

Dear Parents & Carers,

I am writing to inform you of dates for the summer term, although the number of events taking place this year is limited as we remain cautious in the light of the coronavirus pandemic. This is not the way that I would have chosen to spend my last term in school but the safety of our staff, children, parents and members of the community remain my priority.

Date	Time	Event
May		
Monday 17 th	9.00am – 12.00am 3.30pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Reception children (Miss Nicholson)* Parent consultations for Reception children (Miss Nicholson)*
Tuesday 18 th	1.00pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Year 3 and 4 children. (Mrs Horsley and Mrs Rusby)*
Wednesday 19 th	1.00pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Year 6 children (Mr Fernandes)*
Thursday 20 th	1.00pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Year 2 children (Miss Willcock)*
Friday 21 st	12.30pm – 6.00pm	Parent consultations for nursery children moving to Reception in September. (Miss Robinson)*
Wednesday 26 th	9.00am – 12.00am 12.30pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Year 5 children (Mrs Morris and Mrs Richardson)* Parent consultations for Year 5 children (Mrs Morris and Mrs Richardson)*
Thursday 27 th	12.30pm – 7.00pm	Parent consultations for Year 1 children (Mrs Pirie)*
Friday 28 th	3.00pm	School closes for half term
June		
Monday 7 th	9.00am	School reopens for all children
Monday 14 th	9.30am 1.30pm	Sports day for morning nursery and Reception children** Sports day for afternoon nursery children **
Tuesday 15 th	1.30pm	Sports day for Year 3 and 4 children**
Wednesday 16 th	1.30pm	Sports day for Year 5 and 6 children**
Thursday 17 th	1.30pm	Sports day for Year 1 and 2 children**
July		
Friday 9 th	3.00pm	Annual reports published
Wednesday 14 th	1.30pm	Year 6 Leavers' assembly ***
Friday 16 th	3.00pm	Break-Up for Summer holidays
September		
Monday 6 th		Teacher Training Day
Tuesday 7 th		Teacher Training Day
Wednesday 8 th		School re-opens for all children

*Parent consultations will be telephone appointments, which can be booked by contacting the school office. Tel: 01670 860769.

**Unfortunately, due to the current situation, parents are unable to attend sports days this year.

*** Parents of year 6 children can attend this socially distanced outdoor event, to recognise the achievements of our oldest children as they prepare to move on to their new schools.

Year 6 Transition

Year 6 students transferring to Ashington Academy in September are bringing home a transition pack today, which includes dates for transition activities for students and parents and several forms to be completed. Ashington Academy have requested that these should be completed and **returned to Ellington Primary School** by Wednesday 26th May.

School Organisation

I will send out information about class organisation for next year after half term following consultation with Mr Hodgson, the school's new Headteacher, and the Senior Leadership Team.

Yours sincerely,

Mr K. Vardy
Headteacher