

Penwortham Priory Post



Priory Pupils Tackle Serious Themes in our Next Production and it's 'Hard To Swallow'

Priory pupils are tackling the challenging and emotional topic of anorexia in their latest production, Mark Wheeler's 'Hard to Swallow.'

The play tells the real story of Catherine, and her battle with the eating disorder and the family's difficulties in coping with it all.

Priory has been known for its musical productions but has also previously shone a light on serious matters through drama, such as 'Chequered Flags' about the aftermath of speeding and 'Scratching the Surface' about self-harm.

Drama and Production Lead Miss Howell said: "This isn't an easy story to hear, and it isn't meant to be, but it opens a conversation that is absolutely essential: a conversation about mental health, vulnerability, and the realities many young people quietly carry.

"Talking about mental health can feel uncomfortable. It can stir emotions we aren't always ready to face. But avoiding these topics only creates silence - and silence allows stigma to grow.

"As a school, we refuse to let that silence stand. We are committed to educating not only our pupils, but also our families, with honesty, compassion, and an unwavering belief that understanding saves lives.

"Drama gives our pupils something extraordinary: the chance to explore real issues with empathy, courage, and emotional truth. Their dedication to this

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Diary Dates

Key Dates

Did you know that the term dates for the academic year are available to view and download from our website?

www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/parents/termdates

Thurs, 26 March

End of Term Rewards
Year 10 DofE Silver
Parent Information
Evening 5pm

Fri, 27 March

End of Term. Early
lunch followed by school
closure at 1.10pm

Summer Term Begins

Mon, 13 April

Weds, 15 April

Year 10 Newman College
Assembly

Thurs, 16 April

DofE Bronze Parent
Meeting 5pm

Tues, 21 April

Hard To Swallow - 7pm

Weds, 22 April

Year 10 Preston College
Assembly
Hard To Swallow - 7pm

Tues, 28 April

Learning for Life Day 4
Early lunch followed by
school closure at 1.10pm

Weds, 29 April

DofE Bronze Drop Down
Day 2

Fri, 1 May

Culture Day

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challenging play shows a maturity far beyond their years. They have embraced a story that matters deeply - one that has the power to shape hearts, shift perspectives, and remind us all of the importance of kindness and awareness.

"We are proud to be a school that advocates for open discussion, wellbeing, and the emotional growth of every young person who walks through our doors.

"Hard to Swallow is more than a performance. It is a reminder that every voice deserves to be heard, every struggle deserves understanding, and every young person deserves a community that stands beside them."

Lillia plays Catherine and she said: "This is a really tricky role to play. It's hard to portray the character and you have to go really deep into it.

"I have been in every school production since Year 7 and this is my first lead role. I love the musicals and this is totally different, it's educating the audience.

"I think the message is: you need other people to help you sometimes."

Year 8 Quinn, who attends the Pauline Quirk Academy with Lillia, plays mum Maureen.

"I want to be an actress so, although I have been in Annie previously, it's important to learn about different productions.

"I think doing something like this is also an education to us. I knew about anorexia but I now understand it a lot better and hopefully through this performance we can help other people know more about it."

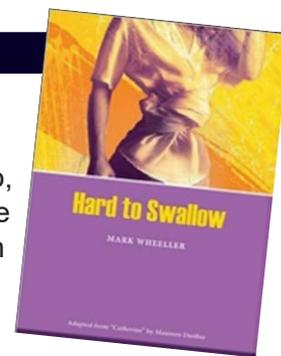
Year 9 Ted has also starred in a number of the school productions and admits this is different.

"I play anorexia so I am on the stage the full time, ominously standing behind Catherine. It's important to raise awareness about this."

Robyn plays Catherine's younger sister Anna while Erin is a doctor. Erin said: "It shows how it impacts everyone, Catherine and her whole family."

Performances are Tuesday, 21 April and Wednesday, 22 April starting at 7pm.

Tickets are now on sale via SCOPay, reception or on the door at £7 each. Age restricted to Year 7+. Show ends at 8.15pm approx.



Happy Easter!

School closes for the Easter break on Friday at the earlier time of 1.10pm.

Summer term begins on Monday, 13 April.

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Lost and Found: Are These Yours?

