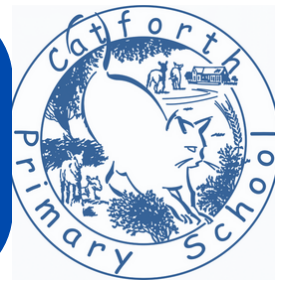


Catforth Primary School Newsletter



Another wonderful week for our Catforth family. This week we have been focusing on manners and respect in our assemblies. It has been lovely to see our children saying please and thank you at lunch and in class. We are working on holding doors open for people and using our manners around school. It has been really heart warming to see times when children have used their manners with adults, each other and visitors making school such a welcoming place for everyone.

Stars of the week



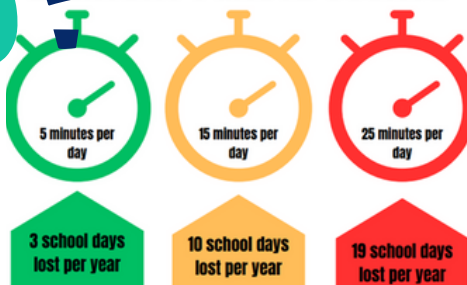
Lions	Alex Honeyman
Tigers	Stanley Smith
Jaguars	Noah Brown
Panthers	Ethan Taylor
Mrs Price's	Ronnie Smith

Upcoming events

- 23/1 Panthlon sports event @Sir Tom Finney
- 28/1 School Council meeting
- Curling event @ Whitechapel School
- 9- 13/2 Children's Mental Health week.
- 2/1 Lions (Nursery) stay and play from 2:15pm
- 11/2 Panthers class Forest School stay and play 1:30 - 3pm
- 13/2 Multiskills @ Whitechapel

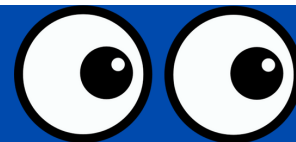
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EVERYDAY MINUTE COUNTS



A huge thank you to everyone who has made a big effort to be on time this week. It does make a huge difference to the start of your child's day.

School opens at 8:50am and registers close at 9am.

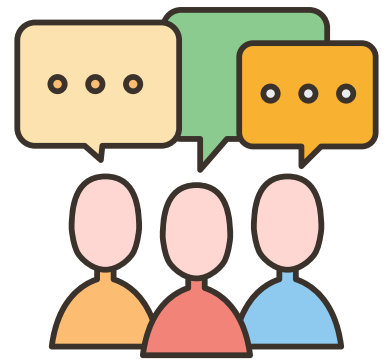


Look out on class dojo for invitations to events. Each class is hosting a small event this half term that you are welcome to join. The children are keen to show you some of the wonderful things they do in school.

School council

School council met for the first time this week and WOW! They blew me away with their enthusiasm! The children shared their ideas about clubs they would like, sponsored events to raise money for school and charities. We discussed their ideas to improve school, their learning, playtimes and how they would like to help others.

They are now going to speak to their classes about their ideas to collect everyone's views before we meet again.



Lions

This week Lions Class children have been sharing a book about Mog's visit to the Vet. We decided to make our own Vet area in the classroom, but we can't find Mog anywhere! Have you seen her?

Tigers

In Tigers this week we have continued our learning on traditional tales and we have used puppets to retell the story of Aladdin. In Maths, we have been working hard on addition and subtraction. In Art, we have been creative making our own sculptures and in History, we have been enjoying looking at each other's families in photographs - past and present. We were all very cute babies but oh how much we have changed already.



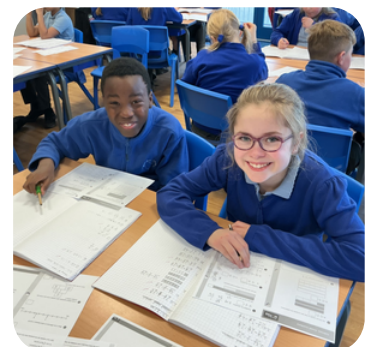
Jaguars

This week we had a visit from LCC to deliver a fun history workshop on the Pendle Witches. The children had the opportunity to look at artefacts, discuss superstitions around Witches and learn about the Pendle witch trial. We've had lots of fun in our Gymnastic sessions and have started to work on our routines with a partner. We have started to design our Nightlights for Paddington Bear in DT.



Panthers

Panthers had a muddy start to their week at Forests School. We saw how the children were coming along with their teamwork and organisation skills. We are continuing with improving the presentation of our work by focusing on our handwriting. In Maths, we have been tackling fractions. We were very resilient when working through the problems.



In Forest school this week, we have been working on creating our new woodland. Panthers have planted new conifers which were kindly donated to us. They also worked on maintaining the pond area, clearing out debris which has ended up in the pond. Tigers Class have been helping me protect our newly planted trees from the rabbits who sadly have been greatly enjoying eating them. We have been making tree guards out of plastic bottles and it seems to be working. Please can we have more clear plastic bottles for next week as we still have quite a few unprotected trees! 2 litre size is perfect. Thank you!