

# Haverigg Primary News

**Friday 12th Sept 2025**

Starting school in September 2026?  
The deadline for applications  
is the  
**15th January 2026.**  
See page 4 for more details.

Transfer to Secondary School  
The deadline to apply for a  
secondary school place for  
September 2026  
is the **31st October 2025.**  
See page 5 for more details.

Year 4 have had a great time learning to swim at Ulverston Leisure Centre over the last two weeks. They are all shattered but definitely worth it to master this important life skill.



Welcome back to school everyone and especially to our new children in Reception class. They have settled in so well and are super excited to be here. Miss Blackburn and Miss Leece have had some camera practise this morning, this is the one photo to make the cut! We welcome you all to our school family and know you will make amazing memories on your Haverigg Primary school journey. Let's do this!

Some of our school councillors visited the new leisure centre build at Millom school yesterday and had the opportunity to write their name and school on the steel framework. A moment in history!



## Congratulations to this week's Lighthouse Winners

Reception Miss Blackburn	Lighthouse winners for Reception Class will start next week
Year 1 Miss Leece	<b>Reggie</b> - for being an amazing role model in our class. He is always ready to learn, works his hardest all the time, is a kind friend and a very determined little boy! Well done Reggie!
Year 2 Mrs Redhead	<b>Arlo</b> - gets our first Year 2 lighthouse award of the Year after settling into Year 2 and being the best role model to his peers. He is always in the right place at the right time, listening carefully and completing tasks to the best of his ability. What a great start to the Year Arlo, keep on setting a fantastic example!
Year 3 Mr Knowles	<b>Ollie</b> - for his amazing learning behaviours, computing and music skills.
Year 4 Miss Usher	<b>Anderson</b> - is our first lighthouse winner this year for having such a positive attitude towards school. He has been working hard and we have been blown away with some of the maths work he has produced. He has listened carefully and has shown that he is an active learner. Well done Anderson.
Year 5 Miss Marinovich	<b>Isabella</b> - has settled into Year 5 brilliantly, showing a positive attitude to her learning and her new school year. This week we have been learning about how using our Happy Breathing can help us to focus and think more clearly. Isabella has really embraced this, using her breathing to stay calm, concentrate and give her very best in lessons.
Year 6 Miss Musgrave	<b>Oliver</b> - we have been so impressed with how Oliver has returned to school and settled into year 6. He is a fantastic member of the class, and it is great to see his confidence growing. His science knowledge and ideas are just fantastic.
Mrs Cullen's Music Award	<b>Sophie (year 6)</b> - for being a piano playing superstar!

At Haverigg Primary School we take the safety and welfare of your children very seriously. If you have any concerns regarding the safety and wellbeing of any children at Haverigg school please speak to Mrs Narongchai (our designated safeguarding leader), or Miss Musgrave / Mrs Redhead, (our deputy safeguarding leaders), in her absence.



# REMINDER

Please return your Data Collection Sheets as soon as possible.

We have also sent out three MS Forms questionnaires (Medical, Media and Trip consents). Please can these be completed and submitted so that we have the most up to date information. Thank you to those that have returned them already.



Snack time reminder - now we are back in the swing of things, please can we just gently remind everyone of the acceptable snacks that we allow in school. Thank you.

✓  
Fruit  
Vegetables  
Crackers  
Cheese  
Rice cakes  
Digestive biscuits  
Plain pop-corn (not sweet)  
Other foods along these lines

✗  
Cereal bars  
Chocolate biscuits  
Crisps  
Cakes  
Sweets  
Other foods along these lines

Please also see a reminder of our packed lunch policy on page 6

## Marbleous

### House point winners:

W/c 1/9/25—Molly, Dougie, Noah CB, Harry F, Faith, Frankie R, Ralphie, Oliver A, Reggiex2, Elliot P, Libby, Joeyx2, Mikey, Kaci,

W/c 08/09/25

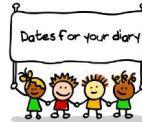
Anderson x5, Harry Hx3, Eloise, Sophia R, Lachlan, Joey x2, Joel, Freya H, Freya A, Bertie, Florence, Alfie, Toby, Eli, Xavier, Lucas x2, Louiex2, Dolly, Aaronx2, Bella, Lucy, Junior, Kobey-Lee, Lachlan, Aurora, Xander, Ayda, Austin x 2 and Reggie C.

