



18/10/18

Dear Parents and Carers,

Absence

It is parents/carers responsibility to report your child as absent, please contact the school before 8.50am and leave a message on the automated service using option 1. Failure to report absences will result in a phone call and a text from the school to explain the absence.



Halloween Disco

Our Halloween disco will take place on Wednesday 30th October from 4.00-5.30pm tickets cost £2 and are available to buy from the school office.

Cumbria Children Book Week

Cumbria County Council is holding a competition, where Children are to design a poster about bonfire and firework safety. All entries need to be handed in by 9th November 2019 to your local library. There will be a prize for the best poster for children under 8 and over 8. Please remember to add your contact details.

2 Year Olds

This week the Rainbow nursery have been on their team building trip to Monkey Madhouse. The children used their physical development skills to run, climb and kick the footballs. The children had great fun exploring the play area and playing with their friends. They enjoyed a biscuit and some juice after lots of fun.

3 Year Olds

This week the 3 year old nursery children have been imitating Goldilocks and eating the Three Bears porridge. They have been developing their communication and language skills. The children have been tasting porridge and discussing which porridge they prefer. Mammy Bear's porridge was the most popular (too-sweet). The children have ended the half term with a Teddy Bears picnic. The children enjoyed teddy bear crisps, jelly, fruit and hot chocolate.



Year 1

Year One enjoyed World Food Day. We explored the country of Italy and got to taste a range of different Italian foods.

Throughout the day we engaged ourselves in a range of different activities. But the main reason for World Food Day is 'Zero Hunger'. We looked in detail at the world and how many people are still malnourished.



We enjoyed our final Cricket session with Chris. We continued to practice our batting and bowling skills. We are very pleased we got the opportunity to work with Chris and experience Cricket.

As young mathematicians we have been looking at subtraction of numbers 1-10. In particular we have enjoyed subtraction through number stories.

Year 2

We have had another busy week in year 2. We have recapped our power of reading book 'Where the Wild Things Are' and created our very own storyboards! We used amazing sentence openers to start our sentences. We have been joined this week by Mr Hodgson (the Maths leader from Victoria Junior School) who has worked alongside us in Maths. We have also had a wonderful Kinder Cricket session which we thoroughly enjoyed. We are looking forward to our last week before half term.

Let's Celebrate

Powerful Learner of the week

• <u>Reception</u>	• <u>Class 1</u>	• <u>Class 2</u>	• <u>Class 3</u>	• <u>Class 4</u>	• <u>Class 5</u>	• <u>Class 6</u>
• Erin Wilson	• Jessica Robinson	• Elsa Kwong	• Prudence Rice	• Hayden Brown	• Liam Sansom	• Justin Robertson

Outstanding Writer of the week

• <u>Reception</u>	• <u>Class 1</u>	• <u>Class 2</u>	• <u>Class 3</u>	• <u>Class 4</u>	• <u>Class 5</u>	• <u>Class 6</u>
• Conley Joe Blaney	• Huseyin Cevher	• Deniz Sezer	• Shelby Tolfrey	• A-J Samson	• Ellie McMullen	• Jennifer Whiteley

Mathlete of the Week

• <u>Reception</u>	• <u>Class 1</u>	• <u>Class 2</u>	• <u>Class 3</u>	• <u>Class 4</u>	• <u>Class 5</u>	• <u>Class 6</u>
• Julia Jackson-Lamb	• Olly O'Leary	• Tommy-Jai Kirkpatrick	• Thomas Dixon-Evans	• Lucas Hine	• Dylan Orr	• Archie Cowling

