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NEWSLETTER

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MacMillan Coffee Morning

A huge thank you to all the parents, families and friends who joined us for our Macmillan coffee morning. It was lovely to see so many of you enjoying a cuppa and a chat together.

Thanks to your generosity we raised £72.13 for Macmillan Cancer Support. Your kindness and support will make a real difference.

We are so grateful to everyone who baked, donated and came along to share the morning with us



Harvest Festival

Please come along and join us for our Harvest Festival at St Mary's church, Cuckney on Thursday 9th October at 2pm.

Children will be bussed up to the church after lunch and we ask that you collect them from church from 3pm rather than school at the end of the day.

Any Children booked in for after School Club will be transported back to school in staff cars.

Please contact school with any questions

Important Dates

- **9th Oct** National child measurement programme for Reception & year 6
- **9th Oct** Harvest Festival 2pm - 3pm
- **10th Oct** Parent open afternoon 2pm
- **14th Oct** KS1—Weird and wonderful Disco
- **15th Oct** KS2—Weird and wonderful movie night
- **17th Oct** INSET Day school closed to students
- **20th Oct** Half Term
- **3rd Nov** INSET Day school closed to students
- **6th Nov** Parents consultation Evening 3pm - 6:30pm
- **7th Nov** Parents consultation Afternoon 1pm - 3:30pm
- **14th Nov** Children in Need
- **20th Nov** Parent open evening 5pm
- **28th Nov** Christmas Fair
- **4th Dec** whole school trip to Panto
- **9th Dec** KS1 Nativity PM
- **10th Dec** KS1 Nativity AM
- **11th Dec** Christmas Jumper day
- **15th Dec** Christmas dinner
- **16th Dec** Christingle 2:15pm - 3pm
- **17th Dec** KS1 Christmas Party 1pm - 3pm
- **18th Dec** Brass Carols 8:40am - 9am
- **18th Dec** KS2 Christmas Party 1pm - 3pm
- **19th Dec** Christmas Sing-a-long 1:30pm
- **22nd Dec** Christmas Holidays

A Little hello!

Hello everyone,

My name is Mrs Williams and I'm really pleased to have recently joined Cuckney C of E Primary School as the new Office Administrator. I'm looking forward to getting to know the children, families, and staff, and to supporting the smooth running of the school office.

Please do pop in and say hello if you're passing — I'm always happy to help with any queries you may have. I'm excited to be part of the Cuckney community and to work together to support our wonderful school.

School Photos

Don't forget! Proofs have been sent home, Please see how to order on letter.



INSET day reminder

School will be closed to students on
Friday 17th October
&
Monday 3rd November

Weird & Wonderful

KS1 Disco

14th October 3:30pm - 4:15pm
(£3.50 please pay on Arbor)

Please bring children's outfits to school to change for the disco.
Includes Hotdogs, cupcake & a drink

KS2 Movie Night

15th October 3:30-5pm
(£3.50 please pay on Arbor)

Movie to be announced.
Includes Hotdog, cupcake & drink

School Uniform

Uniform -

A reminder. Please ensure all items of school uniform, bags and personal belongings are labelled clearly with your child's name. As the weather becomes colder please send your child with a suitable coat.

Details of our school uniform can be found on our website. For PE please ensure your child has a pair of trainers, plain white T-shirt and either plain black or blue shorts or jogger trousers. Please do not send your child with branded sports clothing. I have reminded pupils of our school uniform and those not wearing the correct uniform will be followed up by a letter home. Jewellery should not be worn for school, with the exception of a watch and a pair of stud earrings. Make up and nail varnish are not allowed. Currently school uniform is available to buy online (through the school website) from School Trends.

Parent open Afternoon

Open afternoon for September 2026 new starters
Friday 10th October 2025 - 2pm
& Thursday 20th November 2025 - 5pm
Please let us know if you would like to attend by informing the office

Parking Reminder!

A polite reminder -



As detailed in the school's travel policy, driving up School Lane is not permitted. Only disabled badge holders are allowed to come up and park in the staff car park. The area outside school is heavily congested with staff cars and essential delivery vehicles throughout the day.

I would like to thank all those parents who walk children up the lane, especially those attending breakfast club. School Lane is a private road, owned by Welbeck Estate. Please abide by the restrictions we have put in place for your child's safety. Thank you in advance for your cooperation and understanding.

Harvest Festival Donations

- **In general, we always need:**
- - Tinned hot meats (stewing steak, chilli, meatballs etc)
- - Tinned vegetables, fruit, soup
- - Cooking sauces (pasta, curry etc)
- - Jam
- - Long life milk
- - Instant noodles
- - Custard
- - Toilet roll
- - Shampoo & conditioner
- - Deodorant
- - Laundry Tablets
- - Toothpaste
- - Washing up liquid and sponges
- - Soap
- - biscuits
- - Rice pudding

All items will be donated to and distributed by the church