



### Information and Reminders

#### Science week

Next week is science week and we are also trying to become much more aware of our world around us and how we can help our planet by recycling as much as possible.

We are having an eggy challenge as part of science week and seeing how well eggs travel in a homemade parachute that the children will make at school. Please could you raid your recycle bins and cupboards and send in items like Bubble-wrap, tissue paper, newspaper, polythene bags, string/ wool etc for the children to do the challenge. The items should not be bought especially for the event. Please could any items you can help with be brought in on Monday ready to start the challenge on Tuesday.

#### World Book Day

The children looked amazing today and we all really enjoyed finding out about some of their favourite characters.

#### Red Nose Day

Please see the poster attached to the newsletter.

#### Eggy, Eggy, Eggy

Due to a puppet theatre visit at 9am on the last day of term, we will not be decorating eggs this year. However, the extremely popular Eggy, Eggy, Eggy will still take place at the slightly later than normal time of approximately 10.30am on the hill leading up to school. Everyone is very welcome to come and support/watch. Please could a clearly named (in permanent marker) hard boiled egg be brought into school by Thursday 26th March so they are ready to roll.

#### May Day

There will be a Non-Uniform Day on Friday 1st May in exchange for a Tombola Prize for the HCP May Day. More details about the events happening at May day festival will be sent out from the HCP nearer the time. This is our opportunity to give back to the local community who support us as a school so well.

#### Music Session in school

Please see the attached poster regarding Opportunities available in school to learn a musical instrument.

Music is such a valued part of all of our lives. If you are interested in finding out a little bit more about what is available in school then please join us for a short session at 9am next Thursday morning.

### Diary Dates

#### Monday—Friday 09-13 Mar

Science Week in School

#### Thursday 12th March - 9am

Music Taster Session

#### Friday 20th March

Red Nose Day

#### Friday 27th March

Puppet Theatre 9am

#### Friday 27th March

Eggy, Eggy, Eggy - 10:30

#### Friday 27th March

Last Day of Term - 14:30 finish No ASC

#### Tuesday 21st April

Oakwood Outdoor Learning Trip to Lowther Castle

Letter after half term with details

#### 1st & 2nd April

54° Sports Camp with Mr Armstrong

#### Friday 01st May

Non-Uniform Day for Tombola Prizes for HCP May Day

#### Monday 4th May 2026

May Day

#### 7th June 2026

Hayton Open Gardens

#### 15-17th June 2026

Y5/6 Residential to Leyburn

#### 8-10th July 2026

Y3/4 Residential to Hawse End

#### 16th July 2026

Summer and Leavers Disco

#### Friday 17th July

Last Day of Term—No ASC



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**Music Tuition**

We currently have places available for children to learn the flute, clarinet or saxophone in school. If you are interested in any of these, or any other musical instrument lessons, please contact Mrs Platton [cplatton@hayton.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:cplatton@hayton.cumbria.sch.uk)

**Calling All Musicians**

We have introduced additional performance opportunities for our singers and instrumentalists in school. If your child is learning a piece of music and would like an opportunity to perform, informally, in front of others, then please contact Mrs Platton on [cplatton@hayton.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:cplatton@hayton.cumbria.sch.uk). We would love to hear their music during singing assemblies.

**Nursery Places**

Our current and future Nursery places are proving to be incredibly popular. If you or someone you know has a child who is due to start Nursery in the next year, please sign/add their name to our list as soon as possible as places for Nursery are limited. Thank you.

**Vacancy for Midday Supervisor**

We have an ongoing vacancy for a Midday Supervisor. If you would like to join our Hayton School Team, and for further information and details on how to apply, please refer to the 'Vacancies' section of our school website <https://www.hayton.cumbria.sch.uk/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=20>

**Absence Reporting – Only on the day absences**

Please report all illness/medical absences via the Arbor App – this cannot be used for requesting permission for other absences.

Absence on Arbor - Go to the home page of the Arbor app, click on the orange Quick Actions tab, click attendance, and on the right-hand side you will see a green box, click 'Log Absence'.

Please also remember you must cancel any booked school dinners for the day too. Thank you.

**School Dinners**

Please remember to book school dinners in advance.

**PE**

Please ensure all children have their PE kits in school ALL WEEK.

**Diary Dates**

**3rd & 4th August**

54° Sports Camp with Mr Armstrong

**10th & 11th August**

54° Sports Camp with Mr Armstrong

**Thursday 17th December 2026**

SANDS Centre Pantomime R-Y6



Proverbs 22: 6 **“Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it. “**





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FACEBOOK

Make sure you follow our school Facebook page. We try to keep you all up to date with our learning and adventures and hope you enjoy seeing what we have been getting up to!

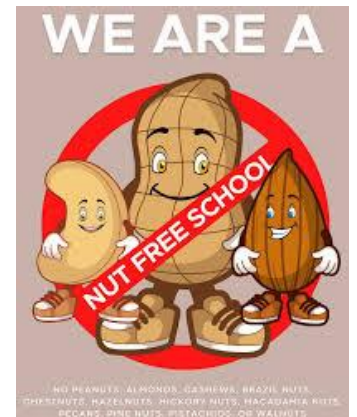
Outdoor Learning

<u>Outdoor Learning and 'VIRTUES' Timetable — Spring Term</u>		
Week beginning:	Monday	Tuesday
09-Mar-2026	SAPLINGS (Y2/3)	SAPLINGS (Y1/2)
16-Mar-2026		ACORNS
23-Mar-2026		

There is no Outdoor Learning the last week of term

Diary Dates

Thursday 17th December 2026  
SANDS Centre Pantomime R-Y6



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# Calling all parents of future musicians.

