



Caring for Everyone, Learning Together, Achievement for All

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Friday Newsletter

Well done to all our children who have been awarded the Golden Jumper this week!



KS1 – Ava Hodgson

Nursery – Edward Bujok

LKS2 – Eleanor Binley

Reception – Lewis Edwards

UKS2 – Lucy Johnson

Celebration Assembly dates:

Each term classes will be holding a celebration assembly. This may take the form of sharing the work they have done in class or share their understanding of one of the school values in the form of worship. These assemblies will take place in church beginning at 2.45pm. Parents and relatives are warmly invited to the celebration. All children will be dismissed from church on these days so please collect your child from there even if you do not attend the assembly.



22nd October – KS1 (Years 1 and 2) Celebration assembly.

5th November – UKS2 (Years 5 and 6) Celebration assembly.

19th November - LKS2 (Years 3 and 4) Celebration assembly.

26th November – EYFS (Nursery and Reception) Celebration assembly.



Thank you:

Thank you to everyone who has come forward with donations of time and resources – it is very much appreciated!

A special thank you goes to Lakes Landscapes who donated flowers for the garden and also came to plant them on the weekend.





Information:

As a school we rely on the support of our parents and community. We are very lucky to have the Friends of Beetham School (FOBS) who have supported the development of the field and helped to raise funds for the track – of which we are extremely grateful!

FOBS are always looking for new members – this can be in a supportive role or more active on the committee. If you would like to find out more about the FOBS and/or volunteer some of your time then please come to the AGM on Wednesday 29th September. It will be held at the Wheatsheaf, Beetham starting at 7.30pm.

The cake raffle will begin on Friday 24th September before and after the Michaelmas service.

Reminders:

Michaelmas service at church on Friday 24th September at 2.45pm. Family and friends warmly invited.

Swimming for KS2 on Tuesday afternoon.

EYFS and KS1 PE days are Monday and Thursday.

KS2 PE days are Wednesday and Friday.

Harvest Festival at church Friday 1st October at 2.15pm. Family and friends warmly invited.

Year group specific information:

EYFS
<p>Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)/Communication & Language (C&L) – Scarf – Me and My Relationships</p> <p>Physical Development (PD) - Dance, Games, Dough Disco, Squiggle Whilst You Wiggle,</p> <p>Literacy – thinking about ourselves and what we like/dislike. Learn to describe ourselves in words; write our own names and those of people we love. Reading with adults in school. Guided Reading in groups.</p> <p>Phonics – Phase 1 focusing on rhyming, segmenting and blending</p> <p>Maths – Just Like Me – Matching and sorting</p> <p>Expressive Art and Design (EAD) - making angels for Michaelmas Service</p> <p>Technology - we will be exploring our environment and capturing still images using digital tools.</p> <p>RE – Why Am I Special To God?</p>
KS1
<p>Maths: Year 1 are continuing to investigate numbers to 20 through reasoning and problem solving activities, Year 2 are continuing to investigate place value in numbers to 100 through reasoning and problem solving activities.</p> <p>English: Year 1 and Year 2 will be doing cross-curricular work involving History by investigating the life of Louis Braille.</p>
KS2
<p style="text-align: center;">Topic</p> <p>Science this half term is learning about 'Amazing Magnets.' We will be investigating and measuring pushes and pulls before learning more about magnets and magnetic materials.</p>

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Year 5 and 6 Music this half term explores Rock music with a main focus on Bon Jovi's 'Livin' on a Prayer'. We will be playing, singing and moving along to this as well as other well-known Rock songs. Year 3 and 4 will be learning about Abba with the main focus being on Mamma Mia.

Year 3 and 4	Year 5 and 6
<p data-bbox="326 338 545 369">English and Maths</p> <p data-bbox="115 373 756 443">This week in English we will be looking at the use of similes and powerful adjectives to create atmosphere.</p> <p data-bbox="94 478 777 653">In maths we will be continuing to look at the value of digits within numbers to help us to order and compare as well as beginning to look at rounding and Roman Numerals. We will also be practising our timestables using the app 'Hit the button'.</p>	<p data-bbox="1057 338 1276 369">English and Maths</p> <p data-bbox="805 373 1534 512">In Maths this week we will start revising our written multiplication methods before applying them to reasoning and problem-solving activities. We will also be revising properties of numbers and prime numbers.</p> <p data-bbox="805 516 1534 690">In English, we will be finding out what happens next to Varjak Paw as he leaves the safety of the Contessa's house. We will be extending our reading and writing skills as we explore each chapter. We will also continue to identify features of explanations and write our own explanations.</p>

Have a lovely weekend everyone!