

The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

Newsletter 7th March 2025

Unlocking potential together in faith and love

Mission

Each Monday we share our mission of the week in our whole school assembly. Our mission this week is for children to show respect to our school grounds and property. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission.

Stars of the Week

Rec-John Vianney

Year 1-Nivedh

Year 2- Liam

Year 3-Malik

Year 4-Henry

Year 5-Alex

Year 6- Katelyn

Punctuality and Attendance Weekly

Reception-95%

Year 1-97%

Year 2-99%

Year 3-98%

Year 4- 97%

Year 5- 97%

Year 6- 98%

Whole school so far- 97%

Be in the line for quarter to nine!!

Scripture of the week: Genesis 2:15 - 'The Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it.'

School Attendance is Important!

Research has proven that there is a high correlation between school attendance and academic performance and success. Absence from school is often the greatest cause of poor performance and achievement.

It is important to attend school every day because:

- Learning is a progressive activity; each day's lessons build upon those of the previous day(s).
- Reading material and completing work independently does not compensate for direct interaction with the teacher.
- Many classes use discussions, demonstrations, experiments and participation as part of the daily learning activities

World Book day

The children looked amazing in their world book day costumes. Thank you for your help and support in helping the children to get ready. The staff also made a real effort too. Each child will be bringing a voucher home to spend on a book and so many enjoyed bedtime story evening after school too.

In school, each class have completed book related learning.

The children had a wonderful time hearing stories after clubs as part of Bedtime story evening. Thank you to all the staff who gave up their time for clubs and then story time.







Castlerigg Parent meeting- SAVE THE DATE

Year 4 are off to Castlerigg soon! To prepare, please can ALL parents come to a Parents meeting on 25th March at 3.15pm or 5pm. This is an essential meeting to come to collect crucial paperwork and it is a legal requirement for you to. Mrs Beveridge is kindly doing two meetings so please put it in your diary. Castlerigg payments can be made on Parent Pay.

Maths workshop

Does your child worry about getting Maths wrong? Is your child worried about Maths?

Are you worried about helping and supporting them?

We are holding a fun and practical session about how to help children who find maths tricky. Please come and join us on **Wednesday 12th March 5.30pm**

Parents evening

Please ring the office to book a parents evening.

Parents evening is on Tuesday 18th March 5-7pm and Wednesday 19th March 3.15 -5pm. We would like to see all parents to pass on so many positives about your child. Governors will be present for questions.

Lancaster Schools Music Festival 2025

Y2 and Y4 will once again be taking part in the Lancaster Singing Festival at the Town Hall in March. Y2 will be performing on Monday 24th March and Y4 on Wednesday 26th March. Both year groups will be singing at 7pm. This festival is becoming very popular and this year there are almost 400 children and their teachers taking part. Unfortunately, as the Town Hall can only take 800 people, this means that only one ticket per family is allowed. These will be available nearer the time.

Dates

Some of these may change due to circumstances in school.

3rd March – After school clubs

6th March – World Book day- Come in costumes or own clothes

Bedtime story after school 4.15-5pm

12th March – Year 2 Celebration of the word

Maths workshop for parents 5.30pm

17th March – Neurodiversity day

18th March- Parents evening -5-7pm

19th March - Parents evening - 3.15-5pm

20th March – Brighten up Spring home clothes

21st March – Reception to Grange over sands

24th March – Y2 music festival

24th -28th Borwick week for Year 5

25th March – Castlerigg parents meeting

26th March – Y4 music festival

28th March – Mother's day afternoon

31st March Easter egg hunt after school run by PTA.

4th April – Finish for Easter at 1.30pm

19th June - Cultural food night

Our open evening is open to all.

That means you too.

scouts.org.uk/join #SkillsForLife Tired of dull weekdays? Want to try something new, learn new skills and meet a whole new group of friends?

We're looking for young people aged 4 to 14 to join our group, and potential adult volunteers to come along and see what they can do to help!

Each week we help young people enjoy fun and adventure while developing skills for life. Why not be one of them?

When and Where?

Join us 6pm until 7pm on Wednesday 19th March 2025 at 53rd Lancaster Scout Hut, Rear Parkfield, Greaves Park, LA1 4TZ. Please note that parents are required to stay.

For more information, and to book a place, please contact: kelly.roberts@westlancsscouts.org.uk