

# WHITLEY MEMORIAL C of E AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL



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*'Let your light shine' – Matthew 5:16*  
**Our Current Core Value: Friendship**



28/04/23

Dear Whitley Family,  
**Bank Holiday**

Please remember that school will be closed on both the 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of May due to the bank holidays.

## Strike Days

The next planned date for NEU industrial action is **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2023**. There will be **NO classes closed that day**. The whole school will be open and all children expected to attend.

## Attendance Winners

Congratulations to Warkworth class attendance winner this week with 95.8% Our overall for the week was 95.8%

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	School
98.6	96.8	96.6	95.6	92.2	96.3	96.4	<b>95.8</b>

## Coronation Celebrations

Next Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May we will be holding our in-school celebrations for the forthcoming coronation of King Charles. The plan is as follows:

- Non-uniform- Children to attend school dressed in red, white and blue, if possible.
- Morning Worship- Parents are invited to attend our special Coronation Worship at 9am.
- Afternoon tea party- This is for the children only. Please send your child in with a very small plate of non-perishable food and their water bottle for this event.
- Commemorative coin- West Bedlington town council have bought a commemorative coin for each child. Your child will be bringing one home. We are still waiting receipt of the extras that some people ordered.

## Whitley Friends

Whitley Friends will soon be selling sunflower growing kits. The sunflowers grown will be judged at the Summer Fair. More details will be sent out next week.

## Baptism

EYFS will be holding their annual Baptism on 12<sup>th</sup> May. They will send out details and invites.

## Adventure Play

Please make sure that your children do not play on the current Adventure Play, or any of our outdoor equipment before or after school.

## Parking

Please can everyone park in the public car park next to Aldi's as we have again had reports from residents of inconsiderate and dangerous parking.

Have a good weekend

Mrs Gray