**Well done everyone, you are all Marbleous!**



## Nasal Flu Vaccinations

The school immunisation team will be in school on the **18th November** to administer the nasal flu vaccination to all year groups. Parents were sent an reminder email earlier this week with a link to give your consent or non consent. Please could this be actioned as soon as possible. Thank you.



Please see page 8 for upcoming school diary dates

### If you label it - we'll find it!

Please can we stress the importance of adding your children's names to their uniform, lunch boxes etc. It makes it so much easier to return lost items to the correct owner. With the weather turning a little colder now, please can children remember to bring a jacket to school for playtimes. Thank you.



## Attendance Matters



**What is considered good attendance?** Regular and punctual attendance is essential for effective learning, promoting positive relationships and developing good attitudes to education. **A child's attendance at school is expected to be 96% and above.** Anything that is below this needs to be addressed by school to ensure attendance improves. We need to ensure that all children attend school regularly as it is important for friendships and academic progress/success.

### Key daily timings:

8:50 to 9:00 → Register takes place  
After 9:00 → Late mark in register  
After 9:30 → unauthorised absence

### Weekly Attendance Report

Reception	97%
Year 1	95%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	96%
Year 4	99%
Year 5	94%
Year 6	98%





# Tom Palmer

## Millom Library Author Visit



Multiple award winning  
author of over 60  
children's books



**Wednesday 15th October, 4.30pm**

Free Event - Booking essential: to  
book your place scan the QR code



**Suitable for ages 7-12 years**

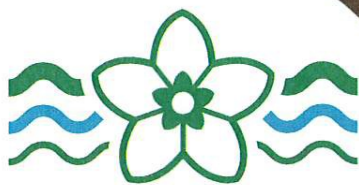
Tom will be selling signed books for £5 (cash only)

Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult

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**Cumberland  
Council**



Parents/carers are  
responsible for applying  
for a school place by  
**15 January 2026**

# **Starting School**

**Children born between**

**1 September 2021**

**and 31 August 2022**

**can start school in September 2026**

You can apply online at: **[www.cumberland.gov.uk](http://www.cumberland.gov.uk)**

or contact: **01228 221582**

or email **[school.admissions@cumberland.gov.uk](mailto:school.admissions@cumberland.gov.uk)**

**[cumberland.gov.uk](http://cumberland.gov.uk)**





School Admissions and Appeals  
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September 2025

The parent/carer of a Year 6 pupil

Dear Parent/Carer

### **Transfer to Secondary School in September 2026**

As your child is due to transfer to secondary school in September 2026, you can apply for a Year 7 place online at: [www.cumberland.gov.uk](http://www.cumberland.gov.uk). **The online application system [Citizen Portal] will be available from the 3 September 2025**

There are several benefits to applying online, including:

- it is quick and easy.
  - you will receive an acknowledgement by e-mail that your application has been submitted.
- you can find out which school your child has been allocated by 9am on National Offer day.

Please see the leaflet "Transfer from primary or junior school to secondary school in September 2026" for further information. Available on the council's website [www.cumberland.gov.uk](http://www.cumberland.gov.uk).

If you are an existing user of the Citizen Portal, it is important that you check that your own personal details, particularly the address details, are correct and up to date, as well as those of your child.

If you are unable to apply online, you can still apply using a paper form (SA3). You can download this from the website or alternatively you can contact the School Admissions and Appeals Team to request a copy.

Important information about schools and the application process is contained in the booklet 'Transfer to secondary school in Cumbria – September 2026'. Please read this before applying. You can download a copy of the booklet at [www.cumberland.gov.uk](http://www.cumberland.gov.uk). If you don't have access to a computer, you can also view copies of the booklet in local primary, junior and secondary schools as well as libraries.

**You must submit your application by 31 October 2025. If your form is late, it may seriously affect your chances of being allocated a place at one of your preferred schools.**

Yours faithfully

School Admissions





## Healthy Packed Lunch Policy



### How to pack a well-balanced lunch box - focus on the food groups

To be in-line with the School Food Standards set by the Department for Education, we feel this is a very reasonable packed lunch policy and one which we would like all parents to work towards achieving **one small change at a time**. We do understand that some children struggle with change but, the healthier choices you can gradually make, the better your child's health will be.

