

Weekly News Bulletin

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Star Assembly:

It was so lovely to have so many parents/carers join us to celebrate this Friday. The Y6 pupils did a tremendous job giving out all the awards.



Birthday celebrations:

We have the most amazing cook at North Park who bakes fresh birthday cakes each Friday!

As part of our Star assembly, children who have had a birthday that week receive a special cupcake. Birthdays are always special at North Park!

Well done to this week's Stars 



STAR ASSEMBLY 



Parent Consultations:

Please make sure you have made a parents/carers appointment. We can't wait to tell you how your child has settled into school and to share their fantastic progress with you.

North Park Friends of the School:

We are planning a Christmas Fair for December, if anyone is interested in setting up a stall then please contact the school office.

Harvest collection:

We are collecting non-perishable items for the foodbank. Please send any donations into school next week.

Thank you!





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School holidays for the 2023/24 academic year

Holiday	Closing date	Date re-opens
Summer 2023	Friday 21 July 2023	Monday 4 September 2023
Autumn half-term 2023	Friday 27 October 2023	Monday 6 November 2023
Christmas 2023	Tuesday 19 December 2023	Wednesday 3 January 2024
Spring half-term 2024	Friday 16 February 2024	Monday 26 February 2024
Easter 2024	Thursday 28 March 2024	Monday 15 April 2024
May Day 2024	Friday 3 May 2024	Tuesday 7 May 2024
Summer half-term 2024	Friday 24 May 2024	Monday 3 June 2024
Summer 2024	Tuesday 23 July 2024	Wednesday 4 September 2024

Professional Development Days where children are not in school:

Please be aware that in addition to the school holidays to the left the following Professional Development Days at North Park also need to be taken into consideration.

The following dates are days when children are not in school and these need to be added to the holidays to the left:

Monday 6th November 2023, school closed to children

Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th December 2023, school closed to children

Monday 15th April 2024, school closed to children

Date:	Event:	Who is involved
18 th October	9.05am Harvest Assembly in school (Y1 parents/carers invited)	Year 1
24 th & 25 th October	Parent consultations	Whole school
25 th October	Sports festival at Whitworth Academy	Year 2
26 th October	Halloween disco 4-5.30pm	KS2 only (Y3/4/5/6)
26 th October	Sports festival at Spennymoor Leisure Centre	Year 4
26 th October	Harvest Festival in church 1.30-2pm (all children back to school)	Whole school (children only this time)
6 th November	Professional development Day for teachers	School closed to all children