



Moor Nook Primary School

It's time to come back to Moor Nook

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A word from A Word from Andy, Rob and Andrea

Another week done — and another week where Moor Nook feels a little more settled.

One of the big developments this week is our **Breakfast Club**. From **7.30am**, kids can come into school, have something to eat, settle into the day and start the morning in a calm way.

That matters more than it might first appear.

A good start to the day can change the whole day. It helps kids arrive **Ready**, it gives them time to settle, and it gives families a little more flexibility too.

Across school, relationships continue to strengthen. Expectations are becoming clearer, routines are becoming more familiar and the kids are beginning to understand that what we say today will still be true tomorrow.

That trust takes time to build, but we can see it growing.

We will keep doing the same things: being fair, being consistent and keeping our expectations high.

Ready. Respectful. Safe.

Simple words, but they are becoming the rhythm of Moor Nook.

And with Breakfast Club now up and running, that rhythm can start from **7.30 in the morning**.

Andy

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A view behind the school door

This week, we're heading into the juniors.

Year 5 have started something lovely with Reception, buddying up with some of our youngest kids and helping them feel safe, settled and part of Moor Nook. It is exactly the sort of thing we want to see: older kids quietly helping younger ones find their feet.

Year 6 are **flying high**. They have started the year with real purpose and, when they get it right, they are showing just how capable they are.

Year 5 are wonderfully calm — almost **as peaceful as a waterfall**. There is a lovely atmosphere in the room, with kids getting on with learning and helping each other along the way.

And Year 4 are really enjoying life with Si. They are a fantastic group of kids, full of personality, energy and potential.

There is still work to do across school, of course. There always is.

But behind the school door, there is a lot to smile about.

Ready. Respectful. Safe. Keep going, kids.

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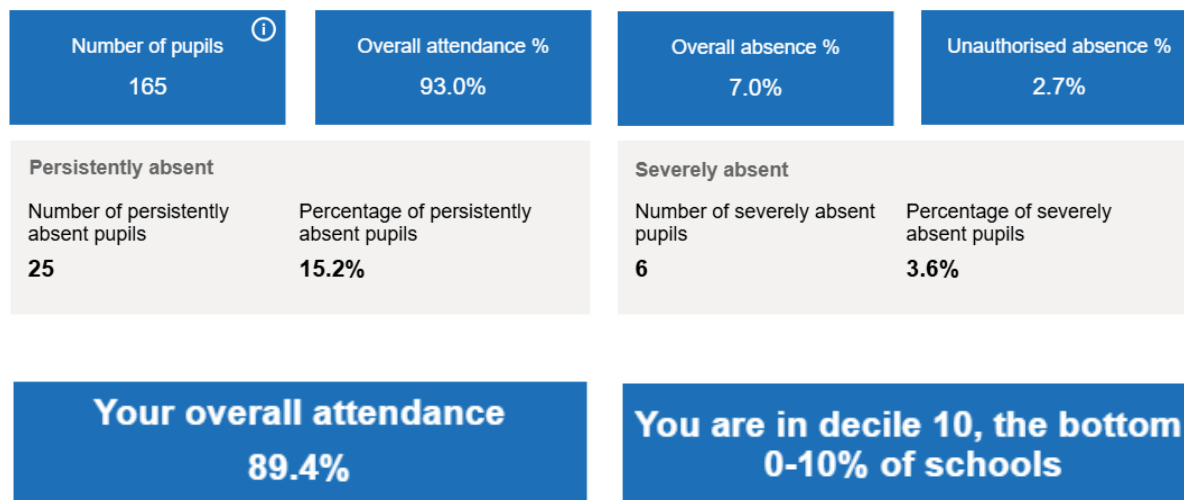
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Attendance — it's time to be in Moor Nook

Well... we're not going to hide from this one. This is rubbish!

Our attendance is currently **89.4%**, which puts us in **decile 10 — the bottom 10% of schools – Marvellous!**

That is not where we want to stay - So, no drama, no finger-pointing just a clear target from the boss man:

Every day in school matters. Missing the odd day here and there can very quickly turn into missed learning, missed friendships and missed routines, and missed fun. School is a class place to be..... its fun, its warm, its safe

I know children get ill. I also know life happens. But when kids are fit and well enough to be in school, we need them here. Im working with you on this, you're beginning to know that.... you're slowly beginning to trust this new weird team....

We keep saying: **It's time to come back to Moor Nook** - Well... it's certainly time to be in Moor Nook too.

Let's see how much we can shift this together by half term. **Let's get ourselves to decile 8 by half term, otherwise, to be honest OFSTED will stuff us over!**

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Help us to help you. BIG BIG BIG News

New Early Start Breakfast Club - A message from Rob and Andrea

We are pleased to announce that our new Early Start Breakfast Club will open on Monday 21st September, offering families the option of an earlier start to the school day. The club will run from 7.30am until lessons begin at 8.45am in the school hall, with breakfast including cereal, toast and fruit available for the children.

The cost is £4.50 per child, per morning, with no need to book in advance. Payment can be made in cash or by contactless payment. Children should be dropped off at the front office. Simply ring the bell and a member of staff will come to collect your child and take payment. At 8.45am, children will head straight to their classrooms ready to begin the school day.

There is no change to our existing later breakfast club, which will continue to run as usual. The new Early Start Breakfast Club simply provides an additional option for families who need an earlier start, and to be honest, some families have left us when their working pattern changed.

Get on board, its time to come back to Moor Nook....

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Rip it and Pin it

Diary Dates for the fridge Headlines for the fridge

Date	What's going on	Things to do
Monday 21 st September	Football after school club	Read the letter from Kelvin. Give permission. Ask Kelvin any questions.
Thursday 1 st October	Pupil Count Day	If anyone is coming back or joining us at Moor Nook get it done before this day!
Friday 2 nd October	School Photo Catch up	The original day caught us out didn't it. My fault. We'll mop up today!
Wednesday 30 th September	Reading and Early Maths reading for RECEPTION children	We will supervise your kids in the hall – we'll put a film in and make them a drink.....
Wednesday 7 th October	Reading and Early Maths reading for YEAR 1 children	We will supervise your kids in the hall – we'll put a film in and make them a drink.....
Wednesday 7 th October	Flu immunisation	Return permission slip before this date – more information to come.
Friday 23 rd October	School closes	School closes at normal time, have a great half term
Monday 2 nd November	A training day for adults. No school for the kids	Keep your kids at home!
Tuesday 3 rd November	Kids come to school. 8.45am start	Welcome back

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