



St. Peter's Elwick C of E Primary School

Key Dates Calendar

Autumn 2 – Nov - Dec 2025



Event	Year Groups	Date and Time	Additional Information
Back to school	All year groups	Monday 3 rd November	We welcome all the children back to school.
Firework Safety Assembly	All year groups	Tuesday 4th November	Cleveland Fire Brigade will be visiting school to talk with all the children about firework safety and Bonfire night.
Cyber Security Talk	Y5/6	Tuesday 4th November	Cyber Talk- Y5/6 pupils will be learning about cyber-crime with a member of Cleveland Police, to understand the difference between legal and illegal activities. Pupils will be encouraged to make informed choices about their use of technology and will learn about potential careers in the cyber industry.
RNLI Water Safety Session	All year groups	Wednesday 5th November	The RNLI will be in school to speak with the children about water safety and swimming pool rules.
Year 4 Bikeability	Year 4	Monday 10th November	Children need to bring their bike and a helmet in to school. All bicycles must be in good working order and have two brakes.
School Nurse - Height, Weight & Vision	Rec & Y6	Tuesday 11th November	The school nurse will be in school to carry out the height, weight & vision checks for Reception & Year 6 pupils.
Y4 Multiplication Tables Check	Y4 parents/carers	Tuesday 11th November	An information session for parents/carers will be held online via Microsoft Teams. An invite has been sent out on the Year 4 class page. This will help you support your child as they prepare for the statutory Y4 Multiplication Check.
Hartlepool Immunisation Team - Nasal spray	Rec & Y6	Thursday 13th November	Children from Reception to Year 6 will be given the Flu Nasal Spray in school from the NHS Flu Immunisation Team. A consent was sent via email to all parents/carers of children in Rec-Y6. Only children who have a completed consent will receive the vaccination.
Children In Need	All year groups	Friday 14th November	Children can come into school in something colourful or something spotty, instead of their uniform, for a voluntary donation to the charity.
School Photos	All year groups	Wednesday 19th November	Each child will have their school photo taken by Phototronics. For any families wanting younger siblings to be included in a school photo, please arrive at school for 8:30am through the Breakfast Club entrance and into the school hall. Siblings in school will have their photo taken during the morning. Copies will be sent home with children with payment options available and instructions on how to order.
PD Day	All Year Groups	Friday 28 th November	School Closed for PD Day

Afterschool Clubs	Rec – Y6	w/c 1 st December	This week will be the last session of the term for all the afterschool clubs, apart from Monday clubs – KS2 Art with Keith Robson and R-Y2 Multi Skills with Mr Gibson which both finish Monday 8 th December.
Reindeer Dash for Alice House	All year groups	Monday 8 th December	Children will be taking part in a charity run on the school field during their PE lesson to help raise money for Alice House Hospice. Sponsor forms to be sent home with children and donation buckets will be in the yard at school start and finish times.
EYFS & KS1 Nativity	EYFS & KS1	Wednesday 10 th December	Children from Nursery, Reception and Y1 & Y2 will perform their nativity for their families in the school hall. Afternoon performance 2-3pm and an evening performance 4:30-5:30pm. Children can go home after the first performance for a rest and a snack but need to be returned to school in full costume for 4:15pm ready for the 2 nd performance. Each child will be allocated 1 ticket for each performance in the first instance so we can give all the opportunity to have someone there for them at each show. Families can then go on a reserve list for additional tickets. Further details regarding when tickets can be collected/reserved will be released nearer the time.
Christmas Jumper Day	All year groups	Thursday 11 th December	School will be participating in Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save the Children. Children can come into school in festive wear, instead of their uniform, for a small donation to the charity.
Christmas Dinner Day	All year groups	Thursday 11 th December	Children who have packed lunches are invited to also receive a school dinner this day. The cost of a school meal is £2.65 which will be added to ParentPay.
School Pantomime Trip	All year groups	Friday 12 th December	The whole school will be going to the Hartlepool Town Hall to watch Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs. Nursery children will need to be accompanied by a parent/carers. The trip is £15.00 per child which can be paid via ParentPay. A letter will be sent out with full details of this trip.
KS2 Carols & Cocoa	Y3 – Y6	Tuesday 16 th December	Children from Years 3 to 6 will perform a selection of carols and Christmas songs for their families in the school hall. There will be 2 performances, 2pm and 3:30pm. Each child will be allocated 1 ticket for each performance in the first instance so we can give all the opportunity to have someone there for them at each show. Families can then go on a reserve list for additional tickets. Further details regarding when tickets can be collected/reserved will be released nearer the time.
Friends of Elwick Popcorn Party	All year groups	Wednesday 17 th December	Friends of Elwick will be hosting a Christmas Popcorn Party after school. More details on the event and ticket prices to follow.
KS2 Classics Workshop	Y3 – Y6	Wednesday 17 th December	School will welcome a special guest into school to deliver a classics workshop to our KS2 children. The workshop is on Odysseus (how to be a good Greek house guest) and is focused on four stops in the Odyssey (Cyclops, Circe, Scylla & Charybdis and Ithaca). The themes are leadership, problem solving, and being a good ancient Greek house guest!
Christingle Church Service	Rec – Y6	Friday 19 th December	Families are invited to join us at our annual Christingle Service at St. Peter's Church starting at 9:30am. Children from Reception through to Year 6 will attend. Parents of nursery children are welcome to collect their child from school to take them to the Christingle if they wish.
Christmas Party Afternoon	All year groups	Friday 19 th December	Children will have party games within their class. Party food donations will be greatly received but they must be pre-packaged due to Natasha's Law.

School will close for the Christmas holidays from 3:15pm on Friday 19th December and will reopen on Monday 5th January 2026