



Moira Primary School

Newsletter 17.09.2026

Last week we had the pleasure of taking 46 Year 5&6 children to Whitby for their residential trip. Not only did the children have a fantastic time but so did the staff!

On Friday we look forward to welcoming our blue house grandparents to lunch. We hope they enjoy it.

Vicky Santy - Headteacher



Arrival & Collection from School

REMINDER: EYFS children should be dropped off and collected via the EYFS gate (older siblings can be dropped off and collected from this gate). Year 1 to arrive via the front of school (year 1 siblings can arrive via the front of school). All other children should arrive via the back gate and walk down to their class unattended.

Unless otherwise agreed all children except for EYFS should be collected via the back entrance to school. Please do not use the school car park.

School Council

Our newly elected School Council met for the first time recently and got straight to work!

This year, our School Council will be playing an important role in championing pupil voice across the school — making sure that children's views are listened to, considered and used to help shape school life. Their first task is a particularly important one. The school is currently reviewing its vision and ethos, and our councillors have been asked to gather the views of pupils in every class before the final wording is agreed.



Moira Primary School
at the heart of the National Forest

We are in the process of transferring over to a new website provider. Please be patient with us whilst this is in progress.

School Assemblies

We have had a little change around with assemblies. Achievements outside of school such as swimming, gymnastics, Read to the Beat, music etc will now be celebrated during a Monday assembly. We would love to see all the wonderful things the children have accomplished. Friday assembly will be celebrating children who have been spotted following the school values and Dojo certificates. Thank you for your support

**WORLD'S BIGGEST
COFFEE
MORNING**
**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**



Please come along to our **Macmillan Coffee morning and PTFA launch meeting on Friday 25th September at 8.45am** in the school hall.

Donations of cakes gratefully received.

School Uniform

We would like to remind our families of the importance of children wearing the correct uniform to school. Children should take pride in their appearance and to be proud being part of Moira Primary School. (We do have some spare uniform in school if you would like to have a look).





Diary Dates 2026-2027

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 15 th	Year 5	Swimming Lesson
Friday 18 th	Blue House	Grandparent Lunch
	Year 5	NWLSSP Primary Ambassadors (selected)
Wednesday 22 nd	Year 5	Swimming Lesson
Thursday 24 th	Year 6	Ivanhoe Open evening (5-7.00pm)
Friday 25 th	All	8.45am Macmillan/PTFA Coffee Morning
Monday 28 th	EYFS/KS1	2.30pm Reading Stay & Play / Drop in
Tuesday 29 th	Year 5/6	NWLSSP Tag Rugby (selected children)
	EYFS & KS1	PTFA Movie Night (3.15-5.00pm)
Wednesday 30 th	Year 5	Swimming Lesson
	KS2	PTFA Movie Night (3.15-5.00pm)

OCTOBER

Thursday 1 st	Year 6	Ashby School Open Evening (5-7.00pm)
Friday 2 nd	Yellow House	Grandparent Lunch
Saturday 3 rd	EYFS 2027	Open day (11-12.30pm)
Monday 5 th	All	Individual School Photographs
	All	Parents evening (3.30-6.00pm)
Tuesday 6 th	Year 5/6	NWLSSP Girls Football (selected)
Wednesday 7 th	Year 5	Swimming
	All	Parents evening (3.30-6.00pm)
Thursday 8 th	All	Flu immunisations (AM)
	Year 2/3	NWLSSP Multi-Sport (selected)
Friday 9 th	Green House	Grandparents Lunch
Tuesday 13 th	EYFS & KS1	Harvest Festival (9.30am)
Wednesday 14 th	Year 5	Swimming
Thursday 15 th	Year 1/ 2	NWLSSP Multi-Sports (selected)
Friday 16 th	All	Inset day – School Closed

Half-term Monday 19th – Friday 23rd October

Tuesday 27 th	KS2	NWLSSP Inclusive Multisport (selected)
	Year 2	2.45pm Maths Drop in
Wednesday 28 th	Year 5/6	Non swimmers
Thursday 29 th	All	PTFA Halloween Disco (times TBC)

