



5th Sunday in Lent. John 11:1-45

Jesus lifted up his eyes and said, 'Father, I thank you that you have heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I said this on account of the people standing around, that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said these things, he cried out with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out.' The man who had died came out...



Gold Awards Awarded for achievements in their work.

Reception	Ciara Davies Woods for being more independent and giving things a go.
Year 1	Cody Behan for working hard with his independent writing this week. Well done Cody!
Year 2	Jeremiah Jenkins for his super work in reading this week answering with well thought out ideas and showing good understanding.
Year 3	Eva-Rose Wane for excellent participation and enthusiasm no matter what the subject or task is! She lights up our classroom and is an excellent role model.
Year 4	Stanley Mitchell for excellent behaviour, inquisitive questions and a good knowledge during our trip to the docks.
Year 5	Ava Ball for showing true determination in her assessments this week, especially in maths, and for setting herself clear goals that helped her achieve fantastic results!
Year 6	Cole Tattersall for consistently producing exceptional work in English, demonstrating creativity, precision and a mature writing style. Well done Cole!

Super Citizens For children showing the Gospel Value of Justice.

Reception	Tommy White for always being a kind friend and making sure everyone is involved.
Year 1	Hallie Woods for showing 'justice' by making sure both partners have equal roles in group tasks. Well done Hallie!
Year 2	Ellie Brown for always approaching her learning with a good attitude and for setting a brilliant example to others.
Year 3	Amelia Myers for being a wonderful friend and classmate, always choosing fairness, showing kindness, and offering forgiveness with a smile.
Year 4	Charlotte Farmar for listening intently, working hard on tasks and good behaviour on our field trip to the docks.
Year 5	Jackson Crossley for showing justice through his amazing personality, always bringing fun, laughs and kindness to our classroom. He puts a smile on everyone's face every day, especially Miss Stewart's!
Year 6	Brielle Moore for demonstrating a commitment to justice by helping others overcome challenges in maths and ensuring everyone has a fair opportunity to succeed. Thank you Brielle!

'Eid Mubarak' to staff and families celebrating today. May your day be filled with happiness and the warmth of loved ones. Wishing you a peaceful and prosperous Eid.

School Dinners

Summer Week 1 (20th April, 11th May, 1st June, 22nd June, 13th July, 14th Sept, 5th Oct, 26th Oct)					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Chicken Goujons or Vegetable Finger Wrap, Paprika Potatoes, Veg, Beans	Mild Beef or Vegetable Chilli Nacho Bake, Rice & Sweetcorn	Pork or Vegetarian Sausages & Yorkshire Pudding, Mash, Veg	Chicken or Quorn Balti Curry with Rice & Naan Bread	Fish or Vegetable Fingers with Oven Baked Chips, Peas
2	Pasta Tubes & Tomato Sauce with Dough Balls & Salad (v)	Summer Picnic: Sandwiches, Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Pasta Salad	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta, Herby Bread, Salad (v)	Cheese Flan Baby Potatoes & Beans (v)	Pizza Margherita (v)
3	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Choice of Sandwich	Jacket Potato	Choice of Sandwich

Summer Week 2 (27th April, 18th May, 8th June, 29th June, 31st Aug, 21st Sept, 12th Oct, 2nd Nov)					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Herby Potatoes, Peas & Sweetcorn/Beans (v)	BBQ Pulled Pork or Quorn Burrito with Veg Rice	Roast Chicken or Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Veg & Gravy	Booths British Beef & Pork Burger or Veggie Burger with Paprika Potatoes	Harry Ramsden's Crispy Battered Fish with Oven Baked Chips & Mushy Peas
2	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta Herby Bread (v)	Mac 'N' Cheese with Crusty Bread & Peas (v)	Loaded Potato Wedges, BBQ Beans, Crispy Onions (v)	Pasta Spirals & Tomato Sauce, Dough Balls (v)	Pizza Margherita (v)
3	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Choice of Sandwich	Jacket Potato	Choice of Sandwich

