



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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23rd July 2025



Reminder - We are a Nut & Kiwi Free school

Latest News

We have reached the end of the year! This last half term has felt incredibly long and I think that the children all deserve a couple of chilled out days before the summer fun begins!

Today marks the final day of primary school for our wonderful Year 6 students. On Monday they delivered a fantastic Leavers' Assembly to their parents/carers which was filled with songs, memories and laughter. We all felt very proud watching them up on stage.

To Year 6: As we bid you goodbye this afternoon, know that you will always be part of the Fremington family and you will always be welcomed back. You are confident and brave and have grown so much over the last year. Well done – go and do awesome things!

Have a great Summer holiday, everyone!

Thank you!

Today marks the end of my first year as Headteacher and I wanted to thank the entire school community for their support, their smiley faces at the gate, their kind and respectful handling of difficult conversations and their contribution to making Fremington School great. There is lots of work to be done but I hope that you feel that we are on the right path and, together, we can ensure that the children of Fremington have a great experience. It is a wonderful place to work – the school staff team are deeply committed and the children and families are a pleasure to support.

So, how are we doing? Please complete this short Parent View survey. Your feedback helps us celebrate what is working well and identify areas where we can grow. It'll take you less than a minute! Click [here](https://forms.office.com/e/xEYDH758GR) to take part!
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Pupil Premium/Free School Meals

Yesterday I wrote to you, asking you to help me ensure that we are receiving all of the funding that we are entitled to.

Thank you to those of you who have already responded – please do spend a couple of minutes completing the form if you haven't already; it could make a real difference to children's experiences at FPS. Click [here](https://forms.office.com/e/2py86WADsD) to complete the form
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Staffing Structure for 2025/2026

Year Group	Teaching team
Nursery Periwinkles	Cordelia Angless/Steph Barnsby
Reception Starfish	Lou Swift
Y1/2 Polecats	Amy Langmead
Y1/2 Otters	Tamzin Harris
Y1/2 Stoats	Sarah William (nee Bolton)/Amy Johnson
Y3/4 Puffins	Barbara de Noronha / Zoe Cloke
Y3/4 Kites	Suzi Fitzpatrick
Y3/4 Tawny Owls	Sean Downing
Y5 Grey Seals	Tom Dunn
Y5 Porpoises	Nancy Wall
Y6 Badgers	Emily Turner
Y6 Red Deer	Alison Robinson / Beth Downing

Date	Event
2nd & 3rd September	Staff training days. Keep an eye on your emails for start-of-term correspondence
Thu 4th September	First Day of Autumn Term Gates open for drop off: 8.40am (Years 1-6) 8.45am (Nursery and Reception) Gates open for collection: 3.15pm (Years 1-6) 3.20pm (Nursery and Reception)

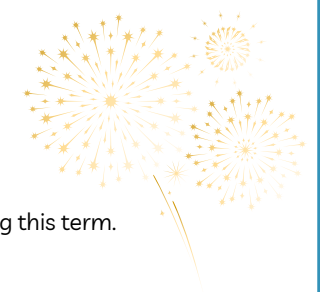
Term dates are available on our [website](#).

Lost Property

Please have a good look in the lost property box after school today as there is a great deal of unclaimed items.

Unnamed items will be rehomed over the holidays.





Headteacher Learning Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have been recognised for their fantastic learning this term.

It was a pleasure to present them with their certificates in assembly

	Reading	Writing	Maths
Fireflies	Hugo	Reeva	Esme
Dragonflies	Sierra	Havaya	Charley
Otters	Lexie	Max P	Harley T
Foxes	Ethan	Cleo-Reign	Hollie H
Hedgehogs	Sophie	Theo M	Chloe
Eagles	Holly	Finley H	Max M
Kestrels	Alfie T	Norah	Caleb
Hawks	Tristan W	Chester	Phoebe
Falcons	Oakley	Lily M	Charlie W
Leopards	Summer-Louise	Finlay C	Joey
Panthers	Megan	Aidan	Augustus
Lions	Scarlett	Phoebe	Ashton
Tigers	Tommy	Eden	Finley



Teachers Vs Year 6 Rounders

Tuesday saw the annual teachers vs Yr 6 rounders match. Having watched the teachers take the victory last summer, I can't help feeling that some sneaky student practice may have taken place as, despite fielding a very large team and making quite a come-back, we were beaten by one rounder! Working well as a team, the Year 6's fielding was just too good. Until next year...



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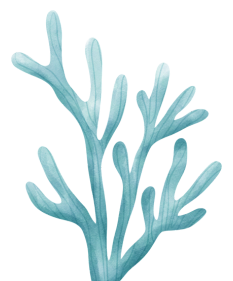
It is that time of year when we say goodbye to some of our colleagues. I am sure that you will join me in wishing all of these adults the best of luck with their new ventures. I am grateful to all of them for their hard work and commitment to the school: Mrs Laura Dunn, Miss Coral Cooper, Mrs Sian Spencer, Mrs Kayleigh Gillece, Miss Jade Race (good luck with you teacher training!), and Mrs Emma Gilroy.

