

Silsden Primary School

Weekly News – w/c 23rd March 2026



March 2026

- 24th & 25th School Discos
- 24th Fluoride Varnish Application
- 24th Topic showcase
- 27th Break up for Easter

April 2026

- 13th School opens for summer term
- 15th Y1 trip to Swartha woods
- w/c 20th Science Exploration week
- 23rd Y1 trip to Nell Bank

May 2026

- 4th School Closed – Bank Holiday
- 11th-14th SATs Week
- 13th Reception at Pondarosa Zoo
- 15th Nursery Farm Visit
- 19th-20th Y3 Residential
- 22nd Colour Run and End of Term

Whole School Messages

EASTER DISCOS - Hello, tickets for the Easter Discos are now available in the school shop on Arbor for Reception - Year 6 pupils. Please see the poster for days and times -

<https://www.silsdenprimary.co.uk/wpcontent/uploads/2026/03/Easter-Disco-info-2026.jpg>

The deadline to purchase tickets is 10am on the morning of the disco.

We are in desperate need of larger sized wellies especially in sizes 2-6 adult if anyone has any to donate to school please for outdoor learning so all children can access the lessons. We would also appreciate carrier bag donations. Thank you.

Topic Showcase - School will be open on Tuesday 25th March from 3:30pm - 5:30pm for parents to visit our topic showcase areas for your child's year group.

Morning Traffic - We ask that children are not on site before 8:30am. This applies to traffic too (unless dropping at Sprouts). We have pupils on site at our Sprouts provision and this time is in place to keep those children safe at all times. From 8:30am onwards, cars can pass down the drive to drop off only. Parking is allowed in the bays by the school field from 8:30am. It is drop off only in the bays around the side of the school.

Thank you

Year 6 Specific Messages

YEAR 6 LEAVERS HOODIES - Please find the web shop link to order the Y6 leavers hoodies - <https://gdbclothing.co.uk/shop/silsden-primary-school/sp001-silsden-primary-school-leavers-hoodie>

Closing date for orders for free delivery to school will be Friday 3rd April 2026. Delivery will be the week of 13th April.

We will be tie-dying cushion covers next week for our DT project. Children should bring in a spare T-Shirt to protect their clothing for when we do this. When the dying is completed this week, children will bring them home. Please can we ask for you to wash these at home over the holidays so they can be stitched and stuffed in the first week back. If there are any issues with this, please contact us via the office. Thanks for your support.

Year 5 Specific Messages

It is outdoor learning for all year 5 classes on Tuesday 24th March. Please can children bring a change of footwear and a waterproof coat.

Please can all children bring a bag of clean/dry recycling for an outdoor learning project next week on Tuesday.

Year 4 Specific Messages

Outdoor learning on Friday - please remember to bring outdoor shoes to change into and a coat.

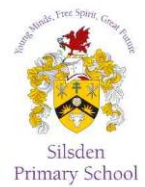
Year 4 Residential payment reminder - The third instalment of £70 for the bushcraft residential is due by Monday 13th April. Total paid to date should now be £200. Payment should be made in the Trips section of Arbor. If the deadline is missed, your child's place will be cancelled and payments made will not be refunded. If you will struggle to meet this deadline, please contact the school office in confidence.

Year 3 Specific Messages

No news to report this week.

Year 2 Specific Messages

Well done for a fabulous Spring two half term! This week we will start looking at the Great Fire of London topic, we look forward to seeing your fabulous home learning to go with this. Just a reminder topic showcase is on Tuesday. We have been learning out 10 time tables this week and investigating how to describe the plague symptoms!



Year 1 Specific Messages

NELL BANK TRIP - Please give consent for your child to attend via the trips section on Arbor by Friday 27th March. Please also fill out the following link to order your child a school packed lunch. Final orders are needed by Friday 27th March - [Year 1 Trip to Nell Bank – Fill in form](#)

Reception Specific Messages

Please can you ensure your child has a pair of wellies and a suitable waterproof coat in school for outdoor learning. We would also appreciate any wellies or puddle suits which have been outgrown for spares.

Just a quick reminder that next week we will be designing and building a protective vessel for an egg. We would really appreciate your support by sending in any junk modelling materials that could help cushion and protect it, such as newspaper, bubble wrap, cotton wool, tubes, wool, or plastic containers. We would also like to kindly remind you to ensure that all clothing items—such as shoes, hoodies, cardigans, and jumpers—are clearly labelled. This helps us return any misplaced items to their rightful owner. Many thanks for your continued support.

Nursery Specific Messages

Just a reminder that Friday 27th March is Alien Day in Nursery. We will be having our Alien Tea Party to celebrate all of the amazing learning that has taken place over the half-term. Children are invited to come to school in alien fancy dress - the wackier and wilder the better! Mrs Sharpe will have her face paints at the ready, if you do not wish for your child to participate in this, please let one of the team know on the door.

Next half-term, our Nursery learning theme is 'Nursery in Bloom' where we delve deep into all things growing. As part of this learning, we investigate life-cycles starting with plants, progressing to eggs and life on the farm. We are super excited to tell you that we will have duckling eggs with us later in the half-term and will also be going on our special school trip to Hesketh Farm. The trip to Hesketh Farm is taking place on Friday 15th May and you will receive further information after the Easter break about this. We are looking for parent volunteers to help support the trip and if this is something you'd love to get involved with, please contact Miss Keenan.

Please can you ensure your child has a pair of wellies and a puddle suit in school for outdoor learning. We would also appreciate any wellies or puddle suits which have been outgrown for spares.



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Welfare / Pastoral Messages

Registration form	Attendance this week	Attendance this academic year
1 Brunel	92.7%	95.3%
1 Stephenson	98.3%	96.8%
1 Whittle	93.6%	95.1%
2 Baird	96.3%	96.1%
2 Bell	97.9%	96.4%
2 Berners-Lee	97.0%	95.6%
3 Elgar	97.4%	95.3%
3 Holst	90.0%	95.2%
3 Lloyd-Webber	96.3%	95.4%
4 Anning	96.1%	94.7%
4 Hawking	92.9%	96.2%
4 Turing	94.5%	96.9%
5 Churchill	95.5%	94.9%
5 Pankhurst	95.7%	95.8%
5 Wilberforce	93.3%	94.7%
6 Drake	98.8%	95.7%
6 Nelson	91.3%	95.2%
6 Tull	95.9%	95.0%
Donaldson	91.4%	92.7%
R Jenner	96.4%	93.9%
R Nightingale	96.7%	94.3%
R Seacole	93.3%	94.8%
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