



High Street Primary School

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Reach for the Stars, by Learning and Growing Together

Thursday 16th July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

Today was the last day of the Academic Year for the children. We will welcome children back on **Thursday 3rd September 2026**.

We thank you for your continued support this year and look forward to seeing the children back in September. Wishing everyone a safe and happy Summer!

HOME LEARNING

Support your child at home with the same strategies and methods we use in school! See attached documents. Help your child with Reading and Spelling at home by accessing the identified site. We use Letters and Sounds as a basis for our Phonics teaching which can be accessed via the search button.

The 'Let's Love Learning Maths' information shares the scheme we use in school – White Rose Maths. The site provides videos and activities to talk you and your child through a range of concepts they will be exploring in school.

In September we will send an overview of what your child will be learning in class in basic skills and Inquiry based learning.

SEPTEMBER 2026

Our school day starts at **8.50am**. The gates on St Pauls Avenue and Aberystwyth Crescent are opened at 8.50am. The gate on St Pauls Avenue is closed at 8.55am. Parents / carers can use either gate.

Year Group	Teachers	Supporting Staff	Drop off and Pick Up
Nursery and Reception	Mrs Campbell	Miss John Mrs Hancock Mrs Riffart Miss Hopkins Mrs Sanders	Children will be met by staff at 8.50am next to the Aberystwyth Crescent gate. Morning Nursery pick up at same place at 11.25am. Pick up for Reception children at 3.00pm at same gate
Year 1	Mrs Jones (Our new Deputy)	Miss Edmunds Mrs Riff	Either gate. Children will be met by staff at the far end of the building opposite the gate on St Pauls Avenue at 8.50am. Pick up at the same place @ 3.00pm Either gate. Children will be met by staff at the central door on the yard at 8.50am. At the end of the day, children will line up on the yard in readiness to be picked up at 3.00pm.
Year 2	Mrs Turnbull	Mrs Allan	
Year 3	Miss Vowels	Mrs Martin	
Year 4	Miss Morris	Mrs Shaw Mrs Jones	
Year 5	Mrs Kingston Mrs Hitchens	Mrs Smith	
Year 6	Mrs Anderson	Mrs Jeynes	

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Royal blue jumpers and yellow polo shirts with our school badge are available from Ruckleys on Holton Road - <https://ruckleys.co.uk>. Children can also wear yellow polo shirts and royal jumpers without the school badge which are readily available from local supermarkets. Black or grey trousers, leggings, skirts or pinafores are welcomed along with blue or yellow check summer dresses or shorts in the warmer months. Trainers or black school shoes are requested. Children should be able to tie their own laces if wearing laced shoes. No Crocs please as they can be slippery.

Forest and PE Days will be shared the first week back in September. On Forest Days, your child should wear old clothes and shoes with grips as the Forest can be muddy and slippery. Crop tops are not permitted.

For PE: Please provide them with a t-shirt, shorts, leggings or joggers and a pair of trainers. This kit can remain in school for the ½ term with children then taking it home at the end of the ½ term to be washed. Children must be able to undress and dress themselves in their PE kit. Please ensure tights are not worn on PE Days. Please ensure all items are labelled with the child's name.