

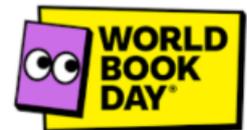


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## 6th March 2026

We have had an action packed week with great work happening in maths, science and across the curriculum. We are ending the week with our new learning topic in Design Technology - Souper Soups. The children have been taste testing soups today and will be making their own soups and designing recipes over the next few weeks. Our youngest children (early years) have been enjoying being outdoors and created their own cafe with mud pies and other delights to sell in their shop!



## World Book Day

We went 'all in' on World Book Day by joining the literacy trust quiz and live sessions as well as celebrating our favourite books and characters.



The children had a chance to interview each other about their reading and recommendations and Class 2 children have also been given the chance to apply to be reading ambassadors or leaders across the school.

## Stained glass window

You might remember that we've been working with botanist Carol Wilson. A few months ago, Carol and her daughter-in-law Nicky hosted an art workshop for us. The children looked at fresh flower specimens and used their skill as artists to look really closely and draw the shapes and the colours they could see. Nicky collected the photographs of the artwork and she has used them to create the most amazing 'stained glass window' on an acetate that we can stick onto our school window. We are going to put this up as soon as we can – have a walk along and see it, it's even more beautiful in 'real life' than it is in this picture! Thank you so much to Carol and Nicky for sharing their time with us and for showing the children how art can be presented in such a wonderful way.

We have also been creating our own individual stained glass windows as part of our RE topic about God and the Trinity. The children have looked at examples of stained glass in different churches and designed their own.



## Dates for your diary

**Monday 16th March** - parents evening.

**Thursday 19th March** - year 5 cross country at Longridge Towers in the afternoon. Children will need to wear their PE kit.

**Friday 27th March** - West End in Schools visit to deliver Shakespeare workshops in the afternoon.

**Monday 30th March** - our Easter church service at Lowick church 10.30am - everyone welcome



**Friday 3rd April** - Good Friday and the beginning of our Easter holidays for the following two weeks. School will reopen on Monday 20th April.

**Tuesday 28th April** - KS1 multiskills sports festival at Belford Primary alongside children from other schools

**12th - 13th May** - Year 3/4 residential at Ford Castle.

**Week beginning 25th May** - spring half term holiday

**Thursday 4th June** - Countryside day at Wooler show field for the school children - Children will need a packed lunch or grab and go.



**Tuesday 9th June** - main school trip to Arbeia Roman Fort in South Shields - you can find out more here: <https://www.northeastmuseums.org.uk/arbeia> We will be having a guided tour as part of our visit. Children will need a packed lunch or grab and go.

**15th - 16th June** - Year 5 residential camp at Scremerston with the 'Outdoors People'. More information to follow very shortly.

**Friday 19th June** - Year 3/4 cricket festival at Swarland Primary School alongside children from other Aln Alliance schools.