



# TEAM BARTONS

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## Year 6 Leavers Hoodies



Don't forget to order your child's leavers Year 6 hoodie by **Sunday 8th March** to be collected from the JW Sports shop the week beginning Monday 30th March.

<https://jwsports.odoo.com/shop/bartons-primary-2026-leavers-hoodie-43554>

## Valentines Disco

It was great to see so many children enjoying themselves at the Valentine disco just before half term. The children's enthusiasm, outfits and their dancing was lovely to see. Thank you to all of the staff who stayed to help run the disco and to those that put the disco together including the music, the tickets and the decorations. Thank you also to the School Council who helped with making the decorations and putting the sweetie bags together. A great team effort and lots of fun was had.

## Early Morning Club

In order for us to plan the staffing of Early Morning Club each day, we need to know which children are arriving and how many there will be. We also need to know which children are in the building for fire regulations. When we changed our parent platform over to ParentPay, a few years ago, we told parents that we would no longer accept payment on the door and sessions needed to be prebooked.

Last term, we reminded parents that any children attending Early Morning Club will need to be pre-booked online via ParentPay and their names will need to be on the list for Mr Marsden to tick off at the hall door in the mornings. **No cash payments will be taken on the door anymore.** Despite explaining this, a few parents are still trying to pay on the door this week. Please don't embarrass the staff by trying to pay on the door or bring your child to Early Morning Club, if you haven't booked them in. Parents should take the children to the hall door so that the children can be checked off the list on arrival. Thank you to those parents who are always supportive.

## Useful Diary Dates 2026 (All dates are on the school website)



### Dates for your Diary

#### **MARCH**

- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Book Week - Poetry theme (see posters in classrooms)
  - 5<sup>th</sup>: World Book Day - come dressed as an adjective
  - 10<sup>th</sup>: Parents Evening (3.45pm - 5.45pm)
  - 11<sup>th</sup>: Messy Church at 3.15pm
  - 18<sup>th</sup>: Parents Evening (4pm - 6.45pm)
  - 20<sup>th</sup>: Red Nose Day
  - 24<sup>th</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 3.15pm - 3.45pm
  - 25<sup>th</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 8.40am - 9am.
  - 27<sup>th</sup>: Easter Assembly and Easter Egg Raffle
- End of Term

**(Easter Holidays 30<sup>th</sup> March– 10<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**

#### **APRIL**

- 13<sup>th</sup>: Back to School. Active Maths Day
- 20<sup>th</sup>: Year 6 Bikeability cycle training
- 30<sup>th</sup>: Class Photo Day.

#### **MAY**

- 4<sup>th</sup>: BANK HOLIDAY - School closed
- 11<sup>th</sup>: Year 6 SATs week. No Year 6 absence authorised.
- 22<sup>nd</sup>: Last day before half term

**(Half Term 25<sup>th</sup> May– 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026)**

#### **JUNE**

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Back to School. ENRICHMENT WEEK
- 12<sup>th</sup>: Non-uniform day for Summer fair donations
- 19<sup>th</sup>: Summer Fair (3.30pm - 5pm)
- 23<sup>rd</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 3.15pm - 3.45pm
- 24<sup>th</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 8.40am - 9am.
- 26<sup>th</sup>: Sports day morning
- Year 6 Disco (4.30pm - 6pm)

#### **JULY**

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Year 6 Transition Day to secondary school
  - 2<sup>nd</sup>: Area Athletics tournament
  - 3<sup>rd</sup>: Reserve Sports day morning date
  - Class letters out.
  - 6<sup>th</sup>: Dress Rehearsal Summer production Yrs 4, 5 & 6.
  - 7<sup>th</sup>: Summer Production performances 1.45pm & 6pm
  - 8<sup>th</sup>: Summer Production performances 6pm
  - 10<sup>th</sup>: Reports home to parents
  - 13<sup>th</sup>: Change over morning
  - 17<sup>th</sup>: Last day of term
  - Year 6 Leavers Assembly 1.45pm. Year 6 parents invited.
  - 20<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.
  - 21<sup>st</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.
  - 22<sup>nd</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.
- Happy Holidays!  
See you back on Tuesday 1st September 2026.

*Have a great half term! Best wishes Kate Powell*