

23.05.2025

Dear families,

Happy Half Term! We've had a short but very sweet half term at Cambrai, with lots of visits trips and learning. We've said goodbye to some friends who have left us to pastures new and I'm proud to welcome some lovely new faces in classrooms across the school, you've settled beautifully.



### Cambrai in Parliament!

We were so proud of our two Year 5 School Councillors who made the long trip to London earlier this month and represented our school in parliament, speaking confidently about the issues that matter most to their classmates and demonstrating outstanding leadership.

### School Sports Week

You should now have all had the communication about School Sports Week, we're really looking forward to this special week and would like to thank Mr Marshall for all of his hard work in organising a week of fun and exploration! Payment for the experiences can be made now on Arbor.



### Year 1 & Year 4

We're getting ready for some important milestones this term—the Phonics Screening Check for Year 1 and the Multiplication Tables Check for Year 4. These help us see how well children are picking up key skills and how we can best support them. To help your child feel confident and ready, it's really important they're in school and on time every day. **Your children are really well prepared for the demands of these assessments, but we'd love to see them practising over the Half Term holiday so that they keep their learning simmering.** Thank you for working with us to make sure all our children have the best chance to shine!

### Year 5 Residential to Low Mill

Children in Year 5 had an unforgettable experience on their residential trip this term. Over the course of three days, they took part in a variety of exciting outdoor activities, including canoeing, caving, abseiling and team-building challenges. The trip provided a fantastic opportunity for the children to develop independence, build new friendships, and grow in confidence outside the classroom. Staff were incredibly proud of how well the children supported each other and embraced every challenge with enthusiasm and resilience. Lots of memories made! **Next up is Year 4's one night residential to Grinton – we can't wait!**

### **Advanced Notice – Nest Closure**

**The Nest will be closed after school on the last day of term, Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025. We're sorry for any inconvenience this may cause and hope that with this notice you'll be able to make alternative arrangements for childcare.**

We return to school following the half term break on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at the usual time, I've shared with you the diary dates for the rest of the term as a reminder below. Thank you for your ongoing support with everything we do, it never goes unnoticed!

Have a lovely (and hopefully sunny!) half term break.

Kind wishes as always

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Miss Robinson

Date / Time	Classes Involved	Activity	Notes
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	<b>Year 5 Boys Football team</b>	Trust Football Competition	The children will be going to Harewood Primary School in Stockton to represent Cambrai at the Boys' Football Tournament
5 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 4</b>	Grinton Lodge Residential	Please attend the Parent's Information evening to find out further details – this will also all be documented in a letter too
W/C 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 4</b>	Multiplication Check	The children will be completing the National Multiplication Check, please try and ensure your child has good attendance over this fortnight
TBC W/C 9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 3 &amp; The Small Learning Community</b>	Class Trip to Yorkshire Sculpture Park	Further information to follow including payment details.
W/C 9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 1</b>	Phonics Screening Check	Children will be completing the National Phonics Screening Check.
30 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 2</b>	Class Trip!	We will be visiting the Hancock Museum in Newcastle to compliment our learning about animals including humans. Further info to follow soon.
13 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Reception</b>	Father's Day Party	Dads (or a male family member) can join Reception for a Fathers Day Party. 9am – 10am.
W/C 16 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Whole School</b>	National School Sports Week!	We will be celebrating and completing sporting activities every day this week. More information to follow soon from Mr Marshall and Mr Pearce
18 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Reception and Sports Teams</b>	<b>Class Photo Day!</b>	<b>The children will have photos taken with their classmates and teachers, they should come in uniform for this day. Sports Teams will wear school Sports Kit for this day.</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 4 &amp; 5 Girls Footballers</b>	Trust Football Competition	The children will be going to Harewood Primary School in Stockton to represent Cambrai at the Girl's Football Tournament
20 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Sports Day!</b>	Reception, Year 1 & Year 2	Families are welcome to join us from 9:30 – 10:30 on the school field for the Early Years and KS1 Sports <b>morning. Children should come to school in PE Kit.</b>
		Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 & SLC	Families are welcome to join us from 11am – 12pm on the school field for the KS2 Sports <b>afternoon. Children should come to school in PE Kit.</b>
W/C 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	<b>Whole School</b>	Armed Forces Week	The children will be celebrating Armed Forces week – more information to follow
26 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Athletics Team</b>	Trust Athletics Competition	Athletics Club will be going to Middlesbrough to complete in the Trust Athletics event
24 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 1</b>	Class Trip to Thorp Perrow	The children will be learning more about plants and animals during this visit.
26 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Whole School</b>	Welly Swap!	Please donate your old and unused wellies to the Welly Swap!. 50p suggested donation for each pair.

### July

1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	<b>Whole School</b>	Transition Days	Children will spend two full days with their new teachers ready for September.
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	<b>Year 1</b>	After School Picnic	Further details to follow.
4 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 2 &amp; SLC</b>	Late night pizza & movie party!	The children are invited to stay late in school to have a pizza and movie party! They can bring a change of clothes and should be collected from school at 19:30. <b>SLC collection a little earlier at 17:30.</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Whole School</b>	School Reports	School reports will come home.
8 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 4</b>	Hercules Assembly	Parents and carers of Year 4 children are welcome to join us for a special assembly.
10 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 3</b>	Camp Out!	Families should have already received the details for this including how to make payment.
14 <sup>th</sup> July 3:30 – 4:30pm	<b>Whole School</b>	Open Evening	This will be a chance to come in see what work your child has been doing and meet their new teacher for September!
15 <sup>th</sup> July 9:30am	<b>Reception</b>	Celebration Assembly	Parents and Carers of Reception children are invited to join us for a special assembly.
16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Whole School</b>	Water Fun Morning!	On the morning children will be taking part in water activities here at school – water guns are welcome to be brought in for this. Please ensure your child is wearing clothes that are okay to get wet. Change of clothes into uniform or PE kit for the afternoon please.
17 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Castle Winners!</b>	Reward morning	The winning castle point will enjoy a bouncy castle and ice-lolly reward!
18 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Whole School</b>	Toy Day!	Children are invited to bring a toy from home into school to celebrate the end of the school year. (No electronics please)





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