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Newsletter 5th June 2026

This half term, our RE, 'Roots and Fruits' theme is Respect.

As a school community, we will be exploring how we can follow the example of Jesus by showing kindness, consideration and respect in all that we do. We encourage our children, staff and families to reflect on how respectful words and actions can help us build positive relationships and create an environment where everyone feels valued and supported. By working together and modelling respect in our daily interactions, we can help our children understand its importance and live out this Christian value. The relationships between parents and staff play a vital role in this, as we work in partnership to provide positive role models for our children. Through demonstrating mutual respect, understanding and care, we can all shine in our different roles and support our children's learning and personal growth throughout the half term.

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to all the parents and carers who regularly support our school through their time, encouragement and involvement. Your commitment helps to make our school the incredible, caring community it is, and we are grateful for the positive example you set for our children every day.



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Sports Day

Sports day has been rescheduled for:

Friday 19th June

Fingers crossed for better weather by then!



Our Pre-School for September 2026

We are now in the process of allocating places for our Pre-school for September 2027. If anyone is interested in securing a place, please confirm this by 2nd June with the school office so we can finalise numbers.

We are also holding an Open Morning for people to come and look around our incredible provision on Saturday 13th June 10am-12pm

PE Days for Summer 2

Class	
Reception and Pre-School	Wednesday
Year 1	Thursday and Friday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3	Monday and Wednesday
Year 4	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 5	Tuesday and Wednesday
Year 6	Monday - Forest School and PE

Please note the changes for Year 5 and Year 6

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Water Safety Message for Our School Community

Following Monday's assembly led by Mrs White, we would like to reinforce an important message about water safety for all of our families.

Recent weeks have seen a worrying number of tragic incidents involving children and young people in open water, including a local death in the River Ribble during the recent heatwave. These events are a stark reminder that while water can be a place of fun and enjoyment, it also carries serious risks—especially in warm weather when more children are drawn to rivers, lakes, and reservoirs.

Enjoy the Water - But Stay Safe

We absolutely encourage families to enjoy swimming and water activities, whether at the beach, swimming pools, or supervised venues. However, it is vital that both children and adults understand how to stay safe and make informed choices.

Earlier this week, Glovers Swim School kindly visited to distribute leaflets, helping our pupils learn practical skills and build confidence in and around water. We thank them for their continued support in promoting safe swimming.

Remember: Float to Live

A key lifesaving message shared in assembly comes from the RNLI's Float to Live campaign. They advise:

"If you fall into cold water, fight your instinct to thrash around. Lean back, extend your arms and legs, and float until you can control your breathing. Then call for help or swim to safety."

This simple technique can help prevent panic and reduce the risk of drowning in unexpected situations.

Key Water Safety Reminders for Families

Always supervise children closely near water—never assume someone else is watching.

Stick to designated swimming areas supervised by lifeguards where possible.

Avoid swimming in rivers, lakes, or reservoirs, especially where currents, cold temperatures, and hidden hazards are present.

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Educate children about the dangers of jumping into unknown water or following friends into unsafe areas.

Encourage swimming lessons to build confidence and skills.

Know what to do in an emergency—call 999 or 112 and ask for the Coastguard if at the coast, or the Fire and Rescue Service for inland water.

Working Together to Keep Children Safe

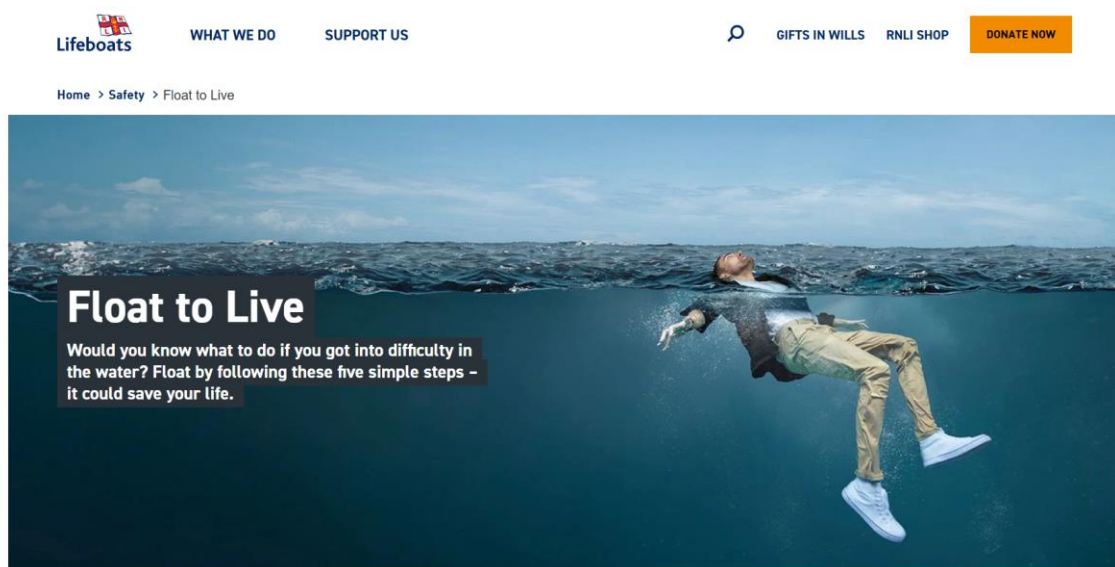
As a school community, we are committed to helping children understand how to enjoy water safely. With the warmer weather continuing, we kindly urge all families to have open conversations at home about water safety and reinforce these important messages.

