

Congratulations
to classes 2G and 3J
for 100% attendance
this week.
Whole school
attendance is 94.9%

Congratulations!

Congratulations to
Lucas in 3J and Amber
in 2G who won the £25
One For All vouchers
for 100% attendance
last term

ODD SOCK DAY

Well done to Sienna in 3J
who is the winner of the best
odd socks photo and Mr
Abott as the best staff
picture. Everybody looked
great in their odd socks to
help raise awareness for
Anti-Bullying week.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 25.11.24 - Past Year 11 Presentation Evening
- 25.11.24 - Christmas Enterprise Marketplace, 10-11am, Families welcomes
- 27.11.24 - KS5 Dance Festival
- 29.12.24 - KS1 Christmas Party at The Oracle
- 4.12.24 - KS5 Enterprise Christmas Market, at The Oracle, 1.30pm Families welcome
- 06.12.24 Parent Drop In, 10-11am
- 6.12.24 - Panto trip
- 9.12.24- Jubilee Christmas Extravaganza, 1.30pm, Families welcome
- 12.12.24 Primary Christmas performance, 1.30pm- Families welcome
- 13.12.24 Primary Christmas performance, 1.30pm, Families welcome
- 16.12.24- Winter Wonderland and Christmas Jumper Day
- 16.12.24- KS5 Christmas Dinner and Party
- 17.12.24 - Primary Christmas Dinner
- 18.12.24- Secondary Christmas Dinner and Party
- 19.12.24 - Christmas Activity Day
- 20.12.24- School closes for Christmas



The pupils have all had a great day celebrating Children in Need. 3J held a cake sale and raised over £150. Staff showed off their Spotacular skills in assembly. Thank you to everyone who has donated money, we raised over £700 for a great charity.





Park Community Academy

Successful Learners, Resilient Individuals, Responsible Citizens

Event Calendar - November - December 2024

Monday 11th November
Remembrance day



Tuesday 12th November
Odd Sock Day -
Anti - Bullying week



Friday 15th November
Children In Need
'SPOTacular'
Wear something spotty or
yellow.



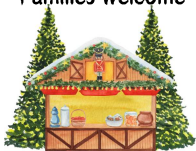
Friday 22nd November
Enterprise Preparation
day



Monday 25th November
Past Year 11 Presentation
Evening - 5.30-6.30 -
Families welcome



Monday 25th November
Enterprise Christmas
Market 10-11am -
Families welcome



Wednesday 27th November
KS5 Dance Festival 6-7pm,
Winter Gardens



Friday 29th November
KS1 Christmas party at the
Oracle



Wednesday 4th December
KS5 Enterprise Christmas
Market at The Oracle
1.30pm -Families welcome



Friday 6th December
Parent Drop In
10-11am
Families welcome



Friday 6th December
Panto trip at
the Pleasure Beach



Monday 9th December
Jubilee Christmas
Extravaganza - 1.30pm
Families welcome



Wednesday 11th December
Dress rehearsal for Primary
Christmas performance



Thursday 12th December
Primary Christmas
performance -1.30pm
Families welcome



Friday 13th December
Primary Christmas
performance -1.30pm
Families welcome



Monday 16th December
Winter Wonderland
and Christmas Jumper day



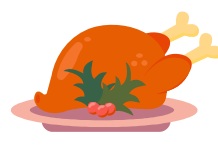
Monday 16th December
KS5 Christmas Dinner and
party



Tuesday 17th December
Primary Christmas dinner
and party



Wednesday 18th December
Secondary Christmas
dinner and party



Thursday 19th December
Christmas Activity Day



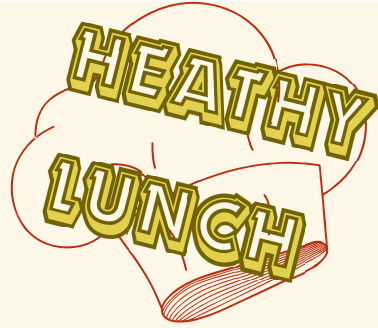
Friday 20th December
10am Carol Concert
School Closes for
Christmas at 2pm



Tuesday 7th January
2025
School reopens



Chicken Jalfrezi Recipe



This classic spicy chicken dish with peppers is low in fat and super simple to make.

