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**NEWSLETTER**

**Week Beginning Monday 16th September**

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to another school year! We hope you had a good summer. The children are now in to their third week and have all settled well in to their new classes.

Good Work and Good Behaviour

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| friday 6th september | | Writer of  the week |
| **Y 5/6** | Lily Rose, Mircea, Ellie | Aimee  Shay |
| **Y3/4** | Tyler, Oliver, Finley | Amelia |
| **Y1/2** | Alek, Madison, Poppy | Sienna |
| **EYFS** | Whole class |  |

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| friday 13th SEPTEMBER | | Writer of  the week |
| **Y 5/6** | Nathan, Lily Lowe | Leiam  Thomas |
| **Y3/4** | Lucy Taylor, Kurtis, Dayle | Lucy Ives |
| **Y1/2** | Luke, Maycie, Adin | Ava B |
| **EYFS** | Aida, Braydon, Mia | Anaya |

ATTENDANCE

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|  |  | w/b 6/9 |  | w/b 13/9 |
| y5/6 | 97.4% | 0 | 98.2% | 3 |
| y3/4 | 98% | 5 | 94.4% | 9 |
| y1/2 | 96.4% | 1 | 93.9% | 4 |
| rec | 98.2% | 0 | 97.2% | 3 |
| overall | 97.5% |  | 95.9% |  |

Staffing update

Please find the confirmed staffing structure for classes for this year below. Mrs Johanson will continue to be supporting as Deputy Head teacher but will not have a class responsibility. We also welcome Mrs Sarah Partington who will also be supporting as Associate Head teacher.

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| Year 5/6 | Mr Brammer |
| Year 3/4 | Mrs Chadwick and Miss Dawson |
| Year 1/2 | Miss Vause |
| FSU | Mrs Williams |

DINNER MONEY

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a free lunch at school.

The children in Year 3 now will need to pay for school dinners from September unless they apply for free school meals. .

FLU VACCINATIONS

Letters have been sent home regarding flu vaccinations. Can you please return these to school as soon as possible. Flu vaccinations will take place in school on **Tuesday 8th October.**

PARENTS EVENINGS

We will be holding our Autumn term parents evening on **Wednesday 9th October**. This is a great opportunity for you to meet your child’s new class teacher. We look forward to seeing you all there! Letters will be sent home this week for you to sign up for an appointment.

ALDI SPORTS STICKERS

Aldi’s Kit for Schools promotion is giving 20 primary schools the chance to win £20,000 to kick-start a health legacy for their school. What’s more, every school who enters by completing their Aldi’s Kit for Schools poster will also receive an exclusive school sports kit! You can collect a sticker with every £30 spent in store and fill up your school’s poster for a chance to win. **Please can you send stickers in to school if you shop at Aldi!!**

ROBINWOOD

We have organised a Residential for our Y5/6 children to Robinwood in March. Thank you for the deposits already received. There are still places if your child would like to go. Please send a £20 deposit in to school to secure their place. Payment cards will be sent home in the next couple of weeks. A parents meeting will be arranged in the New Year!

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

If your child has their 4th birthday between 1st Sept 19 and 31st August 20, they will be due to strat in Reception class next September. You will need to complete the online form for Primary Admissions at :

[**www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools**](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools)

**The deadline for completing the form is 15th January 2020.**

**YOU WILL STILL NEED TO APPLY FOR A PRIMARY PLACE EVEN IF YOUR CHILD ATTENDS THE SCHOOL NURSERY!**

Secondary admissions are open now and need to be applied for through the link above. **The deadline for Secondary admissions is Oct 31st.**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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| Macmillan Coffee Morning | **Fri 27th Sept** |
| Flu Vaccinations | **Tues 8th Oct** |
| Parents Evening | **Wed 9th Oct** |
| School Street Party 50 yr  Celebration for children | **Wed 16th Oct** |
| School finishes for half term | **Fri 18th Oct** |
| School Opens Autumn term 2 | **Mon 28th Oct** |

Thank you for your ongoing support!!

Mrs Johanson

Deputy Headteacher