



Dubmire Academy July 2019 Newsletter

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Could we please remind parents that children should wear **full school uniform every day**, this consists of:

Grey trousers/skirt, purple school sweatshirt/cardigan, white polo top and black school shoes **NOT** training shoes..

PE kit - white t-shirt, black shorts/joggers, training shoes

We have a no jewellery policy including pierced earrings. The only item allowed is a watch.

Have a great



PLEASE CLEARLY NAME YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM

Every year we have the problem of being unable to return lost items to their owners.

Please help us to help you by making sure all items of your child's uniform is clearly labelled with their name in permanent marker.



From September 1st, school dinners will increase to £2.20 per day— £11 per week.

Please ensure you inform the school office if you would like to change your child's meal arrangements in September.

school meals → packed lunches
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Dinner money for the half term September—October will be

£81.40

Key Stage 1 will continue to qualify for Universal free school meals.

Universal free school meals will cease for children moving from year 2 to year 3. If you think you still qualify for Free school meals please apply via

https://msonline.sunderland.gov.uk/CitizenPortal_LIVE/

Dubmire Out of Schools Holiday Club

Do you require child care during the six week holiday break—Dubmire Out of Schools club will be running activities for children 5—11 years.

For details of availability contact Ali on 07920765147



School's Out For Summer!!!

Our school will break up
on
Friday 19th July and
re-open
Thursday 5th
September

We would like to wish Mrs Bell, from Year 1, all the best as she starts her maternity leave.



Class of 2019



Its that time of year again when we wish all of our year 6 leavers
goodbye and good luck in their
new Secondary School!





Mrs Harrison—Liddle and her Performing Arts group works exceptionally hard to bring us an amazing summer production every year and this year 'Practically Perfect' has once again proved a roaring success.

Well done to everyone who took part and helped with the show.



CONGRATULATIONS

To Miss Thompson who will be getting married during the summer holidays and will be returning in September as Mrs Rogerson.

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To Miss Anderson who will also be getting married in the Summer and will return as Mrs White.

Staff Changes



At the end of this academic year we will say a fond farewell to Mrs Morrison & Mrs Richardson as they take up new Head Teaching positions. Miss Greaves Year 1 leaves us as she takes a year out from teaching. We would like to thank them for their contribution to Dubmire and wish them all the very best of luck as they move on in their careers. Good luck to Miss Pratt & Mr Topping as they start their teacher training in Gillas Lane and Dubmire.



We welcome to our school -
Head Teacher, Mrs Jarvis.

New teachers;

Mrs Dearden (Yr 5)

Miss Gilliland (Yr 3)

Mrs Keegan (Yr 1)

Miss Thompson (Reception)

Mrs Lewis (School office)

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL

With effect from 1st September 2019 parents will no longer be able to use the online facility via Sunderland City Council to make payments to school.

Your child should have brought home a letter detailing alternative ways to make payments to our school.

You can still make payments via debit/credit card or by cash or as an alternative, you can make payments directly into our bank using your online banking facilities.

The account number to use is 12621468 Sort Code 307883

We are aware that online banking only allows limited space to enter details but would you please ensure that you enter your child's name together with one of the following codes:

NAME plus 1305 (school meals)

NAME plus 1200 (trips/visits)

Name plus 1205 (music tuition)

Name plus 9055 (activity clubs/breakfast club/after school club etc)

Name plus 9999 (multiple payments)

If your payment relates to more than one child or is to be split between different activities/departments please send an email to mail@dubmire.co.uk quoting your child/children's name (s) and details specific to the payment made.

We are proud to announce that we have been successful in the Quality Mark accreditation. Quality Mark is an internationally acknowledged accreditation supporting and recognising improving standards in the provision, practice and performance of English and mathematics, and providing evidence of high-quality education.

An extract from our report

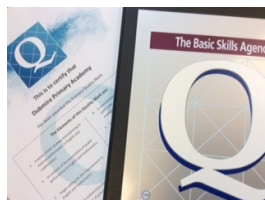
Summary of 'Good practice' identified in relation to the 10 Elements of the Quality Mark:

- Whole school approach to raising standards in the Basic Skills.
- A strong leadership team with a rigorous approach to raising standards for all pupils.
- A 3 year upward improvement in data outcomes in Year 6 in the Basic Skills, from being in the bottom 5%, to being in the top 5% nationally, in 2018.
- A 3 year improvement in outcomes in phonics and Year 2 reading (49% in 2016 – 72% in 2018)

All staff and Governors are aware of the strengths of the school, and of the areas that can be further improved.

This is another external validation of the progress the school has made through the commitment of our teachers and the hard work of our pupils.

Well done everyone! [#teamdubs](https://twitter.com/teamdubs)



Y6 SATs

We are delighted to share the fantastic results of our Year 6 pupils!

Every child, whatever their result, has been a credit to themselves and the school.

Success has been seen again. 72% of pupils at Dubmire met the expected standard in reading, writing and maths combined compared to 65% national.

Reading 76%	expected (73% national)
Writing 80%	expected (78% national)
Maths 76%	expected (79% national)
GPS 78%	expected (78% national)

A huge thank you to the Dubmire team and to every child for working to their ability. We are extremely proud of every single pupil. Well done!



To the B & S Superstore for their continued support of our school throughout the year and for kindly supplying the burgers and sausages for our year 6 BBQ.

Children are often keen to explore new areas and may display a natural sense of curiosity for anything new that's going on. In the case of building work and construction, there may be temptation to go and see what's happening, but construction sites can pose serious dangers for children. Could we please ask parents to speak to their child about these dangers and ask them not to play around construction sites. Thank you.



SCHOOL TERM DATES 2019/20

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The number of term days shown is 193. Up to three of these days will be used as professional development days for teaching staff; pupils will not attend these days (two further personal development days will need to be determined from twilight sessions or designated holidays). Each school determines when these will take place and will inform parents.

Teacher training days