



**Mowbray Primary School**  
**Stakeford Lane**  
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**Northumberland**  
**NE62 5HQ**

**Headteacher: Mr Andrew Miller**

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20 April 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back after the Easter break.

#### Forest School Spring Event

As you will be aware from our programme of events published last September, the Forest School Spring Event will be on Friday 27 April 2018. Weather permitting, the event will start at 1.30pm. Please ensure that our usual signing out procedure is followed and that any adult who will pick up your children other than yourself is named on their Collection Sheet or is aware of any password.

#### Collection of Children

Our revised collection procedures have been operating for a number of weeks now. Please ensure that other adults are aware of the procedure to collect your children. Any changes to the named people on the list must be made in writing to the school office.

#### Warm Weather

As the weather improves, we would like to ensure that all children enjoy the sun safely. As we anticipate more sunny days we are advising the following:

- Children bring a sunhat or cap to school
- Children should be provided with UV protection sunglasses
- Suncream (at least SPF15 with UVA and UVB protection) is applied before children come to school

Children, particularly on Forest School or Outdoor PE days, should bring a named bottle of sun cream into school for re-application. Children should be able to apply this themselves, however, if they are unable to apply this themselves, staff can apply the suncream to face, neck, arms and hands only.

If your child requires a staff member to apply sun cream, please complete a form which you can collect from the school office indicating whether you give permission for this to happen.

We also have cool water drinking fountains throughout school. Your child will need to bring a named re-sealable bottle into school to access these.

On very sunny or high UV days, we may limit the amount of time that children spend exposed to the sun.

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🌐 [www.mowbrayprimary.northumberland.sch.uk](http://www.mowbrayprimary.northumberland.sch.uk)

Nursery Places for September

We are still accepting Nursery applications for 15 and eligible 30 hours provision for September 2018, January 2019 and April 2019. If you would like to apply for a place for your child, please contact the school office or Mrs Baldwin.

Lost Property

We currently have several hundred items of un-named property at the office. It will be on display at the school office over the course of next week. Please ensure that items of clothing are named as far as possible. In most cases, named lost property quickly finds its way back to its owner.

Yours sincerely

**Mr A Miller**  
**Headteacher**

Monday 23 April		Project St George
<b>Wednesday 25 April</b>		<b>Class Photographs</b>
Friday 27 April	1.30pm	Forest School Spring Event
Monday 14 – Friday 18 May		Year 6 SATs
Monday 21 – Friday 25 May		Year 2 SATs
Friday 25 May		School Closes for Half Term
Monday 28 May – Friday 1 June		Spring Half Term Week
Monday 4 June		Pupils return to school
Monday 4 – Friday 8 June		Writing Week
Monday 11 – Friday 15 June		Year 1 Phonics Tests
Tuesday 12 June	9.00am	Reception Class Assembly
Thursday 14 and Friday 15 June	11.30am	Fathers' Day Lunches
Monday 18 – Friday 22 June		Den Week
Tuesday 19 June	9.00am	Larch Class Assembly
Wednesday 20 June	9.00am	Elder Class Assembly
Thursday 21 June	9.00am	Beech Class Assembly
Tuesday 26 June	9.00am	Oak Class Assembly
Wednesday 27 June	9.00am	Chestnut Class Assembly
Thursday 28 and Friday 29 June		Year 4 Camping Trip
Thursday 28 June	9.00am	Mulberry Class Assembly
Monday 2 July		Canada Day
Tuesday 3 July	9.00am	Maple Class Assembly
Wednesday 4 July	9.00am	Holly Class Assembly
Monday 9 – Friday 13 July		Sports Week
Tuesday 10 July		Transition Day
Wednesday 11 July	9.30am 1.30pm	Sports Day Summer Fair
Friday 20 July	9.00am 2.00pm	Leavers' Assembly School Closes for Summer Holidays