

Newsletter Friday 18th July 2025

Don't panic Jeremiah 29:11::

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

Dear Year 6 Families,

It feels like just yesterday we were welcoming many of you through our school gates for the very first time, and now here we are, preparing to say our goodbyes as you embark on the exciting adventure of high school. It's with a mixture of immense pride and a touch of sadness that I write this final newsletter message to you.

What a few days it has been, celebrating your time with us! Your **talent show** was an absolute triumph, showcasing the incredible diverse skills and confidence you've all developed. From dance routines to hilarious sketches, you truly shone on stage, and it was a joy to see so many of you share your unique gifts.

Wednesday night's **leavers' party** was a fantastic evening of fun, laughter, and dancing – a wonderful opportunity to create some final precious memories together as a year group. Seeing you all enjoying yourselves so much was brilliant.

And today, our **church service** was a beautiful and reflective occasion. It was a chance to pause, give thanks for your journey with us, and look ahead to your bright futures. As you leave us, remember that you have all the skills you need to go to high school and beyond. You are ready to take your shining light out into the wider world.

You have all grown into remarkable young people, ready to embrace the challenges and opportunities that high school will bring. We've watched you develop academically, socially, and emotionally, and we are incredibly proud of the resilient, compassionate, and curious individuals you've become.

Please know that you will always be a part of our school family. We wish you every success and happiness in your next chapter. Go forward with confidence, knowing you have a strong foundation beneath you.

To all our other wonderful families,

Thank you, thank you for your support over the last 12 months. Educating children is a complex business that requires strong bonds and trust between school and home. We are unendingly grateful.

This sounds like we break up for summer today - we don't!!!!

See you Monday - bright eyed and ready to rock!

Have a lovely weekend and Summer when it comes.

Michaela M Underwood Headteacher



Dates for your Diary

22nd July 2pm School closes for Summer Break 3rd September 8.45am School re-opens

Lost Property

Our **lost property** is located at the school entrance. We currently have a large collection of **jumpers and cardigans**, along with many other items.

If your child is missing something, please stop by and take a look. Any items remaining by the end of the summer term will be laundered and added to our clothing rails for those in need.

School's Out for Summer!

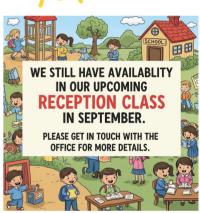
Just a friendly reminder: school finishes at 2:00 PM this
Tuesday for the summer holidays.
Please make sure your child is collected promptly at that time.





Farewell, Year 6!

We want to extend a massive goodbye and the very best of luck to all our Year 6 leavers! We'll miss you!





A Huge Thank You to Our Friends Group!

We want to send a **massive shoutout** to all the incredible members of our **Friends Group!**Your dedication and hard work in planning and organizing the **Year 6 Leavers Party** – and everything else you've done throughout the year – is so incredibly appreciated. Thank you for all your time and effort!

This weeks Medal Winners are:

Mirren - Year 1 - for super story writing Haniya - Year 1 - for super story writing

Teddy - Year 2 - for delightful descriptive writing









Here are some pictures of Year 3 doing their preparing and tasting for their seasonal tarts in DT - food fortnight:)





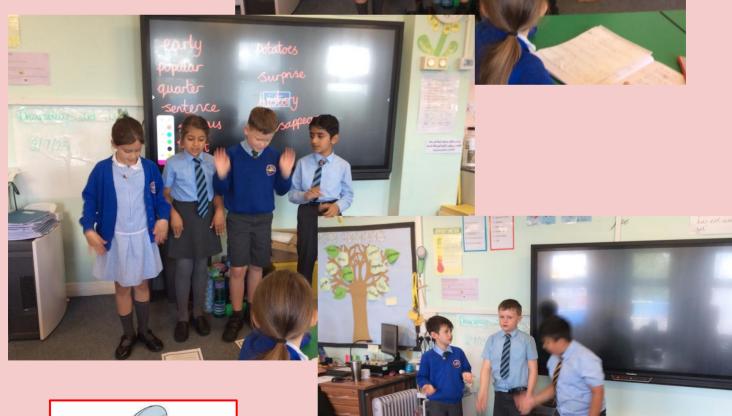


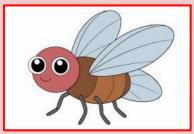




YR3 performed their "Spider and the Fly" poems using actions.











Year 4 have designed and made biscuits for Food Fortnight. We had to consider our target audience, budget and packaging when redesigning the basic biscuit recipe. We learnt that sticking to a budget is a lot more difficult than we thought and you definitely need more than one spoon of icing for 12 biscuits!

