Nursery Learner of the week

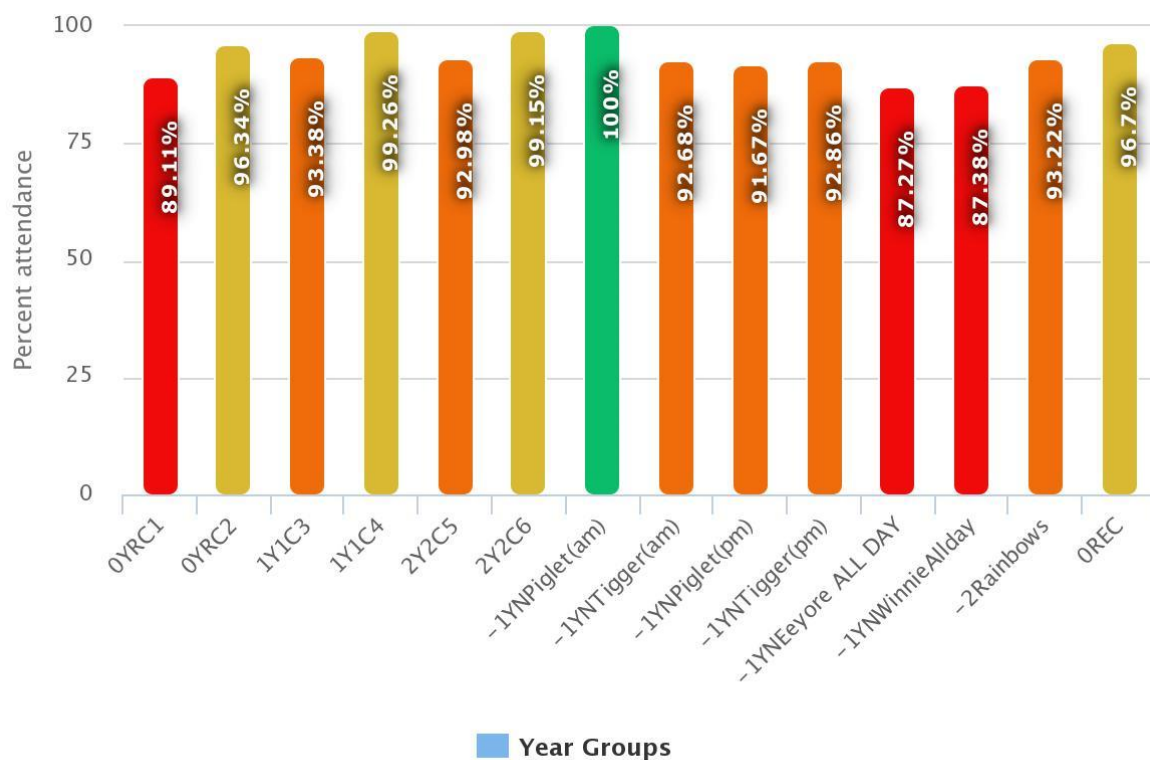
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• Jenna Mullins	• Indigo Baker	• Penelope Scott	• Odin Peet	• Brooklyn Burns	• Kai Murphy

Nursery Writer of the week

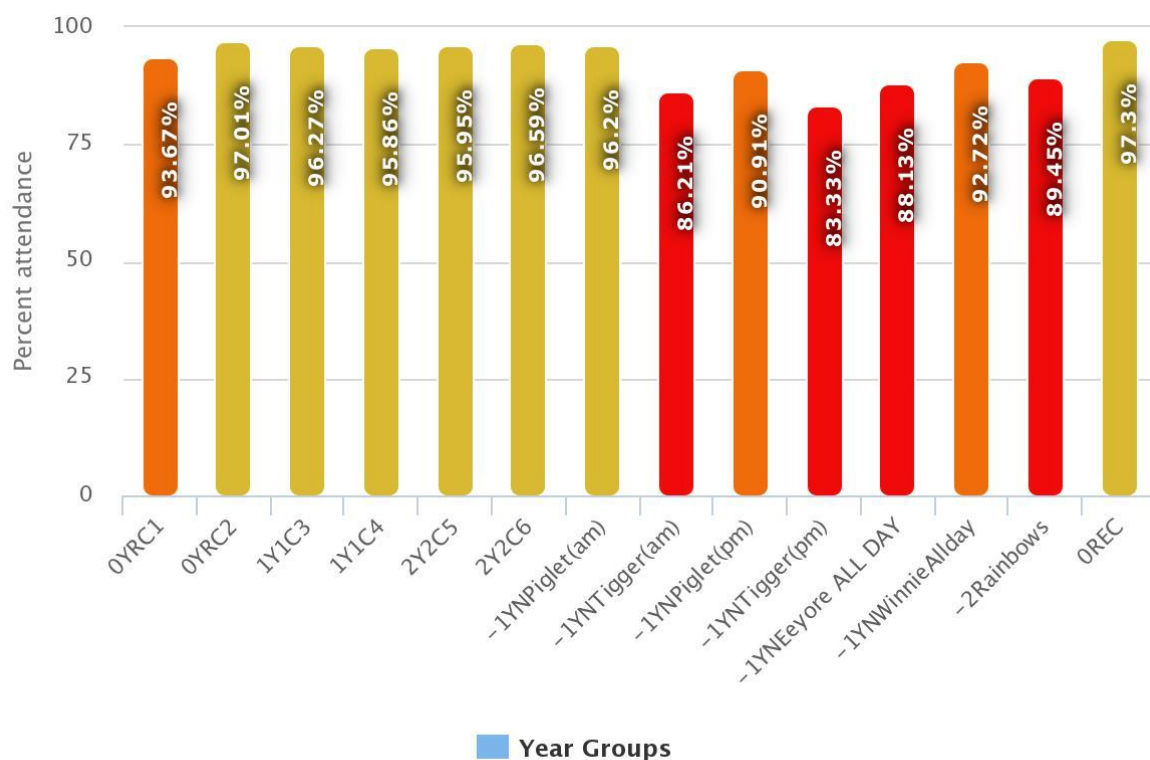
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• Jodi-Leigh Tolfrey	• Halim Tutan	• Ava Poynton	• Isla-Mae Harding	• Kylann Smith	• Aoife Meil

