



Newsletter

2nd July, 2025

Important Dates

Monday and Tues 7 th & 8 th July	Bikeability for children in Year 6
Wednesday 9 th July	First 'Moving Up' afternoon
Thursday 10 th July 1.15pm	Mrs Jackson's Retirement Assembly
Friday 11 th July	Tigers Class trip to Martin Mere
Friday 11 th July	Luau Disco organised by the PTA
Wednesday 16 th July	Second 'Moving Up' afternoon
Friday 18 th July	Leavers Assembly
	School closes for the Summer Holidays at 2pm
Monday 28 th July to Friday 22 nd August	PALS holiday club running in school
Tuesday 2 nd September	School re-opens for the new academic year

CLASSES FOR SEPTEMBER

LIONS CLASS	Teacher	Mrs Harrison	Teaching Assistants	Mrs Owen Miss Cairns Miss Dentith
TIGERS CLASS	Teacher	Miss Lightfoot	Teaching Assistant	Miss Dewhurst
JAGUARS CLASS	Teacher	Miss Mallett	Teaching Assistant	Miss Burrow
PANTHERS CLASS	Teacher	Miss Barnes	Teaching Assistant	Mrs Horner

Mrs Knox will teach classes while teachers have their Planning, Preparation and Assessment time once a week.

We will be having two 'Moving Up' afternoons before the end of term when children will move up to their new class so they know what it will be like and get to know their new teachers. These have been arranged for two Wednesdays, 9th and 16th July.

Mrs Jackson's Retirement

Mrs Jackson is leaving us as she retires at the end of term and we will all be sad to see her go. She is our longest serving member of staff having been at Catforth fulfilling many different roles for almost 16 years. To celebrate her time with us and thank her for all her hard work, we are preparing a special assembly which will take place on Thursday 10th July at 1.15pm. This will be followed by Afternoon Tea. Please join us to give Mrs Jackson a good send-off!

*****End of Term Luau Disco*****

The PTA have organised a very special end of term party for everyone - a Hawaiian-themed disco! Tickets on sale at the office for £4, which includes refreshments.

5 - 6pm	for our younger children in Nursery, Reception and Year 1
6.15-7.30pm	for the older ones from Year 2 upwards

Garlands and other accessories will be on sale in school next week to make your outfit extra special!!

School Uniform

Many of you will be thinking of getting school uniform ready for the new school year in September. Here's a reminder of what you need.

Boys dark grey trousers or shorts
pale blue polo shirt (buttoned up please)
royal blue sweatshirt with/without school logo
black or grey socks

Girls dark grey skirt, pinafore or trousers (not leggings)
pale blue polo shirt (buttoned up please)
royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan with/without school logo
white or grey socks or tights
Pale blue and white checked dresses may be worn in the summer months.

PE Kit royal blue t-shirt with/without school logo
black or navy PE shorts (not cycling shorts or leggings)
dark coloured trainers for outdoor PE (children no longer wear pumps for PE)

Children may wear a royal blue school fleece instead of a jumper or cardigan.
Our uniform provider WILLOW FARM EMBROIDERY is taking uniform orders ready for September. Last date for delivery to school before the holidays is Monday 7th July at 5pm. Please visit their website to order and pay online.

<https://willowfarmembroidery.co.uk/collections/catforth-primary-school>

Earrings cannot be worn in PE lessons at all and must be removed. If you are thinking of letting your child get their ears pierced then the start of the summer holidays is the perfect time to give the ears time to heal during the holidays

School Shoes We are trying to encourage children to be more active throughout the school day and to support this, we are moving towards a more active uniform. As a starting point, we have decided to encourage and support children to wear trainers rather than school shoes in the future. These will be more sturdy and supportive when doing our daily mile, and for playing out in general. If you decide on trainers, these must be the **ALL BLACK** low-rise trainer type (not boot style), with **a black sole** as well as upper. A quick online search has shown that these are readily available if you look for 'black school trainers' and less expensive than shoes.

PE and Sports News



Congratulations to our Reception Multi-skills Team who came 3rd in a recent Multi-Skills competition. They competed alongside a number of other smaller schools at Whitechapel Primary School. They took part in events that included kicking skills, aiming at a target, relay races and throwing and catching. They were super sportspeople, congratulating their opponents for playing well and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. They were absolutely thrilled when they found out they had come 3rd and were presented with a trophy and a medal each. Well done Team!

Well done also to all our teams for a super performance at Sports Day. It was a really fab morning. All the children competed really well and were very sporting, representing and supporting their team brilliantly. The points awarded were as follows;

Red team 214 pts Blue Team 162 pts Green Team 209 pts Yellow Team 242 pts

making Yellow Team the winners - well done Yellow Team!!