By staying informed, vigilant, and prepared, we can help ensure that children enjoy the water safely—and prevent further tragedies.

The following web links may be helpful:

[Water Safety Advice And Tips - Know The Risks](#)

[Float To Live - What To Do In An Emergency - RNLI](#)



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September Classes

Please find a list below of classes and teachers for 2026-2027

Pre-School	Mrs Carter
Reception	Mrs Harrington
Year 1	Mrs Pickering
Year 2	Mrs Clarkson
Year 3	Mrs Burcher - 2 days Mrs McLeod - 3 days
Year 4	Ms Jones
Year 5	Mrs Hartley - 4 days Mrs Burcher - 1 day
Year 6	Mr Stell

We have planned a transition afternoon for all classes to 'move up' on 7th July.

In addition to this, the teachers will be going and spending time in the children's current classes to see them with their current teachers and observe learning/behaviour etc.

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Running Club

It was the first running club of this half term on Wednesday and what a brilliant time they had! 🏃♀️ They went out for a cross country run in our local area and even had some lovely comments off the villagers about how polite the children were ❤️ Thank you to Mrs Hartley and Miss Wilson for taking the children 🏃♂️



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Dates for Diaries - Summer 2

Mon 8 th June	Phonics screening for Year 1
Tues 9 th June	Phonics screening for Year 1 Yr 6 to Padel at Roefield 2pm-3pm
Weds 10 th June	Paul Sturgess Assembly followed by basketball sessions with junior classes.
Thurs 11 th June	7.45am - TAG sports gym club 9.30am-10.30am - Yr 6 at Waddington bowling 1pm - EYFS Walk & Talk 5pm - Induction evening for new Reception parents
Fri 12 th June	YR 6 - Ballroom dancing 1.30pm-2.30pm
Sat 13 th June	10-12pm Pre-school open morning
Mon 15 th June	Kate Taylor, SENCO, in school Yr 6 Prayer spaces at Turret House 1pm-3pm
Tues 16 th June	Yr 6 confirmation at church - 7pm (meet 6.30pm)
Weds 17 th June	9.30am-10.30am - Yr 6 at Waddington Bowling
Thurs 18 th June	7.45am - TAG sports gym club KS2 Circus workshop Father's Day stay and play EYFS 2pm Year 6 ballroom dancing 1.45pm-2.45pm
Fri 19 th June	Sports Day
Mon 22 nd June	Yr 2 trip to Fairhaven, Lytham
Tues 23 rd June	Yr 6 Electricity NW workshop - Stem in school 1.15pm - Year 1 church visit for Mock Baptism with Rev. Wood.
Weds 24 th June	PJ day - donations for summer fair 9.30am-10.30am - Yr 6 at Waddington bowling
Thurs 25 th June	7.45am - TAG sports gym club EYFS Walk and talk (short walk) World Cup Football day 9.30-12pm Music concert 2.30pm (plus choir)
Fri 26 th June	Yr 6 Tea Dance at West Bradford Village Hall 1-3pm

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	Summer BBQ after school
Sun 28 th June	Waddington Duck Race and May Queen
Mon 29 th June	Kate Taylor, SENCO, in School 5.30pm - Tower wood Information evening for parents
Tues 30 th June	Yr 5 to go to Ribblesdale High for an author session with Dan Worsley Year 1 FUN DAY Yr 6 to Padel at Roefield 2pm-3pm
Thurs 2 nd July	7.45am - TAG sports gym club 2pm - Yr 6 play 6pm - Yr 6 play
Fri 3 rd July	Year 6 transition session with Clitheroe schools 10am-2pm at Pendle Primary
Mon 6 th July	Infant fun day - organised by the school council
Tues 7 th July	Yr 6 - Bowland - new entrants visit day MOVE UP afternoon for all classes
Wed 8 th July	Yr 6 - Tower Wood
Thurs 9 th July	Yr 6 - Tower Wood 7.45am - TAG sports gym club
Fri 10 th July	Yr 6 - Tower Wood End of Year Reports sent out to parents Pre-school transition morning 9.15-11.15am
Mon 13 th July	Kate Taylor, SENCO, in school all day Yr 6 Bikeability
Tues 14 th July	Yr 6 Bikeability Rock Steady concert time TBC
Weds 15 th July	Yr 6 Bikeability 2pm - Reception graduation
Thurs 16 th July	Yr 6 Bikeability 7.45am - TAG sports gym club Special certificate assembly EYFS - Walk and Talk 6pm - Yr 6 church service
Fri 17 th July	School closes for Summer

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WADDINGTON AND WEST BRADFORD CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

PRE-SCHOOL OPEN DAY

Are you looking for a pre-school place for your child? Join us for a fun-filled open morning and experience the provision at our pre-school in June! Meet our dedicated teachers, explore our wonderful facilities, and get a glimpse of the exciting curriculum we offer here in Waddington.

- Wrap around care available
- Childcare vouchers accepted
- 3 starting points a year: Sept, Jan and April

 **Date** Saturday 13th June 2026

 **Time** 10am-12pm

 **Location** Waddington and West Bradford C.E. Primary School, Waddington BB7 3JE

Feel free to ring us to book on or just turn up on the day! 01200422915

Open to all families from Clitheroe and the surrounding areas!

Don't miss this chance to be a part of our pre-school community and take the first step towards your child's brighter future!



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THE WWB BIG SPONSORED WALK!

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER

CHOOSE YOUR CHALLENGE

26-MILE WALKING MARATHON

£20 ENTRY (INCLUDES T-SHIRT + SNACKS + EXTRA REFRESHMENTS)

A SERIOUS CHALLENGE, REQUIRING TRAINING

13-MILE CHALLENGE WALK

£15 ENTRY (INCLUDES T-SHIRT + SNACKS)

GREAT FOR ADULTS, TEENAGERS & OLDER CHILDREN

3KM FAMILY FUN WALK

£5 PER CHILD

A FUN, RELAXED WALK WITH PROPS TO COLLECT ALONG THE WAY!

VOLUNTEER

OR HELP OUT IN OTHER WAYS...WE ALSO NEED:

- ✓ VOLUNTEERS THROUGHOUT THE DAY
- ✓ DONATIONS OF FOOD, SNACKS & DRINKS

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE SEE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN YOUR EMAILS, OR CONTACT SCHOOL

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Annie Jr.

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SUNDAY
21ST JUNE 2026
1pm Stage

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Reception opening hours: **Monday & Tuesday 5pm-8pm** (During term time)
Send enquiries to hello@thegrandvenue.co.uk or call 01200 421599

the grand

Lots of our pupils are performing in this production of Annie Jr on 20th and 21st June at The Grand in Clitheroe if anyone would like to go and watch it.

Tickets can be purchased via their website: www.thegrandvenue.co.uk

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SENCO



Mrs Kate Taylor is our Special Educational Needs Coordinator.

Mrs Harrington is now also the 'back-up' SENCO in school and can help parents when Mrs Taylor is not on site. She can be contacted via the school office.

Mrs Taylor will be in school on the dates below during the summer term but can also be contacted via email on senco@wwblancs.sch.uk

15th June

29th June

13th July

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Attendance

Week commencing 1st June 2026

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	97.1%
Year 1	94.3%
Year 2	96.2%
Year 3	93.4%
Year 4	93.8%
Year 5	94.4%
Year 6	94.8%

Safeguarding Updates

The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) in school is: Mrs White

The Deputy DSLs are: Mr Stell and Mrs Harrington

Please see our Safeguarding Page on the school website for more information:

<https://www.wwb.lancs.sch.uk/page/?title=Safeguarding&pid=47>

CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwblancs.sch.uk

Visit us on the web at [Home | Waddington and West Bradford C.E. Primary School \(www.wwb.lancs.sch.uk\)](http://www.wwb.lancs.sch.uk) Follow us on FACEBOOK - Waddington and West Bradford Primary School