We welcome to our team: Mrs Zoe Cloke (Zoe will be job sharing with Ms D in Y3/4), Mrs Megan Palmer (TA) and we also welcome Mrs Carly Lycett back as a TA.

The Harbour model of business support means that we no longer have a Business Manager (Mrs Emma Gilroy is going to work for the Harbour Support Services team), we will instead have a Business Partner who works more centrally and manages several schools. As part of this managed change, Miss Suze Webb has taken on an administrative role (alongside her TA role) and so you will see her in the office as well as the classroom.

Signal of the Sea – what a show!

Paddleboat Theatre productions put on two fantastic shows at school this week – thank you to our PTFA for enabling this to happen. It was great to expose children to a professional theatre performance, complete with incredible staging and props, as well as classical instruments being played throughout. It was a really immersive experience – ask your children all about it!



HAF SUMMER ACTIVITY DAYS

FREE (Government funded)

BOOK NOW Where: **Eden Park Academy**

TIME: 9-1 EXTENDED OPTIONS AVAILABLE

DATES:
 Monday 28th July - Friday 1st August
 Monday 4th August - Friday 8th August
 Monday 11th August - Tuesday 12th August

For More information, contact us : 07789954068
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HAF SUMMER ACTIVITY DAYS

FREE (Government funded)

BOOK NOW Where: **STICKLEPATH COMMUNITY PRIMARY ACADEMY**

TIME: 9-1 EXTENDED OPTIONS AVAILABLE

DATES:
 Monday 28th July - Friday 1st August
 Monday 4th August - Friday 8th August
 Monday 11th August - Friday 15th August
 Monday 18th August

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FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CLUB

Join us this summer for fun filled days of football games, competitions & prizes
 Girls & Boys / All abilities
 Ages 5 - 15 years

Every Tuesday ,Wednesday & Thursday
 Starting on 29/7 until 28/8 | 9am - 4pm
 TARKALEISURE CENTRE, BARNSTAPLE

Weds 30 July, 6, 13, 20 & 27 August | 9am - 4pm
 KINGSLEY SCHOOL, BIDEFORD

Use discount code RYB357
10% OFF

Y6 PARENTS/CARERS

You are invited to an online workshop:
SUPPORTING A SUCCESSFUL SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSITION

DATE - TUESDAY 5TH AUGUST 2025
TIME - 15:45 - 16:45
ONLINE VIA TEAMS (joining code below)

Discuss the common secondary transition concerns.
 Helpful tips to support your child's mental health during the transition.
 Explore signs and reasons for worries about change.

Microsoft Teams
 Meeting ID: 379 847 996 671 5
 Passcode: Gø3FE33U

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FREE FAMILY FUN WITH THE NORTHAM BURROWS RANGERS

Throughout the summer holidays - free trail and craft activities - pop to the visitor centre to join in.

Thurs 24th July	Poisonous plants guided walk	Meet at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre at 2pm.
Tues 29th July	Big seaweed search	Meet on the Westward Ho! slipway at 2pm.
Thurs 31st July	Big butterfly count	Drop in at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre.
Tues 5th Aug	Teddy bears' picnic	Stories and crafts on the grass by the Visitor Centre.
Thurs 7th Aug	Bumblebee safari	Meet at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre at 2pm.
Tues 12th Aug	Rockpool ramble	Look for the blue banner near the W. Ho! slipway.
Thurs 14th Aug	Sandcastle competition	On the beach near Sandymere & Ifegard hut.
Tues 19th Aug	PIRATE DAY! Trail & crafts	Drop in at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre.
Thurs 21st Aug	Flying high - Kites and gliders	Drop in at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre.
Tues 26th Aug	Great nurdle search	Drop in at the Northam Burrows Visitor Centre.
Thurs 28th Aug	Art on the beach!	Drop by on the beach near Sandymere & Ifegard hut.

Activities run from 2pm to 4pm unless otherwise stated. Children must be accompanied by an adult. No booking required. For full details of each event, visit our website and social media pages or check the posters at the Visitor Centre and toll booths.

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This Summer hols we are at Rosemoor!

7th & 8th August
Tree climbing & forest activities

19th & 20th August
Just Tree climbing

10 - 4pm
 Free if you have RHS membership
 Normal garden entry fee for non members

Come along - we would love to see you!

