

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026



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## BEHAVIOUR CURRICULUM

Be Respectful • Be Responsible • Be Safe

### Using Good Manners

- Always say 'please' when asking for something
- Always say 'thank you' when receiving something or when someone does something kind
- Say 'good morning/afternoon' to adults when passing them
- Show gratitude to others by thanking them for what they say
- Use a calm and polite tone to show respect



## WEEKLY UPDATE

What a fabulous week, filled with so many opportunities to learn and have fun! The week started with a group of children representing school at a football tournament. The feedback on behaviour, approach to fair play and their good manners was incredibly positive. We are really proud of how well our children achieved too, winning convincingly throughout: well done!

Another sporting event took place mid-week, where some of our children took part in a Panathlon challenge against two local schools. Once again, it was a pleasure to share the children's experience, as they were respectful, competitive and had such a superb time.

The week has finished with Year 2 visiting the zoo, another amazing experience for the children. Thank you to FEPS for your ongoing support with the cost of coaches, to ensure the costs of the trips are more manageable.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone.

Mr Craig Todd



Beechbuds – Robin B

Year 3 – Rubia E

Reception – Joshua S

Year 4 – Andrew T

Year 1 – James G

Year 5 – Bert M

Year 2 – Marla C

Year 6 – Alfie C



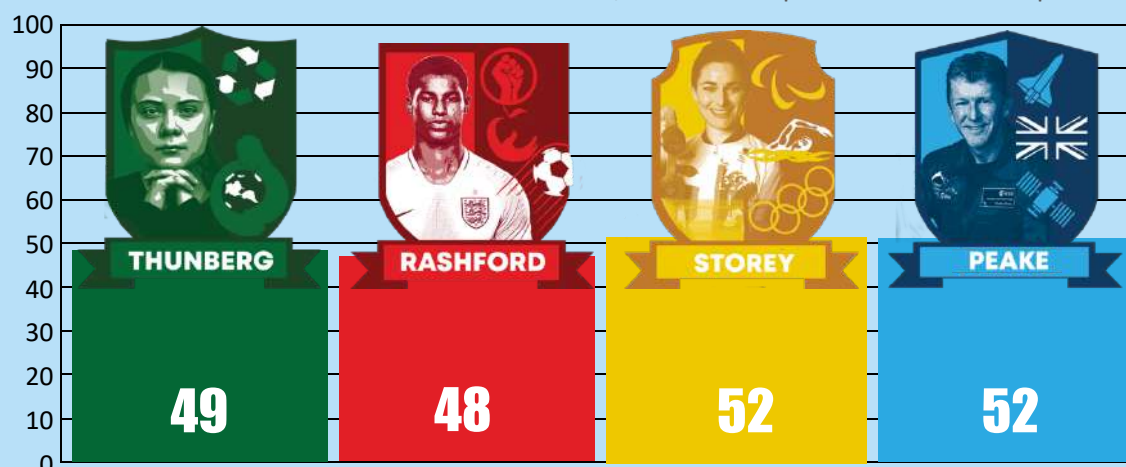
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## HOUSE POINTS

House to reach 50, 100 and 150 points will receive a special treat!



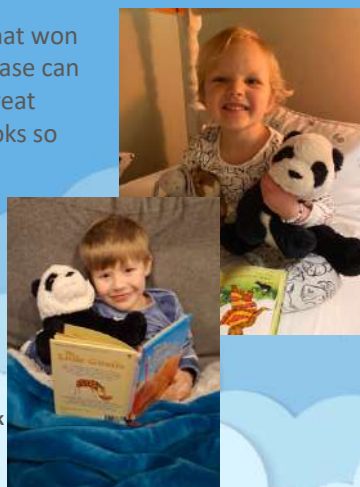
Points

Well done STOREY you have won non-uniform day next Friday and well done PEAKE you have won.....

## READERS OF THE WEEK

Well done to all the children that won Reader of the Week today! Please can we remind everyone to take great care of their home reading books so they remain in good condition. Please return your reading bag with reading pal and book next Thursday, Thank you.

Please don't forget to send your pictures and comments to [wearereaders@eccleston.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:wearereaders@eccleston.lancs.sch.uk)



## Arbor

Please make sure you are signed up to the Arbor App, which will soon be our main way of communicating with parents and carers.

Thank you to the **75% of parents who have already logged in** - we really appreciate your support.

To access Arbor, visit <https://login.arbor.sc> and enter the email address held by the school. If needed, click "Forgot your password?" to set one.

If you have any problems logging in or don't receive an email, please contact the school office so we can help.