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F+ Spring & Summer 2026	MONDAY	SUGARWISE TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	SUGARWISE THURSDAY	FRIDAY FAVOURITES		
WEEK ONE Week Commencing: 20th April 14th May 1st June 22nd June 13th July 3rd August 24th August 5th October 28th October	Traditional Main Course Southern Style Chicken Goulou or Vegetable Finger-Wrap with Paprika Potatoes Mixed Vegetables or BBQ Beans Pasta Tubex & Tomato Sauce with Homemade Dough Balls & Salad Selection (v)	Mild Beef or Vegetarian Chili Nacho Bake with Mixed Rice & Sweetcorn Medley	Pork or Vegetarian Sausages & Yorkshire Pudding with Mashed Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta with Homemade Herby Bread & Salad Selection (v)	Mild Chicken or Quorn Bait Curry with Mixed Rice & Nann Bread with Homemade Cheese Fian with Baby Potatoes Baked Beans or Salad Selection (v)	Golden Crumb Fish or Vegetable Fingers with Garden Peas or Baked Beans Homemade Pizza Margherita with Oven Baked Chips Garden Peas or Salad Selection (v)		
	Alternative Choice Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Summer Picnic Lunch Choice of Sandwiches Vegetarian Sausage Roll Pasta Salad Vegetable Sticks & Dips	Choice of filled Sandwiches with Tortilla Chips Vegetable Sticks & Dips	Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Choice of filled Sandwiches with Tortilla Chips Vegetable Sticks & Dips		
	Jackets & Sandwiches Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Vanilla Shortbread & Fruit Wedges Choice of Fruit ~ or Yoghurt or Jelly Fruit Selection & Milk	Ice Cream & Dessert Sauce Choice of Fruit ~ or Yoghurt or Jelly Fruit Selection & Milk	Mixed Fruit Medley Choice of Fruit ~ or Yoghurt or Jelly Fruit Selection & Milk	Cooks Choice of Cookie & Milsnake Choice of Fruit ~ or Yoghurt or Jelly Fruit Selection		
	Dessert Choices Choice of Fruit ~ or Yoghurt or Jelly Fruit Selection & Milk	MEAT FREE MONDAY	SUGARWISE TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	SUGARWISE THURSDAY		
	WEEK TWO Week Commencing: 27th April 18th May 8th June 29th June 20th July 10th August 31st August 21st September 12th October 2nd November	Traditional Main Course Vegetarian Sausage Roll with Herby Potatoes Garden Peas & Sweetcorn or Baked Beans (v)	BBQ Pulled Pork or Quorn Burrito with Rainbow Vegetable Rice & Salad Selection Mac 'n' Cheese with Homemade Crusty Bread & Garden Peas (v)	Roast Chicken or Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy Loaded Potato Wedges with BBQ Beans, Crispy Onions & Salad Selection (v)	Booths British Beef & Pork or Vegetarian Burger with Paprika Potatoes Vegetable Sticks & Dips Pasta Spirals & Tomato Sauce with Homemade Dough Balls & Salad Selection (v)	Harry Ramsden's Crispy Battered Fish with Oven Baked Chips & Mushy Peas Homemade Pizza Margherita with Oven Baked Chips & Sweetcorn (v)	
		Alternative Choice Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection (v)	Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Choice of filled Sandwiches with Tortilla Chips Vegetable Sticks & Dips	Cooks Choice of filled Oven Baked Jacket Potato with Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Choice of filled Sandwiches with Tortilla Chips Vegetable Sticks & Dips	
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		WEEK THREE Week Commencing: 13th April 4th May 23rd May 15th June 6th July 27th July 17th August 7th September 28th September 19th October 9th November	Traditional Main Course Mild Piri Piri Chicken or Quorn Pita Pocket with Sunshine Rice & Garden Peas Pasta Twists & Tomato Sauce with Homemade Dough Balls & Salad Selection (v)	Harry Ramsden's Salmon & Sweet Potato Fisnake with Paprika Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables Puff Pastry Cheese Whirl with Paprika Potatoes & Baked Beans (v)	Honey Roast Gammon & Pineapple or BBQ Vegetarian Meatballs with Roast Potatoes & Sweetcorn Medley Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta with Homemade Herby Bread & Salad Selection (v)	Chicken or Vegetable Tikka Curry with Mixed Rice & Nann Bread Summer Picnic Lunch Choice of Sandwiches Vegetarian Sausage Roll Pasta Salad Vegetable Sticks & Dips	Pork or Vegetarian Hot Dog Crispy Onions & Tomato Ketchup with Oven Baked Chips Garden Peas or Baked Beans Homemade Pizza Margherita with Oven Baked Chips Garden Peas or Salad Selection (v)
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