GREEN PATHS CIC FAMILIES DAYS

28/30/31/1ST JULY/AUGUST

NATIONAL TRUST ARLINGTON COURT

Book now

Contact Us: 07814428000

Kids Summer Holiday activities

Booking essential

Coasteering

Tues 12 th Aug	08.30 - 11.00	Coasteering @ Baggy 2.5 hour session
Wed 13 th Aug	09.30 - 12.00	Age 8 +
Fri 15 th Aug	09.00 - 11.30	Kids, teens & families welcome
Sat 16 th Aug	10.00 - 12.30	Must be able to swim confidently in the sea
Mon 25 th Aug	08.30 - 11.00	Hot choc & brownie to finish!
Wed 27 th Aug	15.00 - 20.30	
Sat 6 th Sept	16.00 - 18.30	

Climbing

Wed 13 th Aug	13.15 - 15.15	Polles Gully, Baggy Age 6+
Wed 13 th Aug	15.30 - 17.30	Polles Gully, Baggy Age 6+
Fri 15 th Aug	12.30 - 15.00	Advanced climb Baggy Point Age 10+ experienced climbers
Sat 16 th Aug	15.00 - 17.00	Polles Gully, Baggy Age 6+
Sun 24 th Aug	10.00 - 11.30	Valley of the Rocks Age 6+
Sun 24 th Aug	11.45 - 13.15	Valley of the Rocks Age 6+
Mon 25 th Aug	12.00 - 14.00	Polles Gully, Baggy Age 6+

Kayaking

Mon 18 th Aug	10.00 - 12.00	Stocklands Lake, Knowle age 6+
Mon 18 th Aug	13.00 - 15.00	Stocklands Lake, Knowle age 6+

Kids Adventures Age 7+

Tues 12 th Aug	12.00 - 17.00	Baggy Point Coastal Adventure
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Book online thekidsadventurecompany.co.uk

LOTS OF ACTIVITIES!! MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY'S

Cook Stars

LOTS OF FUN!! SUMMER CLUB

DEVON SCIENCE

5-11 YEARS


LET'S GO! Ashleigh Church of England Primary School

Ferdinand Collective




1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges (v)	Chicken Curry with Rice	Roast Turkey with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Sausage Pinwheel, Herby Diced Potatoes & Baked Beans	Fish Fingers & Chips
Hot Option 2	Sweet Potato and Lentil Curry with Steamed Rice (v)	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake & Crusty Bread (v)	Lentil Roast with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy (v)	Plant-based Sausage Pinwheel, Herby Diced Potatoes & Baked Beans (v)	Golden Veggie Goujons & Chips (v)
Jacket Potato	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo
Served with	Sweetcorn	Mixed Vegetables	Carrots and Green Beans	Mixed Salad	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Pip Organic Ice Lolly	Brownie	Flapjack	Fruit Jelly	Shortbread Biscuit
Packed Lunch + pudding of the day	Tuna Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette

Week One: 21 Apr | 12 May | 9 Jun | 30 Jun | 21 Jul | 15 Sept | 6 Oct



2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Mac n Cheese & Crusty Bread (v)	Sweet & Sour Chicken with Steamed Rice	Honey Roast Gammon with Mash & Gravy	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Pasta	Chicken Bites & Chips
Hot Option 2	Sweet and Sour Plant Balls with Steamed Rice (v)	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake (v) & Crusty Bread	Vegemince Cottage Pie & Gravy (v)	Plant-based Sausages in Tomato Sauce with Pasta (v)	Vegetarian Enchilada & Chips (v)
Jacket Potato	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo
Served with	Mixed Vegetables	Sweetcorn	Peas and Carrots	Mixed Salad	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Pip Organic Ice Lolly	Oaty Cookie	Toffee Cream Shortcake	Jam Sponge & Coconut	Chocolate Shortbread
Packed Lunch + pudding of the day	Tuna Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette

Week Two: 28 Apr | 19 May | 16 Jun | 7 Jul | 1 Sept | 22 Sept | 13 Oct



3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza Swirl with Potato Wedges (v)	Lasagne & Garlic Bread	Sausages Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potato & Gravy	Breaded Chicken, Lettuce and Mayo Wrap with Steamed Rice	Fish Fingers & Chips
Hot Option 2	Vegemince Bolognese with Pasta (v)	Loaded Bean Bake & Garlic Bread (v)	Plant-based Sausages Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potato & Gravy (v)	Tomato and Courgette Frittata with Potato Wedges (v)	Cheesy Pinwheel & Chips (v)
Jacket Potato	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo	Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo
Served with	Peas and Sweetcorn	Mixed Salad	Cabbage and Carrots	Crunchy Salad Sticks	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Vanilla Ice Cream	Blueberry Cupcake	Carrot Cake	Chocolate Oatcake	Vanilla Crunch Bar
Packed Lunch + pudding of the day	Tuna Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Ham Baguette	Cheese Baguette

Week Three: 5 May | 2 Jun | 23 Jun | 14 Jul | 8 Sept | 29 Sept | 20 Oct

*Available Daily:
Fresh Salad, Bread & Drinking Water + Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt as Pudding Alternatives