Children in Reception class had lots of fun last week making their very own vegetable soup! All children had to use their cutting skills to prepare the vegetables ready to be boiled in the kitchen. We used potatoes, carrots, swede and cream to make a delicious vegetable soup which all the children tried. Some liked it, some didn't and some loved it but we were really proud of them all for giving it a go.





































Dear Parents/Kinship Carers of Current Year 5 pupils

Before the summer holidays begin, we wanted to get in touch with you about next term's prospective secondary school application, and how important it is to consider home to transport prior to making your final decision.

You must consider carefully how your child will get to and from your preferred secondary schools before submitting your application for a school place.

Pupils will only be eligible for free travel if they have an entitlement under the County Council's <u>Home to School Transport Policy</u>. It is important, when selecting your preferences for a school place, that you have read and understood the information available on the <u>website</u> regarding <u>school admissions</u> and <u>travel</u> assistance.

It is essential to remember - for transport purposes - the 'nearest suitable school' is the nearest school to the family home - and - in some cases, the nearest school will be located within another local authority area.

If you choose to send your child to a school that Lancashire County Council does not consider to be the nearest suitable school, there is no duty to provide free transport. You will need to make your own transport arrangements.

Assistance with home to school travel will not be needed for most children as they will attend their local school which will be within a reasonable walking distance when accompanied by a parent/carer as necessary.

However, if transport costs are a concern to you, please contact your Area Education Office before submitting your application:

NORTH AREA	SOUTH AREA	EAST AREA
Lancaster, Morecambe, Wyre and Fylde	Preston, South Ribble, West Lancashire and Chorley	Hyndburn, Ribble Valley, Burnley, Pendle and Rossendale
(01524) 581148	(01772) 532109	(01254) 220747

If your child is not eligible for free travel assistance but you would like your child to travel to school by bus, you may be able to buy a season travel pass from us.

The County Council will not provide extra services for non-statutory pupils and you will need to <u>plan how your</u> <u>child will get to school</u> if space on the bus is not available.

Please call 0300-123-6738 or visit School bus season tickets - Lancashire County Council to make an application.

It is important to plan ahead. Please make sure that appropriate transport is available, should a place be allocated at your preferred school.



PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2025



moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

ANGUS STEAKHOUSE

Kids under 8 eat FREE daily, 12pm to 5pm

ASDA

Kids eat for £1 daily, with no adult spend

ASK ITALIAN

Kids under 10 eat for £1 during school holidays

BEEFEATER

Kids Eat FREE with Newsletter Voucher this Summer

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main

BILLS

Kids Eat Free weekdays, 21st July - 29th Sept

BREWERS FAYRE

Kids Eat FREE with Newsletter Voucher this Summer

BREWDOG

2 Kids eat free with 1 adult, 19th July - 31st August

BURGER KING

From 28th July - 31st August, Kids Eat Free (via app)

CHIQUITO

Kids eat FREE Daily Until August 31st

DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

Kids eat for £1 with an adult breakfast or lunch

FRANKIE & BENNY'S

Kids Eat Free from 14th July - 31st August 2025

FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 10 eat FREE all day, every day

HARVESTER

Kids eat for £1, Mon - Fri via the App

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

LAS IGUANAS

Kids under 12 eat FREE with 'My Las Iguanas' App

MARCO PIERRE WHITE

Kids under 12 Eat FREE daily with an adult spend

MORRISONS

Kids Eat FREE all day, every day with a £5 spend

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids eat FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

PREMIER INN & TRAVELODGE

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free with 1 paying adult

PUREZZA

Kids under 10 get free pizza with every adult meal

SA BRAINS PUBS

Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays

SIZZLING PUBS

Kids eat for £1, Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm

TABLE TABLE

2 Kids Eat free breakfast daily with 1 paying adult

TESCO

Kids Eat FREE with a 60p spend until Aug 31st

TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free with any adult meal (Via App)

THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend

TOBY CARVERY

Kids eat for £1 all day (weekdays) until Aug 29th

WHITBREAD INNS

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

YO! SUSHI

Kids eat free all day (weekdays) in school holidays

ZIZZI

Kids eat free this summer holidays (ex Saturdays)

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East Lancashire Mental Health Support Team

Concerned about your Mental Health?

Are you under 18 or concerned about someone under 18?

Like to find out what support we can offer?

Please attend a 1:1 on-line session via 'Attend Anywhere'

Delivered by ELCAS

tinyurl.com/ELCAS-LSCFT



Enter the word "MHST" as the first name and "drop in" as the second name followed by your date of birth.

You will then enter our virtual waiting area where we will collect you.

Every Thursday throughout the school holidays 12:30-1:30pm July – 24th and 31st August – 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th