## After School Clubs Spring 1 05/01/26 – 13/02/26



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime		<b>CHOIR – Y3-6</b> On Going – Mrs Lancaster	<b>CHESS – Y5-6</b> 6 week – Mr Brindle 07/01/2026 – 11/02/2026	<b>MINDFULNESS COLOURING CLUB – Y2</b> 6 week – Mrs Davies 08/01/2026 – 12/02/2026	
After School Club		<b>MIXED FOOTBALL TRAINING Y5/6</b> 6 weeks – Chorley Sports 06/01/2026 – 10/02/2026	<b>TAEKWONDO YR-6</b> 6 weeks – Eddie Ellison 07/01/2026 – 11/02/2026 <b>FRENCH CLUB</b> Cancelled until 25.02.26	<b>MULTI-SKILLS – Y1</b> 6 weeks – Chorley Sports 08/01/2026 – 12/02/2026 <b>SPANISH CLUB</b> Cancelled until 26.02.26	



## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The National average for attendance is 96%. Our school attendance target is 97%.

### Attendance Over One School Year

If a student had:

- 98% attendance = less than 4 days absent from school
- 95% attendance = less than 10 days absent from school
- 90% attendance = 4 weeks absent from school
- 85% attendance = 5½ weeks absent from school
- 80% attendance = 7½ weeks absent from school

### Attendance over 4 year (Years 3-6)


If a student had:

- 85% attendance = having about half a year off school
- 80% attendance = having two whole terms off school

whole school **95.57%**

Class	This week
Reception	99.6%
Year 1	97.1%
Year 2	91.6%
Year 3	94%
Year 4	95.6%
Year 5	95.3%
Year 6	95.6%

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN DISH	Homemade Italian Style Pizza served with Wedges	Toad in the hole with Mash	Chicken Tikka served on a bed of Rice with Naan Bread	Homemade Cottage Pie	Battered Cod fillet
MAIN DISH 2	Mac and Cheese with a Garlic Slice	Cheese and Potato Swirls served with Baked Beans	Homemade Lasagne	Chicken and Broccoli Pasta Bake	Sausage Roll Chicken Goujons
ACCOMPANIMENTS 	Sweetcorn Baton Carrots ..... Salad bar	Baton carrots Green Beans ..... Salad bar	Baked Beans Sweetcorn ..... Salad bar	Cauliflower Baton Carrots ..... Salad bar	Fries Curry sauce Baked beans Sweetcorn ..... Salad bar
DESSERTS	Homemade Sponge Cake of the week with Custard	Flapjack	Raspberry Buns	Jelly and Fruit Pots	Fresh fruit Friday
FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
JACKET POTATO AND SANDWICH SELECTION	Jacket Potato and Sandwich selection	Jacket Potato and Sandwich selection	Jacket Potato and Sandwich selection	Jacket Potato and Sandwich selection	Sandwich selection



**MENU**

Fuel your afternoon with a healthy school lunch from Mellors



KEY  - 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY

 - MEAT-FREE MONDAY

 - CHEF'S CHOICE

 - PLANT-BASED (VEGAN)

\*Allergens and intolerances\* All of our food is lovingly hand crafted and prepared on site daily. We have an allergen procedure in place, so please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergens/ your child's allergens prior to using the restaurant. Our kitchens are used for multi-purpose production so we cannot guarantee the above dishes are completely free from allergenic ingredients or traces of these.



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## COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER: HANNAH'S MEMORIAL GARDEN

Eccleston St Mary's CE Primary School is raising funds to create a memorial garden in memory of Hannah, a much-loved pupil who sadly passed away in November 2024 aged 8.

Hannah's classmates (now Year 5) have helped design the garden as a legacy to their friend, inspired by the things Hannah loved, her dog Izzy, rainbows, butterflies, the colour pink, dance, creativity and magic. The garden will be a peaceful, uplifting space for children to enjoy and remember.

With a contractor ready to begin work, the school is aiming to complete the garden by Spring, allowing Hannah's classmates to spend time there before moving on to high school. Thanks to generous community support, much has already been raised, but £5,000 is still needed.

If you are able to donate or share the fundraiser, any support would be greatly appreciated.

Fundraising link: <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/hannahs-garden>

Eccleston St Mary's CE Primary School PTFA



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## Drop-in Family Support Sessions



**Abdul Logde – Senior Family Support Worker  
(Community Team)**

**Caz Edwards – Eccleston Primary School  
Family Support Worker**

**We will be in school to support families from January 2026**

**2026 DATES**  
**9am – 10am**

8th January 2026  
22th January 2026  
5th February 2026

12th March 2026  
26th March 2026  
9th April 2026  
23rd April 2026  
7th May 2026

21st May 2026  
4th June 2026  
18th June 2026  
2nd July 2026  
16th July 2026

**How I Can Help:** Advice and support for families • Signposting to services



**Early Help** Early Help means giving families support early,  
before small problems become big ones. It's your choice to take  
part and we work together to find solutions that fit your family.



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HOLIDAY CLUB

Ofsted Registered

16th-20th February 2026

A menu of 50+ activities

7:30am - 6:00pm

3-12 years

**February Half Term**

**ST LEONARD'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Walton-le-Dale, Preston, PR5 4JL

**EUXTON PRIMROSE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Euxton, Chorley, PR7 6BA

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