Prep: 15 mins

Cook: 25 mins

Serves 4

Ingredients

30ml rapeseed oil

700g boneless chicken, cut into cubes

3 medium onions, chopped

2 bell peppers (any colour), chopped

4 green chillies, sliced

4 garlic cloves, finely chopped

20g fresh ginger, peeled and sliced into thin pieces

400g tin of chopped tomatoes

1 teaspoon salt (optional)

1 teaspoon turmeric powder

1 heaped teaspoon cumin seeds

1 teaspoon red chilli powder

1 teaspoon of garam masala

1.5 teaspoon coriander powder

250ml water



Method

Heat the oil in a non-stick pan on a high heat. Add the chicken pieces and cook for 2 minutes. Add the cumin, turmeric, chilli powder and half a teaspoon of salt (if using). Mix well and fry on a medium heat for 3 to 4 mins, stirring frequently to stop the mixture from catching, until the chicken is lightly cooked and starting to turn white.

Remove the chicken and set aside, leaving the oil and juices in the pan. Fry the sliced onions on a medium heat for 7 minutes, until they're soft and beginning to turn golden. While the onions are cooking, blend the tinned tomatoes in a blender, or mash well using a masher or the back of a fork. Add the ginger, garlic and peppers to the pan and cook for 2 minutes, then add the tomatoes, mix well and cook for another 2 minutes. Stir in the coriander powder, garam masala, cumin seeds and half a teaspoon of salt (if using), and cook for a further minute.

Add the chicken pieces back to the pan, stir well to coat in the mixture and cook for a couple of minutes. Add the green chillies, mix and fry on medium heat for another 2 minutes. Pour the water into the pot and stir, then cover and simmer on low heat for 10 to 15 minutes.

Try adding some of your favourite veg to bulk out the sauce. Mushrooms and sweetcorn work brilliantly - and add more fibre!

Once the chicken is tender and the sauce has thickened, turn off the heat and scatter over the chopped coriander.

Serve with rice or chapatis, plain yoghurt and a lemon wedge for extra tang. Enjoy!

Star of the week

1C - Jordon for fantastic engagement in our new sensory space and using skills such as climbing, jumping and spinning wheels to regulate.

1P - Alfie for adapting to changes and eating healthier foods at lunch.

1B - Alicia for finding and using the right communication symbols to support a friend.

1A - Mason for adapting positively to new routines and following his three classroom rules more consistently.

1H - Lily for a spot-acular Pudsey picture in maths!

2E - Ellie for coming into school beautifully.

2C - Tyler-John for being resilient in school even though he has been feeling a little bit poorly.

2M - Jacob L for excellent pronunciation in Phonics.

2R - Logan T for creating an amazing design of our class using Scratch.

2W - Logan for answering to his name during the register and joining in with Maths with increasing focus.

2G - Victoria for having an excellent attitude this week.

2A - Addison for working independently in Maths and for good behaviour.


**Well
Done!**



Achiever of the week

3J - Caitlin for having a positive attitude and always trying her best in all her lessons.

3H - Violet for having a mature attitude when faced with challenges.

3L - Abi for working independently in Maths.

3C - Jack for excellent work identifying sequences of a story.

3R - Rebeca for taking responsibility for her FM and consistently using it in lessons and for making everyone laugh.

3S- Summer for incredible effort with her homework every week.

3T- Demi for representing PCA on a school trip.

3B - Lacey for being helpful around the classroom.

4M - Louise for her dedication to PCA band.

4J - Matthew for his confidence when delivering his PowerPoint presentation to class 3S.

4W - Gabriel for his amazing football skills and great sportsmanship.

4H - Liam M for his hard work, resilience and perseverance when learning a new skill at college.

4B - Louis for great resilience in class this week.

5J - Mia for representing the Police Cadets at the Chorley Remembrance Service.

5TG - Nathan for his perseverance in Maths when using his knowledge of number composition to complete stem sentences.

5I - Kamron for representing PCA with the band on Wednesday.

5M - Emma for her improved attendance this week.

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DONE**

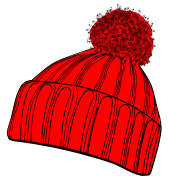
KS1

Classroom News

The spots have taken over class 1H this week! As we have been learning about Children in Need. We have made lots of spotty pictures and helped Pudsey count his spots in our maths lessons this week! We worked hard to touch each spot as we counted to make sure we gave each bear the right amount.



KS2



In 2Ws weekly Attention Autism session we looked at the weather. The children could recognise clothing items Mrs Whitelaw had on and what type of weather you would need the item. We then made a storm in a jug using shaving foam, water and food colouring. After that, we took turns to see how windy it was when sitting in front of a fan. Lastly, children independently used a cotton wool ball to make a cloud on blue paper.

KS3



In September 3J adopted a calf called Milkshake who lives on a farm in America. They get regular emails, photos and videos from the farmers who tell them how she is getting on. To help the students learn about democracy and the voting process the dairy company set up a competition for people to vote for the best calf. 3J campaigned for Milkshake, made posters and encouraged all the staff to vote for her, even Mrs Hughes voted! Out of the 81 calves entered Milkshake came second which the class were very excited about.



KS4

Year 11 began their animal care taster course at Myerscough College this week. They are beginning to learn how to safely handle small animals, how and what to feed them, as well as how to keep them clean. The learners love holding the small the animals, especially Barry the gecko.



KS5

Students have been clocking up the miles during their weekly cycling session. We have been keeping track of our collective distance covered both on the bikes and on foot and altogether we have so far travelled a whopping 310km! Well done students and not forgetting Molly who often accompanies those of us on foot!





CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION 2024

DESIGN A MILK-THEMED CHRISTMAS CARD!

Calling all UK school children ages 4-11! Create a 'MILK-THEMED' Christmas card and win exciting prizes!



How to enter:

- Design Your Card: Fold an A4 sheet in half and create a festive, milk-themed design on the front. Use pencils, markers, or paint (no glitter or cotton wool).
- Parents Submit: Parents can enter by either:
 - Posting the design on Instagram or Facebook with #CoolMilkChristmas2024 and tagging @coolmilkscheme, or
 - Emailing a photo or scan of the card to marketing@coolmilk.com.
- Optional Photo: With parental consent, parents may submit a photo of their child with their design. Selected photos may be shared on our website and social media to celebrate the children's creativity!

1st Place

£100 Smyths Toys
gift card +
Olympic Athlete
visit for your
school

2nd Place

£40 Smyths Toys
gift card

3rd Place

£30 Smyths Toys
gift card

*Terms & Conditions:

- The competition is open to UK school children ages 4-11.
- Entries can be submitted by parents or guardians.
- Entries must be received by 5 pm on Friday, 6th December 2024, via social media or email to marketing@coolmilk.com.
- Please include the child's first name only, age, and school in the submission.
- By entering design and/or photo, you consent to Cool Milk sharing your child's design and/or photo on our website and public platforms.
- The winning design will be featured exclusively on Cool Milk's Christmas card for 2024, with the artist's first name, age, and school on the back of the card (a copy will be sent to contacts of the Cool Milk Group as well as to the winner).

BLACKPOOL YOUTH COUNCIL

WEDNESDAYS 5.30 – 7.30PM
FREE TO JOIN. FOOD PROVIDED.



*11 - 25 years
for SEND
young people

ARE YOU AGED 11 – 18* YEARS OLD?

Be the voice of young people!



**DISCUSS IMPORTANT TOPICS THAT
AFFECT YOUNG PEOPLE**



TAKE PART IN REGIONAL EVENTS



MAKE FRIENDS AND A DIFFERENCE



INTERESTED?

Email us: youthservice@blackpool.gov.uk



SUNDAY 24TH NOVEMBER
ANCHORSHOLME PARK
CLEVELEYS

10.15AM REGISTRATION **11.00AM** RACE

REGISTER ON THE DAY OR PRE – REGISTER AT
[REGISTER.ENTHOUSE.COM/PS/EVENT/ELFRUN2024](https://register.enthouse.com/ps/event/elfrun2024)
OR CALL 01253 951004

CHILDREN £5, ADULTS £10, FAMILY OF 5 £25

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OR JINGLE ALL THE WAY!**

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