



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

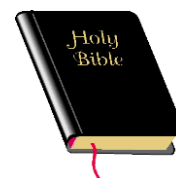
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*Unlocking potential together in faith and love*

### Mission

Each Monday we share our mission of the week in our whole school assembly. This week in Monday's assembly, children will learn about the Gospel story of when Jesus gives us hope he will always be with us even in times of change. Our mission for the week is spread joy, peace, mercy and love. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission.

Scripture of the week: 'Pilate said, "So you are a king!" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. I was born for this: to tell people about the truth...And everyone who belongs to the truth listens to me."' John 18: 33-37



### Stars of the Week

Rec- Abel  
Year 1 - Alisha  
Year 2 – Eva  
Year 3 - Naomi  
Year 4 – Faheem  
Year 5 – Liliane  
Year 6 – Henry

### Punctuality and Attendance

Reception-90.2 %  
Year 1- 97.6%  
Year 2- 97.0%  
Year 3- 93.9%  
Year 4- 93.7%  
Year 5-100%  
Year 6- 97.6%  
Whole school- 95.0%

**Be in the line for quarter to nine!!**

### Feast of Christ the King

This weekend, we will celebrate the feast of Christ the King which is also the last Sunday before Advent begins. It is also known as Youth Sunday when we give thanks to God for the gift of young people in the Church. It would be wonderful to see more of our families at 10.30am Mass in the Cathedral to celebrate this special feast day with the Parish. You are all invited to join us.

### Islam Learning Fortnight

Years 1 to 6 are busy learning about Islam. Thank you very much to those parents who have been into school this week to help us with this learning. The children have gained so much from the experiences you shared with us and your time and help are greatly appreciated.



### Prayers for those who have died

During November, we continue to remember and pray for those people we know and love who have died. On Tuesday afternoon, children in Years 4, 5 and 6 will meet Father Chapple in the cemetery next to the playground to pray for all who have died. *Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

### Calendars

Each class has contributed to our school calendar. They are a wonderful present and cost £5. These are on Parent Pay and all money goes towards our PTA.

### Christmas Nativity

We have started rehearsing our Christmas Nativity and hope to perform this during the second week of December. In order for parents to be given plenty of notice, here are the costumes/clothing we would need.

**Reception-** Need to wear warm white t shirts or jumpers with black or white tights, skirts or trousers (uniform is fine) School will provide head bands.

**Year 1-** All Year 1 will be given a costume from school.

**Year 2-** Christmas jumpers/ t shirts with their school skirt/trousers.

### **Shelter building**



Year 3 had a great time learning how to work together as a team building shelters and learning how to survive. They had great fun.



### **Football tournament**

On Thursday, Year 5 and 6 took part in their first football tournament since the beginning of COVID. All the children were superb role models and played really well. Well done all of you and thank you to Mrs Cook who took both teams.



### **Breakfast club/After School Club Booking**

If you require breakfast and after school clubs please book the sessions via the school office before they attend. Please call the school office or email your sessions to [bursar@cathedral.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@cathedral.lancs.sch.uk)

### **Dukes Christmas Pantomime**

In December we will be taking all our lovely Children to see Beauty and The Beast at the Dukes Theatre. All our children thoroughly deserve this and school will pay for all tickets and Ice creams.

### **Christmas Dates**

**9<sup>th</sup> Dec** KS1 Nativity 2pm and 6pm more details to follow.

**14<sup>th</sup> Dec** PTA Christmas Movie Night 3:15-5:15pm

**15<sup>th</sup> Dec** Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Lunch

KS2 Carole Service 2-3pm more details to follow

**16<sup>th</sup> Dec** PTA Christmas Secrets Room

**17<sup>th</sup> Dec** Finish for Christmas break 1:15pm