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Newsletter 27th September 2024

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who came and supported our Fundraising for Macmillan today.

This year, Reception, led the event and held their 'cake and play' first thing followed by a general coffee morning in the hall.

Thank you to Mrs Harrington and the EYFS staff for organising the 'cake and play' and to Mrs Burcher for organising everything else and baking such lovely cakes.

Thank you to everyone who sent in cakes and baking...it was all delicious!

We raised a fantastic £340.00



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Exciting news!

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded a Local Schools Nature Grant, thanks to the People's Postcode Lottery. Our pupils will be benefitting from:

A storm kettle kit worth £115

A wildbird kit worth £160

A large wildlife camera kit worth £220

As well as a training session for all staff to support ideas for teaching outside.

We are delighted and this and want to thank Mrs Burcher for taking the time to apply for this for our school. We can't wait to get started when it arrives in school.



**Learning
through
Landscapes**

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Thank you to Accrington Stanley FC

Thank you to **Accrington Stanley** for your generosity during the BIG SHIRT giveaway on Tuesday! The year 3 children absolutely loved their shirts and gifts 🏆❤️



Sponsored Walk –

THIS WILL NOW TAKE PLACE ON TUESDAY 1ST OCTOBER

Please send your child to school in warm, layered clothes on **TUESDAY** as well as a change of clothes in case they get muddy/wet. Please send them with appropriate footwear e.g. wellies, walking boots, trainers (that you don't mind getting muddy).

School dinners etc will all run as normal on this day.

Communication via Dojo

Please read the email sent earlier in the week with regards to using Class Dojo to message the teachers.

Discussing your child's Additional needs

Please can we remind parents to contact the class teachers as the first point of communication when you need information about the additional support your child receives in class or if you have any worries or questions. Although our SENCO, Kate Taylor, is available through email as the coordinator, she is only onsite once a fortnight and your child's class teacher is more appropriate to ask about support, intervention and plans. Thank you.

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Dates for your diaries

Tues 1 st	Sponsored Walk
Tues 1 st Oct	Year 6 School Council Speeches in classrooms pm
Thurs 3 rd Oct	James Bovenizer in school PM for years 5/6
Fri 4 th Oct	School council voting in the hall
Mon 7 th Oct	OPEN DAY for Sept 2025 starters Kate Taylor SENCO in school all day
Tues 8 th Oct	Life Education all day in school
Wed 9 th Oct	Life Education all day in school
Thurs 10 th Oct	James Bovenizer in school PM for years 5/6 World Mental Health Day – children can wear yellow
Fri 11 th Oct	12pm-3pm – Year 5 out at Crucial Crew event
Mon 14 th Oct	Tempest Photography for Individual and family photos PTA Cake Sale
Wed 16 th Oct	Rainbow Day – wear Rainbow colours
Thurs 17 th Oct	James Bovenizer in school PM for years 5/6
Fri 18 th Oct	Harvest Service at St Helen’s Church – more information to follow Finish for half term at normal time

PE Days – The PE days for classes will be the following for September:

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

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Clubs Autumn Term 2024

	What	Who	Teacher	When	Start Date
Tues	Netball	Years 5&6	Mrs Burcher	3.20pm-4.15pm	17 th September
	Football	Years 5-6	Mr Stell	3.20pm-4.15pm	17 th September
Wed	Cross Country	Years 4-6	Mrs Hartley	3.20pm-4.15pm	11 th September
	Spanish Club	Year 1 and 2	Mrs Pickering	3.20pm-4pm	18 th September
	Choir	Years 3-6	Mrs Jones	Lunchtime	18 th September
Thurs	Cooking Club	Year 1 and 2	Mrs Harrington	3.20pm-4.15pm	26 th September
Fri	Judo	Years 3-6	Club 62 Judo – Nathon Burns	3.20pm-4.20pm	20 th September

SENCO drop in sessions



Mrs Taylor, our SENCO, will be available on the following dates in the Autumn Term 2024.

- Monday 7th October
- Monday 30th October
- Monday 4th November
- Monday 18th November
- Monday 2nd December
- Tuesday 16th December

If you would like to meet with Kate to discuss your child's additional needs, please email senco@wwb.lancs.sch.uk SEND queries must now be emailed to senco@wwb.lancs.sch.uk This email address will be checked weekly by either Mrs White or Mrs Taylor. If there are any urgent questions or concerns in relation to classroom support, intervention or plans, please don't hesitate to contact the class teacher.

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Attendance

Week commencing 23rd September 2024

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

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	95.3%
Year 1	94.0%
Year 2	99.0%
Year 3	95.9%
Year 4	98.5%
Year 5	96.5%
Year 6	94.8%

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@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

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