Attendance Matters

Whole School Attendance for last week 14th - 18th October 2019



Whole School Attendance 3rd September-18th October 2019



Diary Dates

Friday 19 th October until Monday 28 th October	Break up for half term	
Wednesday 30 th October	Halloween Disco	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
Monday 4 th November	Phonics breakfast week Parents are invited into school to have breakfast and join in with phonics.	
Tuesday 5 th November	Bonfire night 5pm food/refreshments 6pm bonfire. Community bonfire to be held at Victoria Junior School	
Friday 8 th November	Remembrance assembly 10am for pupils	
Sunday 10 th November	Workington remembrance service. Pupils can join staff to lay a wreath at Vulcans park cenotaph.	
Monday 11 th November	Parent's meetings week Details to follow Please bring your child to the meeting	
Monday 11 th November	Anti-bullying week Safety week including: Road safety, water safety, fire safety, online and social media safety.	
Thursday 14 th November	Doodle bug programme for KS1 Growth mind set training for children. Parent's workshop for year2 parents and children. Details to follow.	
Friday 15 th November	Children in need Children can come to school dressed in yellow. PJ's or children in need themed.	
Monday 18 th November	Road safety week. Activities planned to support children's understanding of how to keep safe near roads.	
Friday 22 nd November	Christmas Carnegie dress rehearsal. All costumes must have been sorted and tried on the children for size before today.	
Monday 25 th November	Christmas decorations go up in school	
Wednesday 27 th November	Christmas performance at the Carnegie	
Friday 28 th November	Decorate the Christmas tree	
Monday 2 nd December	Children will have photo taken with Santa.	
5 th December	Santa Express	

Monday 10 th December	3 year old nursery and reception nativity in the school hall 9.15am and 2.00pm	Nursery and Reception
Wednesday 11 th December	Christmas Dinner day for all pupils. Children can wear Christmas jumpers with uniforms.	
Thursday 12 th December	Nursery Nativity 2 year old and 3 year old nursery. 9.15 and 2.00pm in the school hall	2 and 3 year old nursery
Thursday 12 th December	Year one and two trip to Carlisle to watch the pantomime.	Key stage one and two pupils
Friday 13 th December	National Christmas jumper day.	
Wednesday 18 th December	Carol service St Michaels church Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Service starts at 1.15pm Victoria juniors starts at 2.30pm	Reception, year one and two
Thursday 19 th December	School closes at 12.45 there will be no afterschool care or holiday club. Christmas holidays are 19 th December until 6 th January.	
Monday 6 th January	Return to school. 8.50am start Breakfast club 7.50am	

Please note for the most up to date list of activities and events please visit the school website, www.victoriaschool.org.uk or contact admin@victoria-inf-workington.cumbria.sch.uk