

## The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

# Newsletter 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

## Unlocking potential together in faith and love

### **Mission**

Each Monday we share our mission of the week in our whole school assembly. In the coming week, we will reflect on how we can forgive others.. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission.

<u>Key Scripture for the week:</u> Peter went up to Jesus and said, "Lord, how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me?" Matthew 18: 21

#### Stars of the Week

Rec-

Year 1- Ben

Year 2- Mia C

Year 3- Lucas

Year 4- Hollie

Year 5- Alisha

Year 6- Scarlet

## **Punctuality and Attendance**

Reception-95%

Year 1-97%

Year 2-97%

Year 3-95%

Year 4-96%

Year 5-95%

Year 6-98%

Whole school-97 %

Be in the line for quarter to nine!!

#### **Year 6 Responsibilities**

Well done to all our Year 6 children who have applied for different responsibilities around school. Their applications were brilliant and staff have had a hard job of choosing their jobs. We are very proud to announce: Head Boylgor, Head Girl – Asia, Deputy Head Boylgor, Head Girl – Jennifer. Other responsibilities are:

Sports Captains - Minnie & Sylvester

Head Librarian - Chloey

Librarians: Simar, Winnie, Szymon, Scarlet,

Ann Mary

#### Prefects:

Rec - Dhuha & Faheem

Y1 - Leah & Adam

Y2 - Shane & Lucia

Y3 - Chiara & Ashen

Y4 - Suzie

Y5 - Chidinma

Y6 - Tyler

Office Helpers: Poppy, Leyla D, Danny

Digital Leaders: Szymon, Beaux

Environmental Officers - Jason, Leyla I, Adam



#### **Meet And Greet The PTA**

On Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September straight after school until 4pm, there will be tea, coffee and cake in the school hall. This is a chance to come and chat to PTA committee members and catch up with friends after the holidays. Please do come and join this sociable event.

#### **Meet The Teacher**

For those of you who could not make it, we are putting on another session at **5.30pm on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September.** This will last no more than half an hour. It is vital that you attend this as we have a very important document for you all to look at and sign concerning online safety. Without signing this, we are not fulfilling our statutory safeguarding duty and children may not have access to the internet in school. Please do come along.

## Are you missing out?! Free School Meals Pupil Premium Funding

We believe a number of our parents may be missing out on claiming free school meals and pupil premium. You can claim and your child will receive a free daily meal, free school uniform and discounted trips if you claim

- Universal Credit
- Income based Jobseekers' Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit household income less than £16,190
- Support under the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Other Income Support & benefits

Please visit the Office and speak to Mrs Phillips/Miss Barnes if you would like to find out if your child is eligible.

#### **End Of The Day Routine**

Thank you to those parents and carers who are going onto the KS2 playground when they arrive at the end of the day. We have made the area bigger for children as some children were very overwhelmed by the number of adults near the rope and not being able to see their parents which makes them very anxious.

To try and help alleviate this and to help everyone stay safe we ask that all adults wait on the KS2 playground unless they have a Reception child or a buggy. Once you see your child's teacher at the top of the hill please come forward to collect them.

Please do not wait on the pavement by the gate as this causes congestion for the lolly pop lady and a risk of safety. If all adults follow these simple steps it will be much easier to see and we will have happy children at the end of the day. Thank you for your cooperation.