



Burnside Academy News

Thursday 21st May 2026

A copy of this newsletter is also available on our website www.burnsideacademy.co.uk

Year 6 SATs

We were extremely proud of our Year 6 children last week. They showed motivation, resilience and determination in each test. We couldn't have asked for anything more of them- well done! A huge thank you to our staff too for their dedication to the children. A treat from McDonalds on Friday afternoon finished the week off very nicely!

Year 4 Multiplication Check

Year 4 Multiplication Check begins on Monday 1st June and ends on Friday 12th June. **It is important that all Year 4 children are in school during this time.**

Year 1 Phonics Screen

Year 1 Phonics Screening week begins on Monday 8th June and ends on Friday 19th June. **It is important that all Year 1 children are in school during this time.**

Facebook

Please remember to look at our Facebook page which shows all the exciting events and activities we have going on in school. This is updated regularly so please follow us by searching Burnside Academy and you will see our logo.

School Uniform

I would like to take this opportunity to remind parents and carers of our uniform at Burnside. Please could you ensure your child wears the following:

NURSERY TO Y6	
Girls	Boys
Red sweatshirt with school badge if possible Red cardigan with school badge if possible	Red sweatshirt with school badge if possible
White polo shirt with school badge if possible	White polo shirt with school badge if possible
Grey skirt Grey pinafore Grey trousers - no leggings	Grey trousers Grey shorts
White or grey socks Grey tights	Grey socks
Red gingham dress optional in Summer term	
Black shoes No trainers	Black shoes No trainers
If children travel to school in alternative footwear e.g. wellies, they must change into their school shoes at the start of the day	

PE Kit for Y1 to Y6 is a white t-shirt with school badge if possible, black shorts/leggings, trainers and their school cardigan or sweatshirt.

All items of uniform containing the school badge can be purchased online at www.totstoteams.com or you can collect an order form from the school office to order uniform via school. PE bags, book bags and coats containing the school badge are also available to buy via this website.

Thank you for all your continued support. If you have any queries or concerns please don't hesitate to contact me at school.

Mrs Kelly
(Headteacher)

Diary Dates Summer 2:

Details about each event will be send out prior to it taking place

Event	Dates and Times
Close for half term holiday	Thursday 21 st May
Children return to school	Monday 1 st June
Break the Rules Day	Friday 5 th June
Year 6 Kepier Visit with Burnside Staff	Monday 8 th June
New Nursery Induction Meeting	Tuesday 9 th June
New Reception Induction Meeting	Wednesday 10 th June
Year 5 Harehope Quarry Visit	Tuesday 16 th June
Reception Home Visits	Wednesday 17 th June
Year 2 St Mary's Lighthouse Visit	Thursday 18 th June
Muddy Monsters Visitors to Nursery and Reception	Friday 19 th June
Big Me Day	Monday 22 nd June
Year 2 Skipping Festival	Tuesday 23 rd June
Year 4 Tennis Competition	Wednesday 24 th June
Nursery Home Visits	Wednesday 24 th June
Sports Day Nursery/Reception, Year 1 and Year 2	Friday 26 th June 9.15am
Sports Day Year Year 3/4, Year 5 and Year 6	Friday 26 th June 2.00pm
Year 6 Kepier Visit	Wednesday 1 st July, Thursday 2 nd July, Monday 6 th July
New Reception and Nursery Visiting School	Wednesday 1 st July
Year 3 Broomhouse Farm Visit	Thursday 2 nd July
Sponsored Day	Friday 3 rd July
Choir City Sings Event	Tuesday 7 th July
Reports to Parents/Carers	Thursday 9 th July
Year 6 Derwent Hill Residential	Friday 10 th July
Year 6 Festival	Monday 13 th July
Open evening for parents/carers to discuss reports if needed	Tuesday 14 th July
Reception Graduation	Thursday 16 th July
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Friday 17 th July

Water Fun Day	Monday 20 th July
Year 6 Leavers Lunch	Tuesday 21 st July
Close for Summer Holidays	Wednesday 22 nd July