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Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to school. I hope everyone had an enjoyable Easter holiday.

Photographer

Please note that the photographer will be in school on Thursday 4 May to take class photographs.

Forest School Spring Event

A reminder that the Forest School Spring Event will be on Friday 5 May. You should have received a letter regarding this event earlier in the week. If you have not yet received the letter, please contact the school office.

Term Time Holidays

You will no doubt be aware from the news that The Supreme Court passed a ruling on term time holidays before Easter after the regulations were challenged by a parent in the Isle of Wight. Please be reminded that I am unable to grant holiday requests in term time unless parents prove exceptional circumstances. The Supreme Court upheld the ruling that parents could be fined by local authorities for taking children out on unauthorised term time holidays. As a result, if you choose to take your child on an unauthorised term time holiday, Northumberland County Council may issue penalty notices.

Email

Many parents have requested newsletters and communications via email. We are pleased to say that we will be trialling this system over the coming weeks. If you are unable to receive email, paper copies will still be distributed. Please complete the slip below to ensure we hold an up to date email address for you or to indicate you require a paper copy of the letters.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Miller
Headteacher



Name of Child/ren _____ Class _____

Email address _____

☐ I would like to receive emailed newsletters and other communications

☐ I would prefer a paper copy of newsletters and other communications

Signed _____ Date _____

Friday 7 April	Easter Service / Break up for half term
Monday 10 – Friday 21 April	Easter holidays
Monday 1 May	School Closed – May Day Bank Holiday
Thursday 4 May	Class Photographs
Friday 5 May	Forest School Spring Event
Friday 26 May	Break up for half term
Monday 30 May – Friday 2 June	Half term
Monday 5 June	Pupils return to school
Monday 5 – Friday 9 June	Book Fair / Themed writing week
Tuesday 13 June	Reception assembly
Thursday 15 June	Mulberry, Chestnut and Oak class assemblies
Friday 16 June	Fathers' Day lunches
Tuesday 20 June	Larch, Beech and Elder class assemblies
Thursday 22 June	Maple class assembly
Wednesday 5 July	Sports Day / Summer Fair
Friday 7 July	Reports issued
Wednesday 19 July	Open afternoon
Thursday 20 July	End of term disco
Friday 14 July	French day
Friday 21 July	Leavers' assembly / Break up for Summer holiday