

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS



What an amazing day Year 1 had at Auckland Park

Our Year 1 children had an amazing time on their trip to Auckland Park on Wednesday last week.

With great enthusiasm the children learned about the story of St Cuthbert in St Peter's Chapel, and looked at all the amazing stained glass windows in the chapel. After that, they decorated their own stained glass windows to represent the story of their life. They also explored the paradise garden and planted their own sunflower seeds, and even had a run around in the lovely sunshine!

The children were amazing ambassadors for our school with their excellent behaviour and it was fantastic to see them enjoying their different learning experiences - Well done Year 1!

Miss Pearson and Miss Ware



Friday 12th June '26



Hello everyone,

I cannot quite believe that we are only five weeks away from the end of term. This academic year has flown by and we have a busy five weeks ahead of us.

Selina Wilson, recently made us aware that Mabel Leonard who once worked at Emmaville, was celebrating her 90th birthday. Having been made aware of this, the children prepared cards and a gift for Mabel which she received on her special day. After her birthday celebration, I received a lovely letter from Mabel thanking the children for their gift and cards. Within the letter, Mabel said, 'I shed lots of tears and laughs when reading some of them, but oh the happy memories they brought back of the 26 and a half years I spent in the infant department of Emmaville School. The job was my idea of heaven, working with the children.'

We are all so pleased that the children's small gesture brought so much joy to Mabel, and we are pleased that she was made to feel extra special on her birthday.



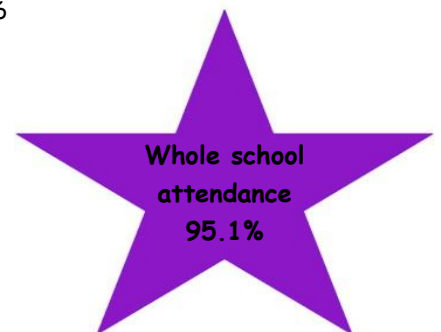
Next week the Year 6 children will be off to London to enjoy their residential visit. We have everything crossed that the sun will shine for their well-deserved visit after working so hard to prepare for, and take the end of Key Stage 2 SATs. I think there will be much fun to be had in London!

Enjoy the forthcoming weekend.

Avril Armstrong

School Attendance - Week Ending 05.06.26

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| Year 6: North America | 96.5% | South America | 92.6% |
| Year 5: Antarctica | 97.9% | Oceania | 92.1% |
| Year 4: Africa | 99.3% | Asia | 96.7% |
| Year 3: Northern Europe | 99.2% | Southern Europe | 94.6% |
| Year 2: Northern Ireland | 97.1% | Wales | 89.6% |
| Year 1: England | 95.1% | Scotland | 93.5% |
| EYFS: Gateshead | 90.7% | Newcastle | 99.2% |
| Crawcrook | 95.7% | | |



Well done Africa for the best attendance last week.



On Monday 8th June, 3 teams from Emmaville, completed at Whickham in the Y5/6 Girls Softball Competition. Each of the Emmaville teams were in different pools and at the end of the morning session, the points were totalled up to decide who made it through to the semi-finals. Team 1 progressed and won their semi-final comprehensively. The final was against Whickham Front Street and it was always going to be a tight game. Emmaville eventually lost the game after playing very well, finishing the competition as runners up.

It was a fantastic day with some excellent cricket played in a friendly atmosphere, and the girls thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Mr Harrison

Softball



During this sunny hot weather, please make sure that your child arrives at school with a sun hat, their water bottle and having had sun screen already applied.

New water bottles can be purchased from the school office at a cost of £1.95.



Salto UK, our school uniform suppliers, have informed us that the deadline date for the new academic year uniform orders is:

Saturday 18th July 2026

If your child has sickness and/or diarrhoea, they must stay off school for **2 full days** after the last bout of the illness.

dates to Remember

Monday 15th - Thursday 18th June - Antarctica's class Bikeability training

Tuesday 16th - Friday 19th June - Y6 Residential Visit to London

Thursday 18th June - Y2 and Y3 children will participate in a Cricket Engagement Day

Tuesday 23rd June - Y5 Religion and World Views Trip to ISKCON Hindu Temple in Newcastle

Wednesday 24th June 1.30pm - 2.45pm - Stay and Play session for those children joining our reception cohort in September and who do not currently attend Emmaville's Nursery

Thursday 25th June - Y5 Puberty Talk

Thursday 25th June - Y6 and Mini Health Champions to complete CPR training with the North East Ambulance Service

Friday 26th June - Y4 and Y6 pupils to represent the school at the GSSP Athletics Festival

Friday 26th June at 2.30pm - The Y3 children would like to invite their families to join them for their class assembly

Monday 29th June - Nursery children to visit Hall Hill Farm

Tuesday 30th June - Thorp and St. Thomas More Y6 Transition Day

Tuesday 30th June at 10am - Reception Class Sport's Day

Tuesday 30th June at 1.45pm - Nursery Class Sport's Day

Wednesday 1st July - Thorp and St. Thomas More Y6 Transition Day

Wednesday 1st July am - Step up Morning

Wednesday 1st July at 6pm - Nursery Parent's Induction Evening

Thursday 2nd July - Y2 pupils to visit the Angel of the North, Baltic and to complete some geography field work in Newcastle

Friday 3rd July - School closed

Monday 6th - Friday 10th July - Enrichment Week

Theme - The World Cup, & the positive impact of sport & exercise for health & wellbeing

Monday 6th July - Y4 Religion and World Views Trip to Hexham Abbey

Thursday 9th July - Y5 to attend the Glasshouse for the Big Sing event

Friday 10th July - Non School uniform Day in aid of School Fund
A contribution of £1 would be most welcome

Monday 13th July - Reports to be emailed to parents via Arbor

Monday 13th July at 7pm - The Y6 children would like to invite their parents to their 'Leavers Performance'

Friday 17th July - School closes for the summer holiday

Tuesday 1st September - School reopens



stay & play



Invitation



SPORTS DAY

STEPUP



End of the show
show!



Please note, there will be no After School Club on Friday 17th July.