



# Caedmon Primary School

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## Welcome

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a fantastic start to the year with so many events, trips and visitors in school. Accelerated Reader has been really successful in motivating Years 3-6 to read more—well done to all of the children for completing so many quizzes! In Early Years and Key Stage One, our Caedmon Reading Challenges has begun to take off and a few children have won prizes and certificates. Thank you for supporting this — reading is so important. Next term, we are starting a careers skills programme called Skills Builder to help children to develop essential skills for life and to support them in their future education and career. We have booked a storytelling workshop day and a poet to come into school for a day to entertain the children (and hopefully the parents too!) We will be holding Families in Schools in Spring Term too.

Over the last couple of weeks, our Christmas celebrations have been well underway and your child will be coming home with some lovely craft creations. We hope you were able to come to our Christmas performances and celebrations. Families in Schools Christmas crafts was brilliant fun. We've had a magical time in school.

Please follow our Facebook page as we do post as much as we can each week for you to see what we have been getting up to. Staff love to see any 'likes' or 'loves' on this page as it makes their efforts worthwhile.

I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and all the very best for the New Year!

Mrs Hill

**Children finish for the Christmas holidays on Friday 16th December 2022**

**We have a PD Day on Tuesday 3rd January 2023**

**Children return to school on Wednesday 4th January 2024**

# School Activities

## Nursery

Nursery children read Pumpkin Soup, a story about friendship and sharing. The children were inspired to make their own soup! They scooped, chopped and mixed. They ate their soup and bread as they watched fireworks together



## Reception

Our Reception children have enjoyed their time in our Forest Schools area this term.



## Year 1

Year 1 had a great afternoon exploring toys and playing games that their grandparents may have played when they were children.



## Year 2

Year 2 children joined other local schools to take part in a 'Fundamental Skills' workshop.



## Year 3

This term Year 3 enjoyed their Picasso art projects and learning about the human skeleton in Science.



## Year 4

Year 4 experimented with different materials for their final piece of art work, based on Surrealism.



## Year 5

Year 5 have been looking at artist Paolo Uccello (and perspective art)!



## Year 6

Year 6 carried out an investigation in Science to learn about the effect that exercise has on our heart rate. It was tiring, but fun!



**Don't forget to follow us on Facebook.** We regularly update our page with photographs of our school activities and projects.

Search for: @caedmonpri



## School Trips & Visits

### Year 4

Year 4 had a fantastic day at Jarrow Hall, learning about Anglo-Saxon life, crime and punishment and battles.



### Year 2

Year 2 enjoyed a trip to Kirkleatham Owl Sanctuary! They saw lots of different types of animals and watched owls flying and catching their prey.



### Reception

Reception children visited Guisborough Woods. They explored the seasonal changes and gathered natural artefacts. They followed the walkway, then created a map when they got back to school.



## 2023 Trips

### Spring Term

Year 1—Danby Moors

Year 2—Danby Moors

Year 3—Fort Arbeia

Year 5—Design & Technology Visits to Outwood

Year 5—Synagogue Visit

### Summer Term

KS1—Boggle Hole Residential

Year 6—East Barnby Residential

More trips are being arranged for all year groups.

Year 5 had a great day out on their science trip to the Life Centre in Newcastle.



## Visitors in School

Year 5 and Year 6 were part of an online event called Chemistry4Change! They got to hear from real life chemists about their careers and how they've helped our planet during recent years due to climate change.

Following the online event, we entered the Chemistry4Change competition and we won! Well done to the entries from Year 6 Arriety Clock - they won a 1:1 digital session with a nuclear chemist!

Year 1 and 2 have enjoyed their online event with author and illustrator, Nadia Shireen



## Diary Dates

### School Photographs

Friday 17th March 2023

### Bank Holiday

Monday 1st May 2023

Monday 8th May 2023

### Year 6 SATS

Tuesday 9th May-Friday 12th May 2023

### Reception & Year 6

### Class Photographs

Tuesday 16th May 2023



## Term Dates 2022 / 2023



### School Term and Holiday Dates

Academic Year 2022/2023



	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY
Monday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Tuesday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31
Wednesday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Thursday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Friday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Saturday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Sunday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29

	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY
Monday	6 13 20 27	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Tuesday	7 14 21 28	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Wednesday	1 8 15 22	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26
Thursday	2 9 16 23	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Friday	3 10 17 24	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Saturday	4 11 18 25	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Sunday	5 12 19 26	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30

189 PUPIL ATTENDANCE DAYS + 5 PD DAYS

	Bank Holiday
	School Holiday
	PD Days

The number of term days shown is 194.  
Four professional development (PD) days for teaching staff are confirmed,  
one more PD day to be arranged.  
Pupils will not attend school on PD days.

## Awards

All children have the chance to achieve different pin badges. The first award is bronze, followed by silver, gold and finally platinum. Children can also be awarded with the Headteacher's badge.



To win this award, the child must:

- Demonstrate the 'Caedmon Characteristics'
- Have 100% attendance
- Not get any minutes
- Be in school on time each day.

Class	Children Awarded a Badge This Term
Nursery	
Reception	Elijah, Miley, Jacob, Elsa-Mae, Harrison, Zach, Jaynie, George, Hunter, Hunter-Rae
Year 1	Daisy, Penelope, Millie, Daisy-Sue, Daisy, Carter, Josie-Lei, Ethan, Ava, Kevin, Ava, Spencer, Ollie, Freya, Freyah, Daniel, Kevin, Daisy-Sue, Madi, Luca, Luca, Jake, Jake, Lilly, Josh, Joseph, Tilly, Eva, Renesmee-Isabella, Edie-Mai, Edie-Mai, Mia-Lu, Mia-Lu, Jayce, Jayce, Rudi, Madi, Rhyiah, Tilly, Jayce, Eva, Rudi
Year 2	Harrison, Mikey, Ruby, Ibrahim, Andrew, Ava, Andrew, Lucy, Ruby, Jaxx, Logan, George, Ethan
Year 3	Delsie-Lei, Millie, Darcey, Jj, Ava-Diane, Jade, Jade, Evie, Mason Lee, Leighton, Evie, Jj, Sienna-Jane, Niyla, Darcey, Sienna-Jane, Mason Lee, Kairon, Kairon, Archie, Millie, Ava-Diane
Year 4	Oscar, Charlie, Carson, Gracie-Jo, Ebony, Kade, Riley, Billie-Jo
Year 5	Evie, Hanna, Alex, Jessie, Hanna, Olivia-Mae, Ashton, Amelia, Keaton, Jessica, Tommy, Lewis, Logan, Riley-Joe, Olivia, Hassan, Harrison, Mason, Teisha, Jake
Year 6	Antony, Olivia-Mai, Frankie, Lacey, Aiden, Libby, Charlie, Dylan, Priya, Rico, Honey-Mia, Morgan, Mason, Harley, Sarah, Harrison, Jacob, Alexis, Dylan, Honey-Mia, Maddie, Rico, Dylan
Headteacher	Andrew (Y2), Francis (Y2), Harvey (Y3), Evie (Y5), Neveah (Y6), Jensen (Y6), Harley (Y6), Libby (Y6), Lydia (Reception), Jaynie (Reception), Isaac (Y6), Alexis (Y5), Summer (Y6), Archie (Y3)