

## UPCOMING EVENTS

03.10.2024 - Parent Social Evening -  
6pm-7.30pm

04.10.2024 - Family Team Parent  
Drop In - 10.00-11.00am

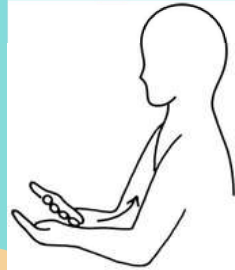
17.10.24 - School closes for Half term

18.10.24 - Inset Day - School closed  
to pupils

28.10.24 - School opens

20.12.24 - School closes for Christmas

## Sign of the week



This week's sign is 'green' to support Macmillan Cancer support.

**Congratulations to classes 1A, 3T and 3S for 100% attendance this week. Whole school attendance is 91.3%**

## MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

Today we have been raising money for Macmillan and would like to thank all of our wonderful pupils, families and staff for their support and contributions. Everyone enjoyed coming to school wearing their 'Green and Jeans' and our amazing staff competed in our annual 'Staff Bake Off', as they chased the title of 'PCA Bake Off Winner'. Together we raised over £270



## Parent Social Evening

Eyes down, get your dabbers ready!

Come along to our Bingo evening on

Thursday 3rd October 6-7.30pm

There will be food and refreshments provided and many prizes to be won!

Tickets £5 each, payment on Parent Pay.



## Safety issues

The car park can be quite busy at the start and end of the school day. It has been highlighted to us that some parents/carers are parking on the yellow lines outside of the school gates. This is an extremely busy road and we ask you to be extra vigilant at these times.

Dropping off in the carpark is from 8.40-8.50am.



## ASDA Rewards Cashpot for Schools

Cashpot for Schools is really simple and easy to do! If you use the ASDA rewards app, please search for our school using our postcode FY3 9HF and link your Cashpot to 'Park Community Academy'. Each time you shop and scan rewards, ASDA will donate 0.5% of the value to our school without affecting your personal pot or rewards. The scheme is running until the 30th November. This is a great initiative to help schools raise funds and we would love your support!

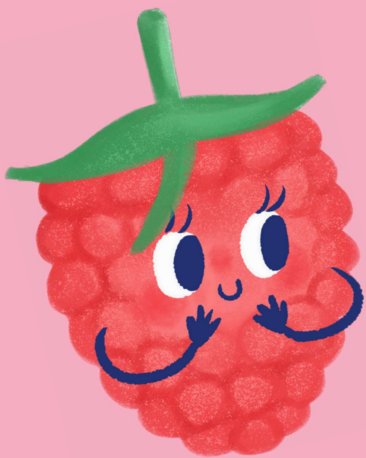
# Healthy Snacks

## Greek yoghurt and raspberry chill recipe

Oats - lightly toasted for a nutty flavour - are mixed with low-fat Greek yoghurt and raspberries to make a delicious dessert!



Prep: 5 mins Cook: 3 mins Serves 4



### Ingredients

- 50g porridge oats
- 250g fresh or defrosted frozen raspberries
- 300g low-fat Greek-style natural yoghurt



### Method

Preheat the grill. Sprinkle the porridge oats onto a baking sheet and spread them out evenly, then grill until they are light brown, about 2 or 3 minutes. Watch out to make sure they don't burn!

Once toasted, set the baking sheet aside and let the oats cool down.

While the oats cool, put half the raspberries into a mixing bowl. Use a fork or potato masher to squash them down slightly. Divide the rest of the whole raspberries between 4 serving glasses, saving 4 raspberries for decoration.

You can use forest fruits, strawberries or mixed summer berries (defrosted if frozen) instead of raspberries.

Add the yoghurt and cooled oats to the bowl of crushed raspberries, and stir gently together.

Ordinary low-fat yoghurt works fine if you don't have any Greek-style.

Spoon the raspberry mixture into the serving glasses and top each one with a whole raspberry. Cover and chill until you're ready to serve.

# Star of the Week

1C - Evie for engaging with the make a face activity using shapes and for using the vocabulary 'eyes, nose, mouth and ears'.

1P - Dennis for writing his name beautifully.

1B - Logan for great communication skills.

1A - Kai for establishing a very positive lunchtime routine.

1H - Skye for creating a wonderful person collage.

2E - Brooke for fantastic listening skills.

2C - Heidi for remembering tally is 5. Great Maths work Heidi!

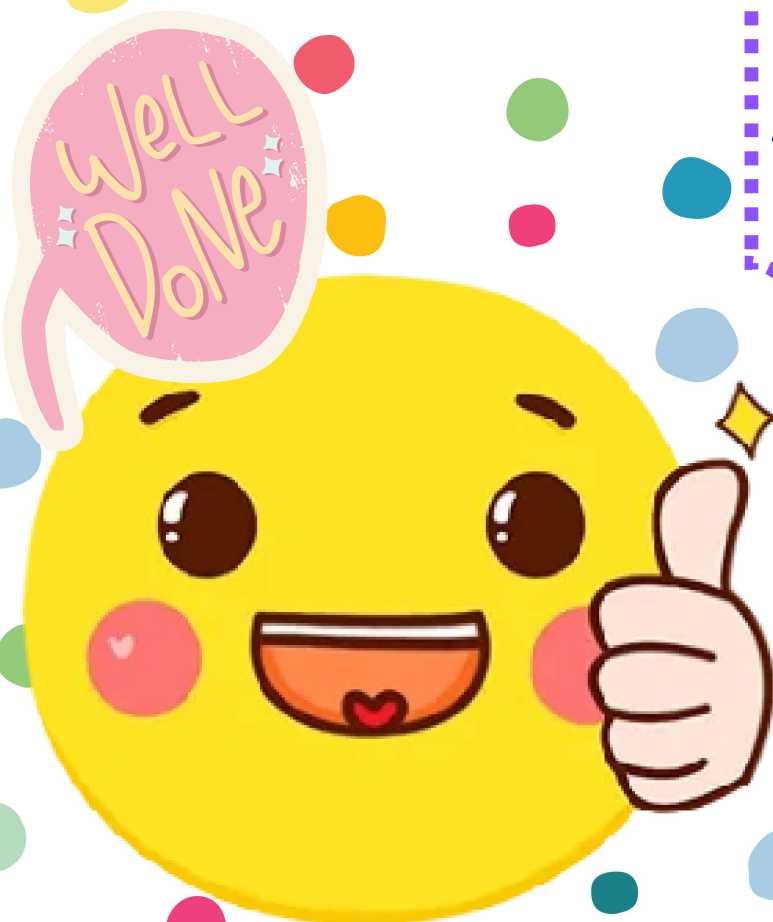
2M - Jahvonte for his being mature and helping teachers.

2R - Toby for working hard during discussions.

2W - Lorenzo for putting his hand up and joining in with all learning.

2G - Max for being a kind friend and wonderful role model.

2A - Hayden for his amazing work in all lessons and for teaching the class all about the Titanic.



# Achiever of the Week

3J - Millie for answering lots of questions in lessons this week.

3H - River for working hard and adding some awesome speech to her comic strip in English.

3L - Archie for giving lots of great answers in History.

3C - Adian for representing PCA brilliantly in York.

3R - Jamie for always being a good role model to his peers, trying hard and taking everything in his stride.

3S - Lucas for showing great enthusiasm and competence in his role as class helper.

3T- Issac for exploring more foods at lunch time.

3B - Ronay for being confident and volunteering to perform in front of the whole school.

4M - Ellis for his amazing contribution to BTEC cooking lessons and helping others.

4J - Jordan for pushing himself out of his comfort zone.

4W - Tegan for having increased confidence and a great attitude towards her travel training.

4H - Alexis for running a superb campaign for Head Pupil!

4B - Louis for good work in Computing.

5J - Casey for persevering and gaining an Entry Level 3 Award in Introduction to Automotive Maintenance and Repair.

5TG - Brodie for an excellent week at college and a positive attitude at motor vehicle.

5I - Aaron for having a positive mental attitude towards college and during social interactions.

5M - Elle for going to the library and choosing age-appropriate books that interest her.



**GREAT  
WORK**

# Classroom News

## KS1

The Autumn weather was very unusual in 1B this week! There were lots of puddles outdoors to “splash splosh” in and we experienced a “swirling, whirling snowstorm”. We are loving reading, and acting out, a very familiar and much-loved book ‘We are going on a bear hunt!’



What an exciting week we've had in 2R! On Tuesday, our class officially moved into our new classroom the 'Ecopod'. We were all very excited to see our lovely new environment and it also created a lot of excitement and interest around the school.

It is safe to say we all LOVE it! We have particularly enjoyed spending time in our lovely, relaxing reading area, having the space to demonstrate our best dance moves during Move it Groove it and to explore the new pirate ship located next to our classroom.

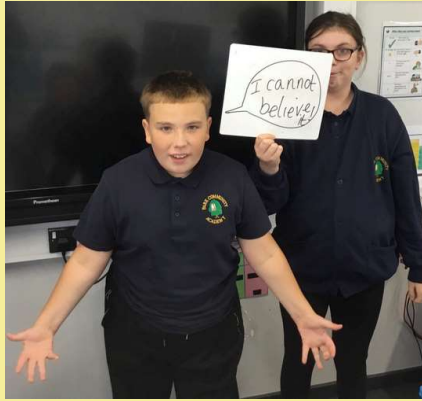
## KS2



# KS3

This week KS3 have been looking at comics in English. We have learnt about speech marks, thought bubbles and panels as well as experimenting with being silent comic characters.

We have also had virtual workshops from an author demonstrating how to draw comic characters with feelings and expressions.



# KS4

This term, 4W have begun their Entry Level work in Art. Their current topic is Print Making. The pupils have been drafting their own designs and are now transferring these ideas onto pieces of polystyrene, which they will use for their final projects. The pupils have come up with some fantastic designs that incorporate lots of vivid detail and colours.



# KS5

Our Sixth Form students have been enjoying spending time with the therapy dogs this week. We have been playing different games and giving commands for rewards. We have even had a few sneaky cuddles too!



# Keep water beads away from young children

Children love water beads. But it's really dangerous if a young child swallows them.



They expand in the belly and can block the bowel. Some grow as big as golf balls.

A child may need major surgery to remove them. So please keep them away from young children.



If you suspect a child has swallowed a water bead, get medical help straight away.

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# Community health and wellbeing events

## **Monday 7th October (noon to 4pm)**

Layton Methodist, 1 Westcliffe Drive,  
Blackpool FY3 7DZ

## **Tuesday 8th October (1pm to 5pm)**

Tarnside Community Centre, Tarnside,  
Blackpool, FY4 4RD

## **Wednesday 9th October (1pm to 5pm)**

Kincraig Community Centre, Kincraig Place,  
Bispham, Blackpool, FY2 0NB

## **Thursday 10th October (11:30am to 3:30pm)**

Palatine Leisure Centre, 207 St Anne's Rd,  
Blackpool FY4 2AP

## **Friday 11th October (noon to 4pm)**

The Floral Hall / Horseshoe Pavillion,  
Winter Gardens, Blackpool, FY1 1HL

**No need to book, drop in any time and see what your community has to offer.**

Want to know what's going on in your area? We're bringing together a range of services, things to do and get involved in across Blackpool.

Come along and find out more about the services and support available and get information from local organisations.

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