 3rd July - Year 6 Residential to London

30th June - 4W Mining Workshop

1st July - Reception trip to Farm.

2nd July - 4W Trip to Walkmill

Whitehaven Field Trip and Spanish Galleon visit: 9th July 2025

Leavers' disco: 16th July 2025, 4-6pm

Leavers 'assembly: 17th July 2025 - Morning - time tba.



# Librarians

## What does the job involve?

You will:

- Help in the library at set times agreed with school staff
- Have training to use our library software
- Organise and shelve fiction books in alphabetical order according to their author's surname
- Organise and shelve non-fiction books in subject order
- Keep the infants' and juniors' banded book boxes and library van stock tidy and in the correct order
- Issue and return each class's blue topic book boxes
- Help with library displays
- Assist other pupils to find the books they are looking for
- Help to plan and launch whole school reading celebrations, initiatives and opportunities such as World Book Day, Summer Reading Challenge and inviting authors into school
- Meet with the Literacy and Library teams to share your ideas to help promote reading for pleasure at Jericho

## What experience do I need?

You must:

- Have a love of reading or be keen to develop a greater interest in reading
- Be enthusiastic in promoting our motto that 'Every day's a reading day at Jericho!'
- Communicate well with adults and especially other children, including younger children. This may involve listening carefully to others' reading preferences or asking questions to pupils visiting the library to find out what their interests are
- Be open minded when recommending texts - not all girls like fairy tales and not all boys like football fact books!
- Encourage people to look past the front cover of the books by pointing out the blurb and first page
- Know how to alphabetise (ordering books for A-Z)
- Be able to follow instructions and carry out daily tasks as directed by school staff
- Always return a Jericho smile! 😊

## Personal qualities

You must:

- Be friendly, enthusiastic and helpful
- Like working with other children
- Enjoy organising
- Be happy to give your own time whilst still focusing on your own achievements in class
- Be reliable and work as a member of a team



# Team captain



## What does the job involve?

You will:

- Be the captain and lead your colour team during intra-school competitions.
- Work with the other team captains and sports co-ordinator to organise events every half term.
- Plan and organise the competition time table.
- Canvas the school and talk to children from all key stages to find out what competitions they want to participate and make **progress** in.
- Be a leader on and off the pitch by setting a good example for everyone to follow.
- Collecting the team points weekly for the assembly and updating the leader board in the hall.
- Take responsibility for sorting the school team kit and spares for competitions.

## What experience do I need?

You must:

- Be able to listen carefully to other children, from reception to year 6.
- Be able to communicate effectively on and off the pitch.
- Be organised.
- Be able to lead games and judge/ ref them fairly.
- To be a true 'sport person' demonstrating respect and humility.



## Personal qualities

You must:

- Know how to promote respect, resilience and be a role model when participating and leading sports with the PE co-ordinator.
- Be gracious in defeat.
- Be a confident communicator and have the ability to run games.
- Use the **ripple effect** to encourage and support your team mates.
- Independence and initiative to bring new sporting ideas.



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# Head pupil/ Assistant head pupil



## What does the job involve?

You will:

- Be a superb role model, prepare and support activities that encourage all Jericho pupils to achieve and know how they can make **progress** not only in learning but within themselves.
- To be ambassadors for Jericho School and the **Art of Brilliance** at all times.
- Organise and lead regular meetings with pupils who have responsibilities across school- i.e safety officers, buddies and team captains.
- Present during assemblies to staff, parents and pupils. Lead during celebration assemblies and acts of worship.
- Promote and live our core values of adventure, **creativity**, nurture, respect and achievement.
- To **positively** greet visitors to school and lead guided tours.
- Meet with the senior leadership team regularly to discuss current school issues, playing a part in planning for Jericho's future and continual improvement.

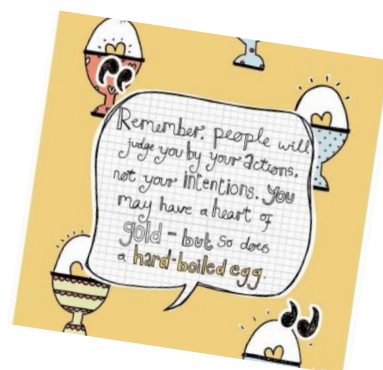


To report as head pupils to the Governing body during meetings and visits to school.

## What experience do I need?

You must:

- Be an excellent listener.
- Have great communication skills and know how to **make connections**.
- Be able to lead others i.e in making decisions and agreeing on solutions.
- Have good time management skills and be organised.
- Be able to resolve conflict and help others to work through disagreements.



## Personal qualities

You must:

- Be willing to give up your own time, whilst still focusing on achieving your best.
- Be ready and committed to becoming a great leader and **2%er**.
- **Take ownership** and be reliable.
- An active member of the school team.
- A great motivator and lead by example.
- Promote equality, be tolerant and understanding, and celebrate being **YOU-nique**.
- Be confident to be the spokesperson for others.
- Have the ability to set '**Huge Unbelievably Great Goals for yourself and the school**.'
- Have the desire to learn new skills and be ready to face new **challenges**.



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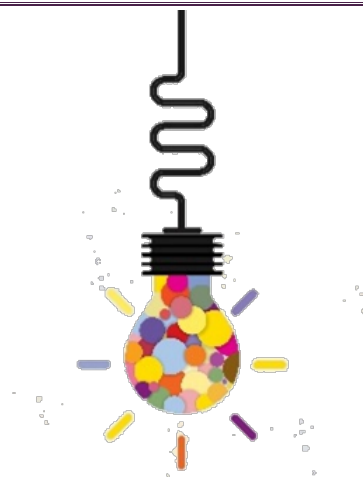
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# Buddies



## What does the job involve?

### You will:

- Start school promptly at 8.40am to prepare the classroom with teachers.
- Set a great example for other by wearing your full school uniform with pride.
- Remind pupils of our Golden Rules, rights and responsibilities.
- Greet children coming into school with parents, help them settle ready for the school day.
- Explain to children how to get started with their morning tasks.
- Meet with the senior leadership team to share your ideas and let us know of any issues from children in your class.
- Help younger children resolve their differences and work together when needed.
- Support younger children to self-register and order their dinners each morning.
- Attending regular meetings with the head and assistant head pupils (These may be at lunch/ break time or after school).

## What experience do I need?

### You must:

- Enjoy working with younger children.
- Be able to listen carefully to others.
- Communicate well with both children and adults.
- Always return a Jericho smile.
- Be able to follow instructions and carry out daily tasks as directed by school staff.
- Be able to lead games with small groups of children.

## Personal qualities

### You must:

- Be kind, caring, friendly and helpful.
- Like working with younger children.
- Enjoy taking responsibility.
- Be happy to give your own time whilst still focusing on your own achievement in class.
- Be reliable and work as a member of a team.



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