



Newsletter

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25.09.2026

Dates For Your Diary

23/10/2026- School Closes for half term

02/11/2026 - School Opens

13/11/2026 - Children In Need

18/12/2026 - School Closes For End Of Term at 2pm



Congratulations
to 2D, 3J and 5I and
for 100% attendance
this week.
Whole school
attendance 93.7%



WE ONLY WENT AND WON!

We are absolutely thrilled to have been named Active Blackpool
Community Awards – Secondary School of the Year! 🎉👏

Physical activity and positive wellbeing are such an important part of life
at PCA, and this fantastic recognition celebrates the incredible work of
our staff and the enthusiasm of our pupils.

A huge well done to our amazing team and brilliant pupils – this award is
very well deserved! 🏆👏

A special thank you to Active Blackpool for recognising the positive
impact of our school community.

Keeping Our School Safe for Children and Adults with Allergies

As part of our commitment to keeping all children safe, we would like to
remind families that we are a **nut-free** school. Some of our pupils and
staff have severe allergies to a range of foods and other items,
including nuts and even small amounts of nuts can cause a serious
allergic reaction.

We also continue to follow the principles of **Benedict's Law**, which aims
to improve awareness and support for children and adults with allergies
in schools. By working together, we can help ensure that every child is
safe and able to thrive.

Please support us by checking packed lunches and snacks carefully and
avoiding any products that contain nuts and by letting us know if your
child has an **ALLERGY** (this is different to an intolerance).

Thank you for helping us create a safe and inclusive environment for all.



Star of the Week



1H - Cain for fantastic engagement during Rise activities.

1N - Theo-David for his amazing letter formation when writing his name.

1T - Hugo for his amazing communication this week.

1W - Lea for happily coming to join in with our daily morning hello and being involved in all of our activities. Super work Lea, we're so proud of you!



2B -Karen for always following the PCA way and setting a fabulous example to her friends.

2C -Ashton for having an amazing week. Ashton has been showing others the PCA Way by being helpful to his friends and teachers.

2D - Kai for his increased confidence in communicating clearly during lessons.

2G -Leo for having such a super attitude towards learning and coming to school with such a positive attitude each day.

2H- Charlie for working really hard with his reading assessments and trying his best.

2M -Alfie for fantastic independence with putting his shoes on.

2P - Roan for confidently using his communication board to identify the day of the week.

2R - Skye for such amazing progress across the curriculum. Great recall of skills taught and information from stories we have read. Well done Skye!

2S - Oliver for showing persistence in all the work he does, following the PCA Way and class rules. The whole team are super proud!

Achiever of the Week



3C - Tillie for her fantastic reading and for always offering to help others.

3H - Tommy for having a mature attitude and following the PCA Way.

3J - Alicja for communicating more and being helpful in class.

3O - Lacey for communicating about her feelings and identifying how we can support her in class.

3P - Leo for his brilliant input in lessons.

3R - Violet for showing a mature attitude and being a role model to her peers.

3S - May for showing great friendship skills to someone who really needed a friend.

3T - Redowan for his enthusiasm during Music and Drama.

3W - Kyle for showing a great attitude to learning and being a kind friend.

4H - Zachary for being the best that he can be all week, producing super work in all subjects.

4K - Kaylum for supporting his peers to make positive decisions.

4M - Tyler P, for showing resilience when completing his English Entry Level Test.

4T - Ronay for his resilience, determination and independence.

4W - Thomas for demonstrating confidence in a new task and following the PCA Way.

5B - Matthew for great work in Photography.

5I - Paul for engaging and asking questions in class.

5J - Alexis has been showing the PCA Way by helping others and demonstrating kindness, care, and consideration towards everyone around her.

5M - Madison for being mature and making great decisions all week.



Classroom News

KS1

1N went on a bear hunt this week and ended up in a deep cold river. We all had a splashing good time. Even the teachers joined in the fun.



Oh no, a river!



A deep, cold river!

PIC•COLLAGE

What a fantastic and creative week we have had so far this term in 2S!

In STEM, we have been designing and building our own rafts using a variety of everyday materials. Once our rafts were complete, we tested them to see if they could float. It was great fun investigating which designs worked best and why!

In Humanities, we have been learning about the Royal Family Tree. We painted our own tree and created leaves featuring different members of the Royal Family to add to our artwork. This helped us develop our understanding of how the Royal Family is connected.



Keep up the fantastic work, 2S! We are very proud of your creativity and enthusiasm for learning.



KS2



KS3

The pupils have settled back into school well and have shown such a positive attitude towards their learning. They have been active and engaged in lessons, particularly enjoying our dance activities. It has been lovely to see their enthusiasm, confidence and willingness to get involved as we continue to learn together.



KS4

4T have been enjoying their taster sessions at college. A group attend Blackpool and Fylde College at the Build-up center, learning construction skills such as plaster boarding and plastering. Pupils found this tricky to begin with but being resilient and asking staff to show them again they persevered and succeeded with the task. The other group attended Rosscon and were demonstrating their music and creative skills, using the drums and guitar some pupils showing their amazing skills very quickly.



KS5

Sixth Form have been busy this week, volunteering their time and skills to help clean up the outside area of The Oracle. They have been busy digging, planting and clearing away rubbish, working together to make a real difference. The outside area of The Oracle is already looking much better, and we are very proud of the hard work and community spirit shown by our Sixth Form students.





Children and Young People's Primary Mental Health Service

BLACKPOOL PMHW COMMUNITY DROP IN CLINIC

Worried about a young person's emotional well-being?



- Do you have questions about a young person's mental health?
- Are you looking for advice or support for their emotional development?
- Do you feel like you don't know where to get help?

How can we help?



Listen to your concerns



Provide practical advice and guidance

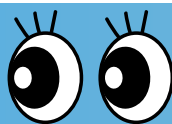


Help you to explore services that can support a young person's mental health



Scan the QR
code to
FYI Directory
& Attend
Anywhere
Virtual Link

Where are we?



Every Monday
Revoe Children's Centre Gramsere
Road, FY1 5HP

2pm - 4:30pm



1st Tuesday of the Month
South Family Hub. 207 St Anne's Road,
FY4 2AP

2pm - 4:30pm



1st Wednesday of the Month
Moor Park Library. Bristol Avenue FY2 0JG

2pm - 4:30pm



2nd Tuesday of the Month (Term Time ONLY)
Devonshire Primary. Devonshire Road, FY3 8AF

2pm - 4pm



3rd Tuesday of the Month
North Family Hub. 31 Dingle Avenue, FY3 7NX

2pm - 4:30pm



3rd Wednesday of the Month
VirtualAttendAnywhere (Link to join inQR codeabove



3:30pm - 5:30pm

Please check our
social for any
updates

Contact Us

If you have any further questions, do not
hesitate to contact us directly and one of
our team will respond.



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Ages 0 – 25

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Blackpool Parent Carer Forum

Connecting, supporting and representing Blackpool **parent carers** of children and young people with SEND.

Who we are?

- ✓ We are the recognised Parent Carer Forum for Blackpool.
- ✓ Our Forum is led and run by parent carers with lived experience of raising children and young people with SEND.
- ✓ We provide opportunities for parent carers to connect with and support one another, reducing isolation and building a supportive SEND community.

What we do?

- ✓ Listen to the experiences of Blackpool families and represent their collective voice.
- ✓ Provide peer support and opportunities for parent carers to connect through coffee mornings, events and other activities.
- ✓ Work in partnership with education, health, social care and other organisations to help shape and improve SEND services.
- ✓ Provide constructive challenge when families tell us things are not working as they should.
- ✓ Involve parent carers in consultations, surveys, engagement opportunities and co-production.
- ✓ Share information and signpost families to relevant services and support.



Are you a Blackpool parent carer?
Your experiences matter.

Join our Forum and help shape SEND services in Blackpool.



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