



SUMMER TERM

Welcome back. I hope you all had a lovely Easter! What a busy term we have ahead.

NEW STARTERS

Over Easter, families were informed of their allocated school for Reception places in September. I am pleased to say that 29 children have been allocated a place at Bookwell for September. We will be sending information out to these families very soon.

VE DAY

On **Thursday 8th May** we will be celebrating the 80th Anniversary of VE day. Children are invited to come into school wearing red, white and blue. We will be having a party lunch which school will fund for all the children. Please see the attached poster.



KESWICK SCHOOL: YEAR 5 OPEN EVENING - Wednesday 25th June 2025, from 5pm

We warmly invite you to an open evening at Keswick School. Find out more and book a place here: <https://www.keswick.cumbria.sch.uk/admissions/year-5-open-evening>

LOTTERY

Congratulations to last week's lottery winner Mrs Williamson, for more information and to play through our page, [please follow this link](#). The next draw takes place on Saturday 26th April. Please don't forget to renew your numbers when you get a reminder.

JOSH MACALISTER

We were delighted to welcome our local MP, Josh MacAlister, to Bookwell School today. During his visit, he toured our classrooms, engaged with the children, and met with the School Council. The pupils impressed him with their thoughtful questions, particularly around improving play facilities in Egremont. It was wonderful to see them sharing their ideas and concerns so

confidently. Mr. MacAlister also joined us for lunch, taking the opportunity to chat with both children and staff. We appreciate him giving up his time to visit our school.



School will be closed for the Bank Holiday on Monday 5th May 2025

LOWES COURT GALLERY – ART COMPETITION

Lowes Court Gallery is inviting artists of all ages to enter “*Inspired by the Great Artists,*” a free competition open to all. All media accepted (except photography). Create a piece inspired by a famous artist or artwork and submit it by May 24th. Entries will be displayed in June, with prizes including a visitor’s choice and junior award. Include your name, contact info, title, media, inspiration.



SUMMER UNIFORM

Summer uniform can now be worn. Summer uniform consists of: pale blue and white check or stripe school dress - no playsuits or gingham shorts. Grey shorts, pale blue or white polo shirt, royal blue V-neck school jumper or cardigan.

Footwear: predominantly white footwear can be worn with Summer uniform. You can still wear black shoes with the summer uniform.

Teacher led after school activities this half term.

Homework Y3–Y6 Wednesday 3–4pm

Gardening Reception Wednesday 3–3:45pm

Gardening Y2 Wednesday 3–3:45pm

Hockey Y3 – Y4 Thursday 3–4pm

STATUTORY TESTS

Week beginning 12th May 2025 – Year 6 SATs Tests

W/B 9th June 2025 – Y1 Phonics Screening Check

Beginning June 2025 – Year 4 Times Table Test

Curriculum



YOUTH TRAINING

UPDATED TIMES

WHEN

AGE

LOCATION

THURSDAY 16.45 - 17.30

U5 - RECEPTION

GILLFOOT PARK

THURSDAY 17.00-18.00

U6 - YEAR 1

GILLFOOT PARK

TUESDAY 17.00-18.00

U7 - YEAR 2

GILLFOOT PARK

THURSDAY 17.30-18.30

U8 - YEAR 3

GILLFOOT PARK

THURSDAY 17.30-18.30

U9 - YEAR 4

GILLFOOT PARK

THURSDAY 17.30-18.30

U10 - YEAR 5

GILLFOOT PARK

THURSDAY 17.00-18.30

U11 - YEAR 6

GILLFOOT PARK

MONDAY 18.00-19.00

U12, U14, U16 GIRLS

GILLFOOT PARK

WE ARE ALWAYS RECRUITING NEW PLAYERS, PLEASE CONTACT ON OUR SOCIALS FOR MORE INFO. FB - EGREMONT RANGERS YOUTH INSTA- @EGREMONTRANGERS.YOUTH



*To celebrate 80 years since VE day we
are going to have a tea party on Thursday
8th May 2025.*

*We would like children to come to school
dressed in red, white and blue.*



BOOKWELL SCHOOL MENU

WEEK 1

Monday

Burger in a bun (GF & EF)
Veggie Burger & Beans (GF & EF)
Rice Pudding



Tuesday

Spaghetti Bolognese & Garlic Bread (GF & EF)
Tuna Pasta (GF & EF)
Fruit Crumble & Custard

Wednesday

Gammon Steak & Cheesy Mash (EF)
Veg & Lentil Soup with Sandwich (EF)
Fruity Flapjack & Custard



Thursday

Roast Beef (GF) & EF)
Quorn Fillet, Mash & Veg
Ginger Biscuit & Milkshake

Friday

Fish Fingers & Chips (GF)
Mac & Cheese
Ice Cream



Available Daily

Meal choice: Jacket Potato (GF, V), Sandwich/Wrap, Fresh Veg/Salad

Dessert: Hot Pudding/Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt