

We have had another wonderful term here at West End. It was fantastic to see so many of you at EYFS stay and learn sessions, class assembly, the Under the Sea exhibition and parents' evenings. We hope you have a wonderful Easter break and we all look forward to welcoming you back on **Tuesday**18 April. Until then have fabulous rest, filled with family time and lots of chocolate!

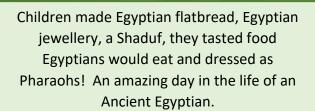
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# Yes, I can!

Our fabulous gymnasts made us proud at the Northumberland Key Steps competition. Well done girls!















#### **Community Clothes Hub**

Hope Church in Bedlington are opening a Community
Clothes Hub which will be working alongside
Northumberland Uniforms For All to provide free school
uniforms to families in the area who are struggling with the
costs of uniform.

They launch on Thursday 30th March between 2-4pm.

There will be refreshments, a sign-up sheet, and activities. The Clothes Hub will then be open every week on a Thursday afternoon from 1-4pm. There will be a donation box for children's clothes, so The Hub would hugely appreciate any donations; these can be dropped off at the uniform bins which are in the library car park on Glebe Road NE226JX and Ravensworth Terrace Car Park in Bedlington Station NE227JW.

#### **Important Dates**

Friday 31 March at 2pm – School closes for Easter Holidays Tuesday 18 April - School re-opens

Thursday 27 April - Reception Stay & Write Session

Monday 1 May – Bank holiday

Monday 8 May – King's Coronation Bank Holiday

Tuesday 9 - 12 May - Year 6 SATS Week

Thursday 11 May - **Sycamore** Class Assembly

Wednesday 17 May - **Beech** Class Assembly

Thursday 18 May - Maple Class Assembly

Friday 19 May - **Rowan** Class Assembly

Monday 22 May - Y6 Outdoor & Adventurous Activity workshops

Wednesday 24 May - **Chestnut** Class Assembly

Thursday 25 May - Reception Stay & Count Session

Thursday 25 May – Y2 visit Whitehouse Farm

Friday 26 May - **Poplar** Class Assembly

Friday 26 May – Break up for Whit week

Monday 5 June - School re-opens

Thursday 22 June - Reception Stay & Go Outdoors Session

Wednesday 28 June - Cedar & Larch Class Assembly

Friday 21 July at 2pm – School closes for Summer Holidays

#### **Summer Term After School Clubs:**

- Creative Writing
- Glee
- IQ Quizzes & Puzzles
- Tennis
- Art
- Coding
- Lego
- Multi-skills

Well done to **Humford House** – this half term's house winners!

Enjoy your party on Tuesday 18 April with Shadow the deer. Come dressed as you like!



#### **Class Assembly dates**

Sycamore - Thursday 11 May 2023
Beech - Wednesday 17 May 2023
Maple - Thursday 18 May 2023
Rowan - Friday 19 May 2023
Chestnut - Wednesday 24 May 2023
Poplar - Friday 26 May 2023
Cedar and Larch - Wednesday 28 June 2023

All assemblies will begin at 9am – we hope to see you there!

**Summer A PE Days** 

**Sycamore** – Tuesday & Friday

Cherry – Wednesday & Friday
Hazel –Wednesday & Thursday
Poplar – Tuesday & Thursday
Chestnut – Tuesday & Thursday
Maple – Monday & Friday
Rowan – Monday & Friday
Cedar – Monday & Wednesday
Larch - Monday & Wednesday

Nursery - Friday

**Beech** - Tuesday



Good Luck to our 'Big Brains' Lego League team that have made it through to the finals in April in Harrogate.



### **PTFA**

A very big thank you to our wonderful PTFA who organised and made the exciting raffle prizes. We really appreciate how much they help us do fun and exciting things in school. The PTFA are always looking for volunteers to help out at events so if you can spare any time please see Claire Cheesman in the office.



# Safeguarding message

Useful website: https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-andresource/parents-and-carers

# **Easter Eggs!**

A huge Thank You to Bedlington Town Council for providing every child at West End with an Easter Egg. The generosity is greatly appreciated by all.



### **Y6 Art Club**

Miss Costello and Miss Watson have been working with Y6 to create 3D art of famous UK landmarks. This has been a fantastic project that the children and staff have thoroughly enjoyed!







