

Muscliff Primary School

WEEKLY BULLETIN



Friday 4th September 2026

News and highlights

Welcome back to the new school year! We hope you had a lovely break. It is great to be back and starting a new academic year together.

On Wednesday in our assemblies we talked about our special Muscliff school community that we all BELONG to. We reminded ourselves of the school values and started the year thinking about all that we could achieve!

If you have been on the main playground you will have noticed our two new outside areas being developed for our new Inclusion base ('The Beacon') and for our new Y1 children.

They are almost complete. We look forward to getting canopies in the next week so that the children can have shelter as well.

Please can we ask that these areas and other playground equipment are NOT used after school at pick up times.



Photos of the new Y1 area

We are really pleased with how well the children are already settling into their new classes and year groups, learning new routines. There is an opportunity for parents to hear about the coming year from the teaching team at our Curriculum

Information evenings at 5.30pm on the following dates:
Wed 9th -Y4, Mon 14th - Y5, Tues 15th -Y2, Wed 16th -Y6, Thurs 17th -Y1, Mon 21st -Y3, Thurs 1st Oct - Reception.

This meeting is not suitable for children. If you are struggling for childcare, we will run a small creche on each evening with one of our Teaching Assistants.

We really hope to see many of you there.

Key upcoming dates to be aware of:

Monday 7th Sept -
Reception in part time

Wednesday 9th Sept at
5:30pm - Year 4 curriculum evening

Thursday 10th Sept -
Reception start full time

Monday 14th Sept, 5.30pm
Y5 Curriculum evening

Tuesday 15th Sept 5:30pm -
Year 2 curriculum evening.
Tuesday 15th 6:30pm -
Friends meeting

Wednesday 16th Sept 5:30pm
- Year 6 curriculum evening

Thursday 17th Sept 5:30pm -
Year 1 curriculum evening

Friday 18th Sept 8:30am -
New parent coffee morning;
please pop in after drop off

Monday 21st Sept 5:30pm -
Year 3 curriculum evening

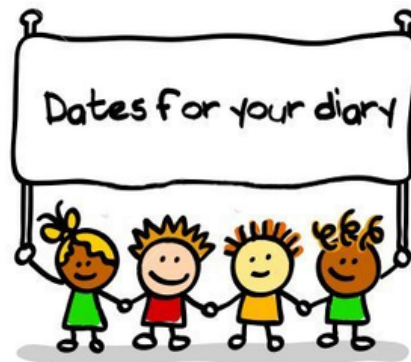
New Reception 2027

If you have a child due to start school in September 2027, please join us for a tour:

Phone the school for a suitable date or use the online form:

[Parent Tour request - Reception 2027 starters – Fill in form](#)

Parent Tour request - Reception
2027 starters



Term Dates 2026-27

Autumn term 2026:

Wed 2nd Sept* – Fri 23rd Oct

Half term: Mon 26th Oct – Fri 30th Oct

Mon 2nd Nov* – Fri 18th Dec (1.30pm finish)

Spring term 2027:

Tues 5th Jan* – Fri 12th Feb

Half term: Mon 15th Feb – Fri 19th Feb

Mon 22nd Feb – Thurs 25th March (1.30pm finish)

Summer term 2027:

Mon 12th Apr – Fri 28th May

Half term: Mon 31st May – Fri 4th June

Tues 8th June* – Wed 21st July (1.30pm finish)

*INSET dates

Fri 20th Nov 2026, Mon 4th Jan 2027,

Mon 7th June 2027, Fri 2nd July 2027

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Friends of Muscliff Update



Please click on the image to complete the Friends of Muscliff survey 2026

The first meeting of the new year is Tuesday 15th September 6.30pm at school. All parents are welcome to attend.

For new parents in Reception or from across the school, please come along to the Friends coffee & croissant morning after drop off on Friday 18th September in the small hall (8.30-9.30am). It would be lovely to see you there to welcome you to the school!

For current Year Six families:

Applications for Secondary School places are now open. Applications MUST be completed by 31st October 2026 to secure a space. Please look on each school's website for details of open days.

Apply via:

<https://www.bcpccouncil.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/apply-for-a-secondary-or-upper-school-place>

Letters/Emails sent this week via Arbor:

Tuesday 1st September - Year 5 walking home permissions
Tuesday 1st September - Year 2 - Piano Lessons
Tuesday 1st September - Year 5 walking home permissions
Tuesday 1st of September - Year 1 - Team Theme Clubs
Wednesday 2nd September - Year 6 - Applying for a secondary school place
Wednesday 2nd September - Forest School Newsletter
Thursday 3rd September - Year 3 to 6 - Rippa Rugby is back
Thursday 3rd September - All Year Groups - September ESafety newsletter
Thursday 3rd September - All Year Groups - Lunch choices
Thursday 3rd September - Year 2 (2AM) - Opportunity to meet Miss Martin (3.15pm on Friday 4th)
Friday 4th September - Year 4 - P.E information

It has been a really positive first few days; thank you for your support. We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming Curriculum evenings.
Have a lovely weekend!

The Muscliff Team