With the cooler mornings and warmer days, there are lots of coats being left behind and accumulating in the Pastoral office. There are also several bags and a build up of water bottles - all missing their owners.

Lost and found property is located in the Pastoral office with the exception of PE kit which is kept by the PE Department. Please also check the school office for any items lost that day. Valuables will be stored securely by the Pastoral office (see Mr Shipton or Mr Faulkner) until their owner can be identified.

We do aim to return named items to their owner and so we cannot over-emphasise the importance of marking all property, including ties, water bottles and stationery, with your child's name.



All unclaimed lost property is added to the uniform bank, donated to charity or is disposed of after the end of each half term.

The last day for collection of any of these items is Friday, 27 March.



Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award Parent Meeting - 16 April

We are really pleased that we have so many Year 9 pupils committed to achieving their Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award.



In order to provide parents and pupils with further information regarding the expedition, we invite you to attend a meeting in school on Thursday, 16 April from 5pm to 5.45pm. This will be an opportunity for Mrs Cauchi to discuss expectations and aspects of the expedition, including logistics, as well as for you to ask questions about the award you may have so far.

For pupils to be able to go on the expedition, at least one parent must attend the meeting. If you are unable to attend, please contact Mrs Cauchi via email at m.cauchi@priory.lancs.sch.uk



Drop Down Day Rearranged

We have rearranged the second Drop Down Day to Wednesday, 29 April.

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Year 10 Experience The World of Work



From the National Grid to charity work, Priory's Year 10s experienced a week of work.

The Year 10s attended a variety of jobs for their work experience placement in February, all gaining a valuable insight into working life in the real world.

Brad has a part-time job at Boots in the near future and he got to spend his week with the chemist, looking at what his job will entail.

"I will work there on Saturdays and over Christmas," said Brad. "It was a good week. My dad works in the opticians there but I was stocking shelves and working in the storage rooms.

"I enjoyed it but in the future I want to do something with engineering."



Preston North End season ticket holder Charlie got to take to the pitch at Deepdale.

"I worked with the grounds staff for the week which was a good experience. I did a lot of steps every day!

"I also got the chance to play football at the Academy at Springfields. I don't really know yet what I want to do in the future."



Isaac S, Tom T, Oscar G, Jacob R at Leyland Trucks

Both Will and Oliver worked at the National Grid.

Will said: "We had to be interviewed to get the work experience at the National Grid. We got a tour of the substations and learnt about voltages and how much everything costs. It was class.

"I want to go into mechanical or electrical engineering so it was a useful week."

Oliver said: "It was enjoyable. On the last day we got a taste of Project Management and that was something I found interesting."

Reese would like to be a marine biologist or a conservationist and she worked on the coast at Lytham St Anne's with Lancashire Wildlife Trust.

"We were looking at conservation of the salt marshes so it was interesting for me. I want to help to save the coastline."

Mia went to a hairdressers, Studio 28 & Co. "This made

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me want to go into hairdressing even more. I learnt to wash hair although I spent quite a lot of time making tea and coffee.”

Lilly spent her time at Willowbrooke Care Home where her mum works.

“It was an eye-opener for me. We were dealing with a lot of dementia patients so it was a very different week for me.”

Alex went to the charity, Integrate Community Support Services. He thoroughly enjoyed his week there.

“It’s a charity which tries to get people, children aged 14 and above and adults, who have learning disabilities and complex needs into work.

“It was really good as I did a lot of practical work, from painting in houses to working with wood, and also co-ordinated some tasks.

“It’s about helping people, perhaps those with autism or ADHD, feel confident to carry out work and get jobs. I found it really rewarding and emotionally it was tough too and I was proud to be a part of it.

“I want to go into law or psychology in the future but I enjoyed helping people and it’s a charity I would like to help, as everyone was so friendly and kind.”

Amelia worked at the Harris Museum, part of her work experience at Preston City Council.

“I helped in the gallery and helped in the shop as well. It was a good experience and something I may do in the future.”

Work experience continues to be a hugely valuable part of Year 10’s learning journey, giving pupils the chance to gain confidence, develop essential employability skills, and discover more about their own strengths and future ambitions.

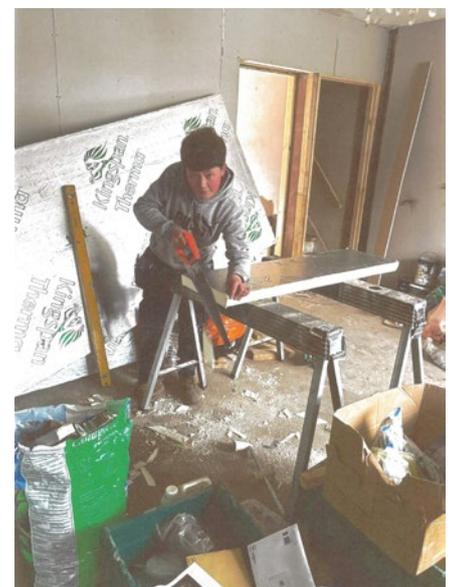


Reflecting on this year’s placements, Priory’s Work Experience Co-ordinator, Mrs Eastham, said:

“It’s always inspiring to see our pupils step into the world of work and challenge themselves in new environments. The week gives them a real sense of independence and maturity, while helping them build communication, teamwork and problem-solving skills that will stay with them long after they leave school. We see pupils return with raised aspirations, a better understanding of their own career pathways, and a real boost to their confidence - it’s an experience that genuinely shapes their future.”



Freya B rocking her hi-vis at Austin Lenika Project Services



Kenzie S at A D Liddle Carpenters & Joiners

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HARD TO SWALLOW

WRITTEN BY MARK WHEELER
Adapted from 'Catherine' by Maureen Dunbar



**TUESDAY 21ST APRIL &
WEDNESDAY 22ND APRIL**

Doors open from 6:30pm

Production starts at 7pm

All tickets £7 via SCOPay, Reception, or
on the door

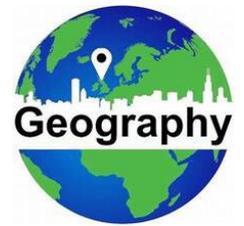
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GCSE Geography Masterclass: Building Confidence for Exam Success

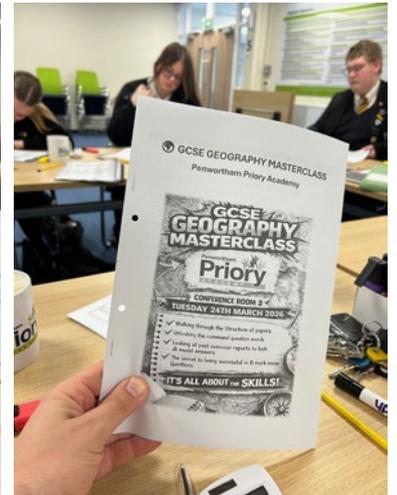


This week, we were delighted to host our Geography Masterclass in the school's Conference Suite, providing students with a focused yet welcoming environment in which to prepare for their upcoming exams. With an array of pastries alongside hot and cold drinks on offer, the session struck just the right balance between being informal yet highly purposeful.

The masterclass was a real success. Students demonstrated outstanding tenacity, work ethic and exemplary behaviour throughout, fully engaging with the challenges and opportunities presented.

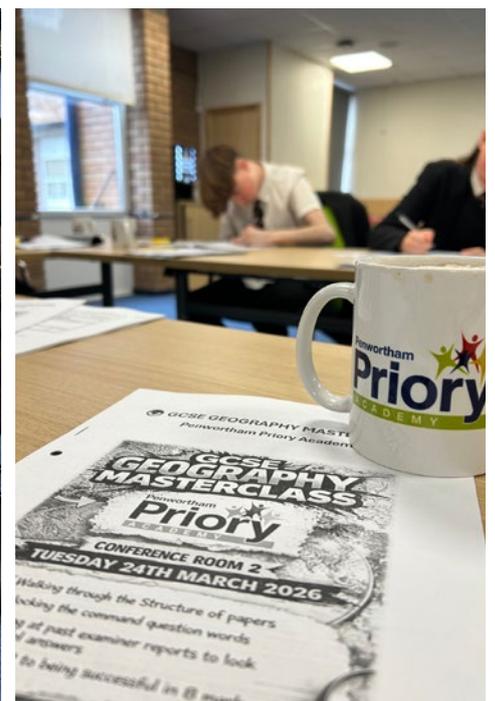
The session was built around five key principles and proven exam-boosting techniques, carefully designed to support students in maximising their performance this summer.

Through robust discussion, hands-on practical exam work and close analysis of examiner feedback, students worked their way through a dedicated workbook and a range of past paper questions. This approach allowed them not only to strengthen their geographical knowledge, but also to refine the vital exam skills needed to reach – and exceed – their GCSE targets.



Importantly, students were able to take away all of their materials in a comprehensive Masterclass pack, giving them high-quality resources to support their independent revision at home.

Well done to all students involved – a truly successful day. We hope this experience has helped to build confidence, sharpen exam technique and set our geographers up for success in the summer exams ahead.



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International Waffle Day Brings Sweet Success To Break Time

To mark International Waffle Day, our brilliant Catering team brought a little extra delight to breaktime today with irresistible freshly made Belgian waffles.



Served with a tempting selection of jams, chocolate sauce, syrup and squirty cream, the waffles were an instant hit with pupils - and the queues proved it!

The Restaurant and Bistro were buzzing, and the treats were so popular that they completely sold out at the latter... much to the disappointment of Year 10 and Year 11 students who arrived just a little too late.

A big shout-out must go to Year 11 Eleanor, who stepped in during the rush to help Catering Manager Mrs Billings keep things running smoothly along with Miss Thornton.



Once again, we'd like to extend our thanks to our Catering team for their hard work, creativity, and the fun they bring to our school menu.



NEXT ISSUE

NO NEWSLETTER FIRST WEEK BACK

The next issue will be out Friday, 24 April

Thank you for your support.

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Year 8 Receive Safeguarding Guidance on Child Exploitation from Police



On Wednesday, 18 March a team from the Police's South Exploitation Team came into school to talk to Year 8 about child exploitation.



The team discussed what exploitation is and its various forms including Criminal Exploitation, Sexual Exploitation, County Lines and Online Exploitation. Examples of real life situations were used to show that no one is exempt from risk, how to minimise or eliminate risk and where to get support in and out of school if someone is being exploited.

The assembly was well received by pupils due to the interactive question and answer session and the interesting way it was delivered. Our visitors were impressed by the pupils and will return to repeat the assembly after Easter for Year 9.

Ms Smith said "We are grateful to the team for giving up their time and choosing Priory as a school to have face to face briefings with. With the introduction of the online platform Pol Ed this has been harder to achieve, but has far more impact when pupils are hearing advice from other adults and especially the police.

"This session adds to our current learning in Learning for Life Days and covers topics under Online Safety, Relationships and Sex Education, and Social Harms".

Week 2
w/c
13 April

Penwortham Priory Academy

MENU

Spring Week 2

EVERY DAY

Jacket Potato From £1.35

Build your perfect spud! Start with our light and fluffy jackets and elevate your experience even further with the many toppings available.

Cheese Panini £1.90

Soft panini roll stuffed with cheese, pressed to melted perfection.

Pepperoni Panini £1.90

Soft panini roll stuffed with cheese and pepperoni, pressed to melted perfection.

Sandwiches £1.50

A selection of handmade sandwiches, baguettes and wraps, packed with fresh fillings.

Pasta Pots £2.00

A selection of pasta pots that are bursting with flavour are available.

this week's specials

MONDAY

Mexican Burrito £2.30

Delicious mexican spiced beef served burrito style with a steamed corn on the cob.

Halloumi Burger £2.30

Deliciously crispy halloumi burger served on a bun with a steamed corn on the cob.

TUESDAY

Butter Chicken Curry £2.30

Diced chicken breast smothered in butter curry sauce, served with rice and naan bread.

Butter Veggie Curry £2.30

Deliciously roasted vegetables smothered in butter curry sauce and served with rice and naan bread.

WEDNESDAY

Hot 'n' Kicking Burger £2.30

Deliciously spicy chicken burger served with seasoned curly fries and a fresh side salad.

Pomodoro Pasta £2.30

Classic pomodoro pasta tossed in a rich tomato sauce, served with warm, buttery garlic bread.

THURSDAY

Chinese Chicken & Savoury Rice £2.30

Succulent diced chicken breast expertly seasoned and served with savoury rice.

Veggie Katsu Spring Rolls £2.30

Deliciously crispy spring rolls served on a bed of rice, smothered in katsu curry sauce.

Chippy Friday Specials

Chicken Wrap *from £2.00

Crispy southern fried chicken legs wrapped in a soft tortilla, packed with fresh salad.

Veggie Chicken Wrap

Crispy southern fried no chick strips wrapped in a soft tortilla, packed with fresh salad.

Jumbo Sausage & Chips £2.30

A jumbo sausage on a bed of chips, served with peas of beans and a choice of crisp shop curry or gravy.

Desserts

Assorted Cakes and Biscuits £0.70

A selection of homemade cakes and biscuits to choose from.

Fruit Pot/Fresh Fruit £0.90

A selection of freshly prepared fruit pots and fresh whole fruit available.

Popcorn £0.70

Fresh sweet and salty popcorn.

Jelly £0.70

A variety of flavours available. Vegan option available.

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Priory Brings Schools Together for Inspiring Boccia Competition

On Wednesday, 11 March Priory proudly hosted an inspiring Primary and Secondary Boccia Competition, delivered in partnership with Panathlon and the South Ribble Active Health Team.

The day brought together 14 secondary schools and eight primary schools, filling the sports hall with a wonderful sense of community. It was fantastic to see so many pupils challenging themselves, supporting one another, and most importantly, enjoying the experience.

We were especially delighted to have several Priory pupils take part - Maddie S, Zach F, Zac L, Imogen R and Isaac S represented the school brilliantly, showing great sportsmanship, determination and enthusiasm throughout the event.

Congratulations to our winning teams -
Secondary Winner: Applebee Wood | Primary Winner: Broad Oak

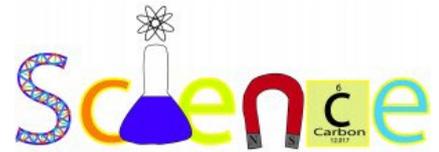
Both teams will now go on to compete in the regional finals, and we wish them every success as they take the next step in their Boccia journey.

This event simply wouldn't have been possible without the commitment and energy of our outstanding Priory young leaders from Years 8 and 9. Their maturity, organisation and the way they supported and encouraged participants were exemplary, they truly were a credit to the school.

A huge well done and thank you to everyone involved for helping to create such a memorable and uplifting day!



Primary Pupils Embrace Science at Priory With Classification Workshop



On Monday, the Year 6 pupils from Penwortham Primary School came to join us for a Science lesson.



As they had been studying classification in their lessons we provided them with some activities to extend their knowledge and curiosity in this area in line with British Science Week.

The class confidently recalled all of the work they had covered in class, including how to classify different types of species using the Linnaean system of hierarchy.

We looked together at some animal skulls in the department and attempted to classify them using prior knowledge of animals - with some spirited discussion of whether one particular skull was a goat or a ram!

The pupils then had a masterclass in using microscopes and set off to do some more work on classification. After successfully focussing the microscopes they went around in a carousel and classified each of the samples on the cells as either animal or plant cell.



Assistant Head of Science, Mrs Potter, said, "The pupils worked with great enthusiasm and we look forward to welcoming them in again."



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Year 10 Sports Studies Pupils Enjoy A Day On The River

As part of the R187 Cambridge National Sports Studies unit, Year 10 pupils participated in a practical canoeing assessment at Rock & River Outdoor Centre on 17 & 18 March.

This activity provided an excellent opportunity for pupils to demonstrate technical skills, teamwork, resilience and an understanding of safety in an outdoor environment.

Two groups, each consisting of ten pupils, completed their assessment, one group attending on Tuesday and the other on Wednesday. Across the entire experience, the weather conditions were ideal; perfect for water-based sport.

Instructor John, a qualified outdoor education specialist at Rock & River, led the sessions and was impressed with the pupils' attitude, behaviour and overall skill level.



Each session began with a safety briefing that covered the correct use of personal protective equipment (PPE), such as buoyancy aids and helmets, as well as the safe carrying and launching of canoes. Pupils were reminded to stay aware of weather and water conditions, understand emergency procedures and communication signals, and respect both the environment and the equipment. This introduction linked directly to the risk assessment pupils had been studying, helping them identify potential hazards and understand how to control them. Following the briefing, pupils completed a whole-group warm-up that focused on mobility exercises for the shoulders, torso, arms and hips, effectively preparing them for paddling and the rotational movements required during the session.

Under John's guidance, pupils progressed through structured canoeing skills. These included forward paddling using controlled stroke techniques, reverse paddling to slow or stop the canoe, and J-strokes to maintain a straight line. They also practised draw strokes to move sideways, sweep strokes for turning, and safe methods for embarking and disembarking. John noted how quickly pupils applied feedback, showing impressive coordination, focus and motor learning.

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During the formal assessment, pupils worked in pairs to complete a supervised course on flat water. This required them to demonstrate control, accuracy and confidence while manoeuvring the canoe through a series of set movements.

PE teacher, Mrs Bullock, said, *“Across both days, all pupils performed exceptionally well, with many meeting or surpassing the expectations of the assessment criteria. The calm, warm weather contributed to this success by reducing environmental challenges, which allowed pupils to concentrate fully on refining their technique.”*

The on-site risk assessment at Rock & River helped pupils understand the importance of managing safety during outdoor sports by highlighting several key hazards, including slipping on wet surfaces when entering or exiting the canoe, capsizing and falling into the water, equipment-related injuries such as trapped fingers or incorrect paddle use, environmental risks like sudden changes in weather or water flow, and group management concerns, particularly the possibility of pupils drifting too far from the instructor.

Mr Bullock, Head of PE & Sport added, *“The canoeing assessment at Rock & River was a highly successful element of the R187 Sports Studies curriculum. Perfect weather conditions, strong instruction from John and outstanding pupil engagement all contributed to an excellent learning experience. The pupils’ behaviour, motivation and skill execution were consistently praised, with many demonstrating performance above expected levels.”*

Beyond practical ability, pupils developed important personal qualities such as confidence, teamwork and responsibility. Their understanding of risk assessment

and safety in sport improved significantly through real-world application.

Overall, the two-day experience was a memorable and valuable part of their Sports Studies journey, showcasing how outdoor adventure activities can enhance both sporting performance and personal development.



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Farewell to Mrs Small and a Heartfelt Thank You from Priory's Japanese Club



Last week, Priory said a fond and emotional farewell to Mrs Small, the much-loved volunteer who has devoted her Wednesday lunchtimes to running our popular Japanese Club.

After almost five years of inspiring pupils with her enthusiasm for the Japanese language and culture, Mrs Small has now stepped down from her role - and she will be deeply missed by everyone involved.



For many pupils, Japanese Club has been a highlight of the week. Every Wednesday in MFL1, Mrs Small created a warm, welcoming space where pupils from all year groups could explore Japanese language, traditions, crafts and even origami. Her gentle encouragement and genuine passion drew in pupils who might never have considered learning another language, helping them discover new interests and confidence along the way.

Her impact has been far-reaching. Over the years, Mrs Small's guidance has sparked a lasting love of Japanese among our pupils — with one former student going on to achieve a GCSE in the subject and others considering the same route down the line.

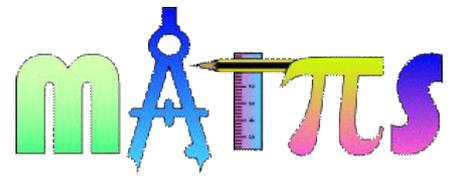
To thank her for her dedication, pupils presented Mrs Small with chocolates and a beautiful bouquet of flowers during her final session.

Mrs Scully, Head of Languages, shared her appreciation: "Mrs Small has brought something truly special to Priory. Her enthusiasm for Japanese language and culture has opened doors for so many of our pupils, giving them experiences and inspiration they will carry with them for years to come. We are incredibly grateful for the time, passion and kindness she has given to our school.



"Although we are sad to see her go, we are immensely thankful for everything she has contributed to Priory. Japanese Club was a space she transformed into a vibrant, inclusive and joyful part of our school community."

GCSE Pupils Put Maths Skills To The Test in High-Level Challenge



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Three enthusiastic teams from Penwortham Priory Academy took part in this year's Runshaw Maths Challenge on Thursday 19 March, joining GCSE students from across Lancashire for an evening of high-level problem solving.

The annual event, hosted by Runshaw College, is designed to stretch students beyond the standard curriculum, offering a series of demanding mathematical rounds that test creativity, logical reasoning, teamwork and resilience.

Working against the clock, teams were challenged to apply multi-step strategies, think innovatively, and collaborate effectively under pressure.

The atmosphere throughout the evening was energetic and competitive, with teachers and Runshaw's Student Ambassadors looking on.

Priory's students embraced the challenge with determination, showcasing strong teamwork and a real passion for maths as they tackled each new round.



Although Priory's teams did not place in the top rankings this year, they demonstrated outstanding perseverance and represented the school with confidence.

Reflecting on the event, Head of Maths Mr Kenrick said: "Priory proudly took part in the Runshaw Challenge for maths, bringing along three enthusiastic teams to compete against other schools.

"The event was a fantastic opportunity for students to test their problem-solving skills, work collaboratively under pressure, and engage with challenging mathematical concepts in a fun and competitive environment.



"Each team showed great determination and teamwork throughout the rounds, tackling a variety of questions that required both creativity and logical thinking. It was a captivating experience for everyone involved, and our students represented the school with confidence, resilience and a real passion for maths."

Congratulations go to all the participating schools and well done to our pupils for their effort, enthusiasm and superb representation of the school.

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Chasing the American Dream: Isla's Journey into NFL Flag Football



Year 8 Isla has dreams of playing NFL in America.

Isla plays for Lancashire Buccaneers NFL Flag, an Under 14s American football team, based in Croston at Bishop Rawstorne high school.

"I played in a tournament at primary school and my coach there coached at the Buccaneers," said Isla.

"I was interested so I decided to have a go and I attended sessions at the start of Year 8.

"It is a fun thing at the moment, I play running back and safety, but my dream would be to play for Great Britain and then go to America."



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South Ribble Dance Competition Brings Energy, Creativity and Community to Priory

Priory was delighted to host the 2026 South Ribble Dance Competition on the afternoon and evening of 16 March, organised by South Ribble School Games.

This year's theme, 'Rhythms of Unity – Celebrating Sport, Culture and Creativity across the Globe', brought colour, movement and excitement to the school as pupils showcased dance styles inspired by cultures from around the world.

We welcomed 17 schools to the event, with over 300 pupils taking part. The atmosphere throughout the evening was electric, with each group bringing their own creativity, enthusiasm and team spirit to the stage.

A huge well done to all the schools who took part. Congratulations to New Longton Primary School and Brownedge St Mary's, who were crowned winners of the Primary and Secondary competitions respectively. Both schools will now go on to represent South Ribble at the Lancashire finals in Blackpool.

It was a brilliant evening from start to finish, and we were proud to be the host venue for such an inspiring community event.



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Come and join us in Penwortham
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make an Easter card, with refreshments
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Spanish classes for adults



Our Courses

Course 1: Introduction to Spanish

- For adults studying Spanish for the first time/ need a refresher
- Thursday, 23rd April- Thursday, 21st May (18:30-20:00)

Course 2: Beginners

- For adults with some knowledge of basic phrases
- Wednesday, 22nd April- Wednesday, 20th May (18:30-20:00)

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Apprenticeship & T-Level Open Event

Wednesday, 29 April
4pm-6.30pm

PRESTON COLLEGE

Preston College's annual apprenticeship open event has been combined with a new T Level event. This will showcase all their curriculum areas and a number of employers who take on apprentices and students for work experience for T Levels. This will be an excellent event for students that have applied to start an apprenticeship from September.

Year 11 Welcome Evenings

Preston College are sending letters to all students who have successfully received an offer following their interview. Welcome evenings will be held on Tuesday, 14 and Wednesday, 15 April 5pm-7pm. Every student will receive a letter through the post and a text message with their personal invite. Due to high numbers of offers we have to split this over two evenings. It's a great chance for students to try their course and meet their tutors and classmates prior to September.

New courses for September

Please see link for new courses for students starting Preston College in September 2026. The college is excited to be introducing these into their provision and already they are proving popular with applicants.

Sport, Fitness & Personal Training
Combined Studies - Science & Social Science



Are you a practitioner looking for a new opportunity?
Are you interested in a career in early years?
Are you looking for an apprenticeship?
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Thursday 9th April 2026
9.30-11.00 & 1.30-3.00

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EASTER HALF TERM
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3. Add your child's details to your account, including any relevant information
4. Book your sessions & confirm!

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