#### Packed lunches should include:

- At least one portion of fruit and one portion of vegetables every day.
- Meat, fish, eggs, or a non-dairy protein (e.g. lentils, kidney beans, chickpeas, houmous or falafel) every day.
- Oily fish, such as salmon, at least once every three weeks.
- A starchy food such as any type of bread, pasta, rice, couscous, noodles, potatoes or another cereal every day.
- A dairy food such as milk, cheese, yoghurt, fromage frais or custard every day.
- A drink of water, fruit juice or smoothie (maximum portion 150ml), or semi-skimmed milk or skimmed milk, yoghurt or another milk drink.

#### Packed lunches can occasionally include:

- Meat products such as sausage rolls, individual pies, corned meat and sausages.
- Cakes and biscuits - but encourage your child to eat these as part of a meal and be mindful of appropriate portion sizes.

#### Packed lunches should not include:

- Nuts or nut butters (we do have children in school with allergies)
- Salty snacks such as crisps.
- Confectionery such as chocolate bars, chocolate-coated cereal bars, processed fruit bars and sweets.
- Sugary soft drinks, such as squash and fizzy drinks.







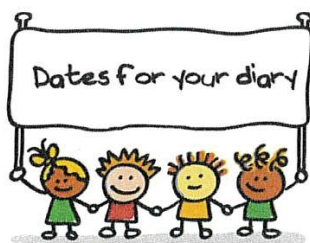
## Haverigg School 3 Week Menus from September 2025

Week 1		
<b>Monday</b>	Chicken Fillet (Battered or plain), Red Pesto Pasta, Carrot & Cucumber sticks	Victoria Sponge
<b>Tuesday</b>	Pasta in sauce (Cheese optional) Garlic Bread, sweetcorn	Zucchini Brownie
<b>Wednesday</b>	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Creamed Potatoes / Pasta and Vegetables	Apple Cake & Custard
<b>Thursday</b>	Meat & Potato Pie & Veg	Choc Chip Cookie & Milk Drink
<b>Friday</b>	Fishy Ships, Beans/Peas	Fruit Salad and Ice-Cream
	Daily: Jacket Potato with Butter/Cheese/Beans/Tuna OR Sandwich – Cheese/Ham/Tuna/Salad	Daily: Fruit Yoghurts Fresh Fruit
Week 2		
<b>Monday</b>	Fish Cake, Chips, Spaghetti Hoops / Peas, Bread and Butter	Scone with Jam
<b>Tuesday</b>	Mild Chicken Tikka Curry, Rice & Naan	Toffee Mousse, Bananas/Oranges
<b>Wednesday</b>	Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding & Vegetables	Gingerbread & Custard
<b>Thursday</b>	Chicken Wrap with Salad & Seasoned Potato Wedges	Chocolate Cake
<b>Friday</b>	Meatballs in Gravy, Mash/Pasta & Vegetables	Fruity Flapjack
	Daily: Jacket Potato with Butter/Cheese/Beans/Tuna OR Sandwich – Cheese/Ham/Tuna/Salad	Daily: Fruit Yoghurts Fresh Fruit
Week 3		
<b>Monday</b>	Pasta Bolognese, Garlic Bread & Sweetcorn	Sprinkle Cake
<b>Tuesday</b>	Sausages, Mash or Pasta & Beans/Peas	Meltin Moment Biscuit
<b>Wednesday</b>	Roast Pork, Yorkshire Pudding, Mash/Pasta & Vegetables	Chocolate Crunch & Custard
<b>Thursday</b>	Sunshine Pizza & Wedges	Vanilla Shortbread & Milk Drink
<b>Friday</b>	Fishy Ships, Beans / Peas	Fruit, Waffle & Ice-cream
	Daily: Jacket Potato with Butter/Cheese/Beans/Tuna OR Sandwich – Cheese/Ham/Tuna/Salad	Daily: Fruit Yoghurts Fresh Fruit

**Please note: any children with a food intolerance can still order the main meal and pudding. If applicable, the kitchen staff will adjust the meal according to their intolerance e.g. dairy.**

**Thank you**





# HAVERIGG PRIMARY SCHOOL

## DIARY DATES

(updated September 2025)