We would like to warmly invite parents and children to attend a brief demonstration and information session showcasing some of the musical instruments available for students to learn at school.

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 9am, in school.





**FRIDAY 20th March 2026**  
**Comic Relief -**  
**Wear Something**  
**Red (if you like)**  
**For a donation to**  
**Comic Relief**



**Bring a voluntary**  
**donation into school to**  
**raise funds for this**  
**worthy cause.**





# Hayton C of E Primary School



Stay and Play sessions  
Every Tuesday 9.15-10.30am



Free for all 0-4 years. Call 01228670491 for more information or just pop in!



# Should I keep my child off school?

## Yes

### Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

## No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



SCAN ME

### Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.

# Hayton C of E Primary School



"Mighty oaks from little acorns grow"

## Our School Prayer

Loving God,  
We come to You,  
Thankful for our school so true.  
Built on love, a family strong,  
Learning, growing, all belong.

Fill our hearts with joy each day,  
Guide our dreams in aspiration's way.  
Open our eyes with wonder to see,  
The world You've made for you and me.

Bless our teachers, friends, and all,  
Keep us safe within Your call.  
From little acorns, may we grow,  
As mighty oaks Your love will show.

Amen.

ASPIRATION

JOY

LOVE

WONDER

"Start children off the way they should go and even when they are old they will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6



# School Uniform

For Further information please see the school website  
<https://haytoncofeprimary.ovw3.juniperwebsites.co.uk/>

## Uniform

Grey trousers/shorts/skirt/culottes

White polo shirt (school logo optional) For our '**Little Acorns**' we offer the alternate choice of a red polo shirt.

Navy blue checked gingham dress in Summer

Navy blue sweatshirt or cardigan (with school logo)

Black shoes (flat), no trainers and no open-toed sandals in Summer

Grey, black, blue or white socks/plain grey, black or blue tights

## PE Kit

PE kit to be kept in a PE kit drawstring bag and not a rucksack or carrier bag.

Navy shorts or skirts

Red round neck t-shirt (preferably with the logo on)

Black plimsolls for indoor use/trainers for outdoors

Navy tracksuit trousers with school jumper (optional)

## To order uniform with a logo

Please place your order online either via

The MyClothing website, which for Hayton School is separated into 3 areas

PE - for Reception to Year 6 (Nursery do not have to wear PE kit)

<https://myclothing.com/collections/hayton-c-of-e-primary-school-p-e-29525>

Primary School - For all children

<https://myclothing.com/collections/hayton-c-of-e-primary-school-primary-29524>

Reception and Nursery - as they have the option of red polo shirts if parents wish. (Nursery children only wear uniform if parents or children wish. It is not compulsory for this age.)

<https://myclothing.com/collections/hayton-c-of-e-primary-school-reception-and-nursery-29523>

or

Border Embroideries website:

<https://www.border-embroideries.co.uk/schools/hayton-c-e-primary-school.html>

# **CUMBRIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES DIRECTORATE**

## **SCHOOL TERM DATES 2025 / 2026**

### **AUTUMN TERM 2025**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF-TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Wednesday 03-Sep	Friday 19-Dec	Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October

Number of school days in term - 73

### **SPRING TERM 2026**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF-TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Wednesday 07-Jan	Friday 27-Mar	Monday 16th February - Friday 20th February

Number of school days in term - 53

### **SUMMER TERM 2026**

<b>STARTS</b>	<b>ENDS</b>	<b>HALF-TERM HOLIDAY</b>
Monday 13-Apr	Friday 17-Jul	Good Friday – 03 April Easter Monday – 06 April Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May

Number of school days in term - 64

Early May Bank Holiday Monday 4th May

### **Number of days in year – 190**

#### **INSET Days/Sessions**

The 190 day school year identified above makes no provision for the additional 5 days non-contact time for which full-time teachers are contracted. Therefore, any INSET sessions should be arranged either outside the above school term dates or outside pupil hours.

The following dates are suggested as dates that could be used for IN-SET: -

Monday, 2 September 2024

Tuesday, 3 September 2024

Monday, 6 January 2025

Plus two others, to be locally determined.

For future years please go to <https://www.cumberland.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-term-and-holiday-dates>

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## Term Dates - School year 2026 to 2027

Term	Start of term	Half term	End of term
Autumn	Wednesday 2 September 2026	Monday 26 October to Friday 30 October 2026	Friday 18 December 2026
Spring	Tuesday 5 January 2027	Monday 15 February to Friday 19 February 2027	Thursday 25 March 2027
Summer	Monday 12 April 2027	Monday 31 May to Friday 4 June 2027	Friday 16 July 2027

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## Term Dates - School year 2027 to 2028

Term	Start of term	Half term	End of term
Autumn	Monday 6 September 2027	Monday 25 October to Friday 29 October 2027	Friday 17 December 2027
Spring	Wednesday 5 January 2028	Monday 14 February to Friday 18 February 2028	Friday 31 March 2028
Summer	Tuesday 18 April 2028	Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June 2028	Thursday 20 July 2028

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## Term Dates - School year 2028 to 2029

Term	Start of term	Half term	End of term
Autumn	Wednesday 6 September 2028	Monday 30 October to Friday 3 November 2028	Wednesday 20 December 2028
Spring	Thursday 4 January 2029	Monday 19 February to Friday 23 February 2029	Thursday 29 March 2029
Summer	Tuesday 17 April 2029	Monday 28 May to Friday 1 June 2029	Friday 20 July 2029