



EDUCATION RESOURCES
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If calling ask for:
Phone:
Date: 15th August 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to welcome new and returning families to West Coats Primary School for session 2025 - 2026. Children are settling well into school routines and are enjoying learning in the classrooms. On behalf of all school staff, I would like to extend our thanks for ensuring that children are in school uniform, and that clothing and equipment is labelled.

Nut Aware School

West Coats Primary School aims to be a nut free environment. We have children and staff with severe nut allergies. To keep everyone safe and well, please do not provide any snacks containing nut products. If your child bring a snack containing nuts we will replace it with a piece of fruit and send the snack home with them at the end of the day.

Meet the Teacher

On Tuesday 26th August there is an opportunity to visit your child's classroom and meet their teacher. Teachers will lead a short presentation about the routines of the class and plans for the year ahead. The session starts at 3.10pm and is repeated at 3.40pm. Visitors should enter via the main door. Staff and senior pupils will be on hand to guide you to classrooms.

PE Timetable

Children require shorts, tee shirt and indoor shoes for PE. Earrings must be removed or taped over. PE takes place on the following days:

P1 – Monday and Thursday
P2 – Tuesday and Thursday
P3 - Tuesday and Wednesday
P4K / P4CT – Monday and Friday
P5 and P5/4 – Wednesday and Thursday
P6 – Monday and Wednesday
P7 – Tuesday and Friday

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Photographs

Individual and sibling group photographs will be taken on Friday 22nd August. There is a link on Parentsportal to let the school know if you would like your child's photograph taken this year.

School Meals

All Primary 1 to 5 children are automatically entitled to receive a free school meal.

If you are in receipt of Housing Benefit and/or Council Tax Reduction from South Lanarkshire Council and you have a child who attends a school in South Lanarkshire, there is no need for you to apply online. The council will use the information held to automatically award free school meals and/or school clothing grants to eligible families.

If you need to apply for free meals, this can be done through the South Lanarkshire Council website.

Pupil Mobile Phones

Some of our senior pupils bring mobile phones to school to use before and after the school day. We are in the process of reviewing the school procedures for use and storage of personal devices and will consult with P5-7 pupils next week. The guidance will follow the school rules of being safe, kind and ready.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend and look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday.

Kind regards

West Coats Leadership Team