NOVEMBER

Monday 2 nd	EYFS 2027	Open Evening (5.00pm)
Tuesday 3 rd	EYFS	2.30pm Maths Stay and Play
Wednesday 4 th	Year 5/6	Non swimmers
Thursday 5 th	Year 6	2.45pm Maths Drop-in
Friday 6 th	Year 4	NWLSSP Handball (selected)
	Red House	Grandparent Lunch
Tuesday 10 th	Year 1	2.45pm Maths Drop-in
Wednesday 11 th	Year 5/6	Non swimmers
	All	Book fair in school (11 th - 18 th Nov)
Thursday 12 th	Year 5/6	NWLSSP Athletics (selected)
	Year 3	2.45pm Maths Drop-in
Monday 16 th	Year 3 /4	NWLSSP Dodgeball (selected)
Wednesday 18 th	Year 5/6	Non swimmers
Thursday 19 th	All	PTFA Rags to Riches Collection Day
	Year 4	2.45pm Maths Drop-in
	Year 5/6	NWLSSP Dodgeball Dev (Selected)
Tuesday 24 th	Year 5/6	NWLSSP Dodgeball Excel (Selected)
Wednesday 25 th	Year 5/6	Non swimmers
Thursday 26 th	Year 5	2.45pm Maths Drop-in

If you have changed your email address, telephone number or moved house recently, don't forget to let us know so our school records remain up-to-date!



MOIRA PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM DATES 2026/2027

AUTUMN TERM 2026

(77 school days)

INSET Thursday 20.08.26 & Friday 21.08.26

Pupils return to school Monday 24.08.26

Bank Holiday Monday 31.08.26

Break up for half term Thursday 15.10.26

INSET Friday 16.10.26

Half term Monday 19.10.26 to Friday 23.10.26

Pupils return to school Monday 26.10.26

Break up for Christmas Thursday 17.12.26

INSET Friday 18.12.26

SPRING TERM 2027

(50 school days)

Pupils return to school Monday 04.01.27

Break up for half term Friday 12.02.27

Half term Monday 15.02.27 to Friday 19.02.27

Pupils return to school Monday 22.02.27

Break up for Easter Friday 19.03.27

SUMMER TERM 2027

(63 school days)

Pupils return to school Monday 05.04.27

May Day Bank Holiday Monday 03.05.27

Break up for half term Friday 28.05.27

Half term Monday 31.05.27 to Friday 04.06.27

Pupils return to school Monday 07.06.27

Break up for the Summer Thursday 08.07.27

INSET Friday 09.07.27 (disaggregated)

Please visit Dojo for pictures of recent events and well-being. Visit us at www.moiraleics.sch.uk

LEARNING TOGETHER



Diary Dates 2026-2027

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Yes, we know it is only September, but we thought it would be useful for you to see the Christmas dates we have in the diary so far.

DECEMBER

Wednesday 2 nd	All	PTFA Christmas Fayre (3.15-5.00pm)
Friday 4 th	EYFS & KS1	Panto trip to Century Theatre
Sunday 6 th	Singing Club	Performance at Ashby Christmas Market (Time TBC)
Tuesday 8 th	EYFS & Year 1	Christmas Performances at 10.00am and 4.00pm
Wednesday 9 th	Years 4,5,6	Christmas Performances at 10.00am and 4.00pm
	Year 3	NWLSP Personal Best Fest (selected children)
Thursday 10 th	Year 2&3	Christmas Performances at 10.00am and 4.00pm
Friday 11 th	KS2	Panto trip to Loughborough Town Hall
Monday 14 th	All	PTFA Choco Bingo
Thursday 17 th	All	Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 18 th	All	INSET DAY – School Closed



JANUARY

Monday 4 th	All	Back to school
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Christmas Performances

Entrance is via the EYFS entrance at the side of the hall. No doubt we will be running our infamous Christmas raffle for a Christmas Hamper (tickets are £1 a strip – cash only). Please note that children will remain in school at the end of the day to get ready for the performance at 4.00pm.

TICKETS

Tickets will not be allocated, **however for the EYFS, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 performances we respectfully request that no more than 2 people from each family attend each show.** A register of attendees will be taken.

If your child is in Years 4,5 or 6 we ask that 1 family member attends each performance, however if you wish for any more spaces to contact the office nearer the time..

