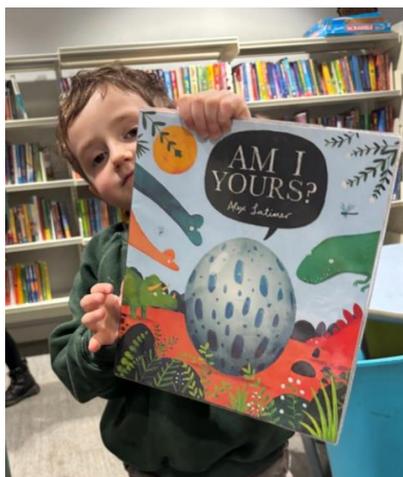




Friday 13th March 2026

Dear Parents,

The weeks are flying by! This week, we have had so much to love and lots to enjoy. Yesterday the children went on a visit to Cogito Books in Hexham; they all had a fabulous time and I am told that their behavior was exemplary! We are so proud of each and every one of them!



On Wednesday this week, we had a wonderful science afternoon packed with exciting hands-on learning as we celebrated British Science Week ...



PCC Questionnaires

in light of Rev. Andrew Patterson retiring in July, a questionnaire was recently given out to all children asking how the church can best support children, families, staff and the wider community going forward. Thank you to those of you who have returned their questionnaires, if you haven't as yet, we would be grateful if you could by Monday.

B4RN Broadband

B4RN Fibre Broadband could be coming to Hexhamshire. At 1000mbps upload and download speeds this will be so much faster than the current speeds most families and businesses can access. The project is predominantly government funded but is subject to enough properties expressing an interest on the B4RN website:

www.b4rn.org.uk/. By expressing an interest in B4RN you are not signing up to a contract, you are just helping the project progress to the next stage. B4RN is a community benefit organisation and if it gets the go ahead in Hexhamshire, they will provide free broadband to the school, village hall and church. Claire Nixon is involved with the community volunteer team taking this forward so please let her know if you have any questions.

After School Wraparound runs all week - Monday to Friday from 3.20pm – 5.30pm term time only.

Clubs this half term

Monday – Lego Club with Miss Ord
Tuesday – Gymnastics with Miss Agnew
Wednesday – Forest School Club with Mr Short
Thursday – Cookery Club with Miss Barnes

Parents Meetings

Our Spring Term Parents Meetings will be on **Tuesday 24th March**. Your child should have brought home a letter already about this, but if it has been lost in transit, please let us know. All appointments will be allocated on Monday next week and if you are unable to make 24th March, we will suggest a different date then. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Thornton will meet with parents on the afternoon and Miss Barnes and Miss Agnew after school.

Dates for the Diary

Thursday 19th March – Year 4 children who are attending HMS in September - visiting HMS (Games morning)

Friday 20th March - Open the Book / Red Nose Day

Friday 27th March – Mark Wroe - Bishop of Berwick
visiting **Thursday 2nd April** – Last day of term



Red Nose Day - Friday 20th March

Children are invited to dress as teachers if they wish. (If they prefer not to, they can simply come in non-school uniform.) Teachers will be joining the fun by dressing as children!

Attendance

Early Years 100%

Class One 100%

Class Two 100%



Key Year 4 Transition Dates ...

Hexham Middle School

Wed 22nd April/ 18th May Targeted transition workshops.

Early May Letters will be received from HMS to start the welcome process and key dates/information about the transition timeline will be sent out.

Fri 15th May Deadline for parents to complete our online admissions forms.

Wed 24th June Year 4 Rounders Afternoon.

Tue 7th July Transfer Day (children visit HMS and Transfer Evening (Parent/Carer welcome.))

Have a lovely weekend everyone!
Mrs Hayward



Corbridge Middle School

Wed 29th April - Y4 Pastoral Transition (Teacher will visit Whitley Chapel)

Mon 22nd June - 9:30am -12noon Y4 Sports Activity

Tue 7th July - Transfer Day (children visit CMS)

More dates to follow!