### September 2025

Thursday 11th

Visit from Millom school for Years 5 and 6

Tuesday 16th

Visit from John Ruskin School for Years 5 and 6

### October 2025

Friday 10th

REACT Science Show at Millom School (Year 5)

Tuesday 14th

Read Write Inc session for new Reception class parents

Friday 24th

School finishes for October half term

Lighthouse Centre Halloween Disco

Friday 31st

Deadline to apply for a secondary school place Sept 2026

### November 2025

Monday 3rd

Back to school

WC 4th

UK Children's Book Week – FoHS Book Raffle

Wednesday 5th

Year 6 Muncaster trip

Tuesday 18th

NASAL Flu vaccinations in school

Wednesday 19th

Tempest Photography in school

### December 2025

Friday 5th

Christmas Jumper Day – bring a donation for Millom Food Bank

Wednesday 10th

FoHS Christmas Fayre

Thursday 11th

FoHS Selling parent Christmas presents

Beggars Theatre trip for Years 2 - 6

Monday 15th

Christmas Performance

Tuesday 16th

Christmas Performance

Wednesday 17th

Christmas Performance

Friday 12th

School Christmas Dinner (Christmas jumpers can be worn)

Thursday 18th

Christmas Parties

Friday 19th

End of term (earlier finish of 1.15pm)

### January 2026

Tuesday 6th

INSET Day for staff

Wednesday 7th

Spring term starts

Thursday 15th	Deadline to apply for a Reception class place Sept 2026
Friday 30th	FoHS School Disco

### **February 2026**

Friday 6th	Young Voices choir to Manchester
9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	Scholastic Book Fair in school
Friday 13th	School finishes for February half term
Monday 23rd	Back to school

### **March 2026**

Thursday 5th	World Book Day
Friday 6th	Non-Uniform Day – chocolate donations for FoHS Easter Raffle
Wednesday 25th	Easter Raffle drawn
Friday 27th	End of term (normal finish time)

### **April 2026**

Monday 13th	Summer term starts
Friday 24th	FoHS School Disco

### **May 2026**

Monday 4th	Bank holiday
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup>	SAT's week
Friday 22nd	School finishes for May half term

### **June 2026**

Monday 2nd	Back to school
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 London residential trip
Thursday 18th	Sports Day (tbc with HCC)
Friday 19th	Reserve date for Sports Day (tbc with HCC)

### **July 2026**

Friday 10th	Presentation Assemblies
	FoHS School Disco
Friday 17th	End of term (1.15pm finish)



# HAVERIGG PRIMARY SCHOOL

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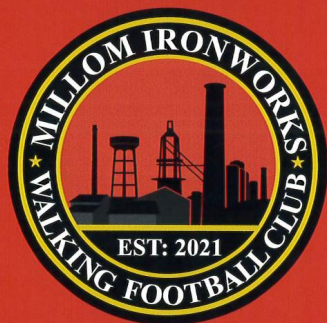
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Holiday dates

Spring Term starts Tuesday 6th January 2026

# A SLOWER VERSION OF THE BEAUTIFUL GAME



## WALKING FOOTBALL

- Open to men & women from all local areas
- Great for ALL abilities
- Long term health benefits including reduced heart rate & blood pressure
- Make new friends, stay alive & above all have fun

**Sundays 11am - 12noon**  
**Millom Rugby Union Club, Haverigg, LA18 4HB**

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07881 297441

**Interested?**

Contact:  
Tony Bickerdike  
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07716 292277

### A few words from the founders of Millom Ironworks Football Club.

It is almost 4 years now since the first Ironworks football was kicked, every single club member has shown massive enthusiasm & commitment to the cause.

We have a great bunch of like minded people that never dreamed of lacing up a pair of boots & playing 'the beautiful game' ever again, with an age range of roughly 40 to 70 everyone is welcome.

### A few thoughts from the gang

"I have found Walking Football life changing. The banter & the unity with others is amazing & scoring a goal makes me feel like I am King of the world".

"Walking Football has helped both my mental & physical health".

"At 71, I never thought i would be buying football boots".

"Very welcoming, great banter & a good crack".

"Life changing doesn't even get close, if you want to really feel alive & bring back that long lost spring in your step, then this is the answer"

**DO IT, make the call, or drop by & have a sneak preview!!**

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