



Acre Rigg Infant School



## **Newsletter January 2026**

### **Inset Day – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026.**

#### **Welcome back**

It is lovely to see the children back in school. I hope you all had a restful break and are looking forward to 2026.

#### **Prompt start**

Thank you for being on time. Our bell goes at 8.45am for the children so we can make an 8.50am start for schoolwork. Classroom doors close at 8.50am. School finishes at 3.15p.m. Please support us by bringing your child to school on time.

Breakfast club starts at 8.00am and continues to be free for all school age children. Breakfast club doors close at 8.25am. Your child must be taken to their classroom doors after this time for an 8.45am start.

#### **Support for families**

As a school, we are able to offer support families. E.g, to access the food bank, to provide uniform from our swap shop. Please do not hesitate to contact me on 0191 5864437 or email [acrerigginfants@durhamlearning.net](mailto:acrerigginfants@durhamlearning.net)

#### **After school clubs**

New after schools will start on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January and will run until Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2026. Your child's acceptance letter will be sent out within the next week.

#### **After school childcare**

Our after-school childcare runs every day until 5.30pm Monday to Thursday and 4.30 on Fridays. Childcare is available from reception through to year 2. It is £3.50 from 3.15p.m. – 4.30pm and £6 from 3.15pm – 5.30p.m. If you would like further information please contact the school office.

## **Year 2 Seaham Trip**

Our Year 2 children are visiting Seaham Marina on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January. If you have not yet completed the consent form please return and make payment of £5 to the school office.

## **Parents Afternoon appointments**

Parents afternoons take place the week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> January. There is a signing in sheet in the classroom for you to choose an appointment. Please make every effort to attend the meeting.

Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	-	Classes 1 and 2
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January	-	Classes 3 and 4
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> January	-	Classes 5 and 6
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	-	Classes 7 and 8

## **Website information**

**<http://www.acrerigg-inf.durham.sch.uk/>**

Our website is updated on a regular basis. You will find information about the curriculum, events in school and policies. All newsletters can be found on the website too.

## **Diary Dates**

Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	-	Year 2 Seaham Trip
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	-	Year 2 Seaham Trip
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> January to	-	Parents afternoons
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January		
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January	-	After school clubs start
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	-	Break up for half term
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	-	Children return to school

Thank you for your continued support

Mrs Longstaff