Winter Week 3 (23rd Mar) NEW SUMMER MENU STARTING W/C 13th April					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Pork & carrot meatballs or Veg meatballs (v), Chilli & sweet pepper sauce, rice & salad	Savoury mince & dumplings with mashed potatoes, green beans, carrots	Roast Chicken or Quorn (v), Roast Potatoes & Veg	Chicken curry or veg curry (v) with mixed rice and naan bread	Fish Fingers or veg fingers (v) & Chips
2	Harry Ramsden's salmon and sweet potato fishcake, herby potatoes (v)	Pasta tubes & tomato sauce (v) with dough balls	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta herby Bread (v)	Vegetarian sausage roll, paprika potatoes, peas or beans (v)	Pizza Margherita & chips (v)
3	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Choice of sandwich

Current attendance by year group for this academic year:

Green = above national average

Red = below national average

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
School Average	93.2%	91.6%	95.4%	96.3%	97.4%	97.1%	94.2%
National Average	93.9%	94.5%	95.0%	95.2%	95.1%	95.0%	94.7%

Parents' Evenings – March 2026

Face-to-face parents' meetings will take place in the school hall on Mon 23rd March and Tues 24th March. Bookings should now all have been made.

Mrs Woodrow (the school's SENDCO) will also be available for meetings, should parents wish to speak. No bookings for this are necessary. Just visit her table when she is free.



Nursery Prices from April 2026

Each year, we change our prices to reflect the Government's funding rates for 2-year-olds and 3 & 4 year olds. Thank you for your understanding.

2 year olds	£7.80 per hour (up by 33p)	£23.40 per session	£3.90 half hour top up
3 & 4 year olds	£5.88 per hour (up by 15p)	£17.64 per session	£2.94 half hour top up



Easter Bingo and Egg Painting Competition

Join us on Wednesday 25th March for Easter Bingo in the school hall. This event is JUST Bingo with prizes. There is no food or drink included or on sale.

Bring your own refreshments.

£2 per person – to be pre-paid via Arbor

Egg Painting Competition – Each decorated egg will win a prize! The overall winner will win a BIGGER prize!

If using a real egg, please blow it rather than hard boiled please as they smell less!

Entries should be brought into school from Monday 23rd March. **FREE TO ENTER**

All entries will be displayed in school and the winner selected before we close for Easter.

Your eggs can be on any theme: Easter, films, books, teachers, anything you like...



Easter Egg Raffle for CAFOD

Each year we hold our egg raffle for CAFOD (a Catholic charity for overseas development). They help the poorest communities in the world to help themselves, through work, farming, and improving lives through education.

- Each child should bring an Easter egg into school.
- Bring £1 or £2 into school for raffle tickets (No more).

The raffle draw will take place on our last day in school – Friday 27th March.

Class Masses – parents are welcome to attend

Date and time	Class or Whole school	Theme
Thurs 26 th March 9.30am	Whole school	End of spring term
Thurs 16 th April 9.05am	Whole school	Start of summer term
Thurs 23 rd April 9.05am	Year 6	God knows me
Thurs 30 th April 9.05am	Year 5	God's colourful world
Thurs 7 th May 9.05am	Whole school	May Procession
Thurs 14 th May 9.30am	Whole School	Ascension
Mon 18 th May 7.00pm	Year 6	Sacrament of Confirmation
Thurs 21 st May 9.05am	Year 3	Light

Dates for the Diary

March

- 23 Parents' Evening day 1 – in school
- 24 Parents' Evening day 2 – in school
- 25 PTFA Bingo 5.45pm - 7.30pm
- 26 2.45pm Class Worship – Easter Focus – Year 3
- 27 Close for Easter holidays

April

- 5 Easter Sunday
- 13 School reopens for summer term

May

- 4 School closed - Bank Holiday
- 11-14 KS2 SATs Week
- 14-20 Book Fair
- 18-20 Year 4 at Tower Wood
- 18 3pm Year 1 Class Worship – Parents invited
- 21 PTFA Colour Run - sponsored event
- 21 Close for half term
- 22 INSET Day – school closed

June

- 1 School reopens for summer 2 half term
- 15 3pm Reception Class Worship – Parents invited
- 15 Class Photographs
- 15 6.30pm Full Governors Meeting
- 16 Sports Day – Juniors 1pm / Infants 2.30pm
- 27 Grimsargh Field Day – all invited to take part

July

- 2 Move Up Day (Y6 at Secondary Schools)
- 13 Reports to Parents
- 13 Leavers' Mass 6pm
- 15 Governors' SEC meeting 6pm
- 17 9.30am End of Year Whole School Mass
- 17 2.30pm Leavers' Assembly and Close for summer at 3.30pm

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