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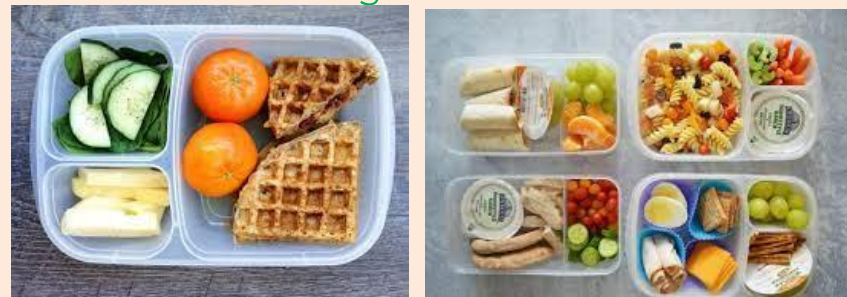
Harvest Celebration

Our harvest celebration will take place in school on Tuesday 5th October. Each class is preparing a contribution to present to the rest of school – I have already seen some wonderful poems and art work. Although parents/carers are not invited to this event (which we may have to hold virtually – depending on the situation next week) everyone can contribute by bringing in food for a local Food Bank. If every family could donate 2 or 3 tins or packets that will make such a difference in our community. Many thanks in advance.



We are collecting tins and dried food for the Food Bank at Living Waters Church – please send in your contribution with your child any day next week.

Healthy Lunchboxes



We are keen to help our children understand what a healthy diet consists of and to support them in developing good eating habits.

The Eatwell Guide, encourages a lunchbox to contain:

- a starchy food, e.g. potatoes, bread, rice, pasta;
- plenty of fruit and vegetables, e.g. carrot sticks, an apple, sliced cucumber;
- a source of protein, e.g. beans, pulses, egg, fish, meat;
- a healthy drink, e.g. water, semi-skimmed milk.

We have noticed that some lunch boxes contain no fruit or vegetables. Please try and include 1 or 2 fruit or veg items. Chocolate bars and sweets are not suitable for lunch boxes – please keep these for a treat at home.

There are lots of ideas for healthy choices on the link below:

<https://www.nhs.uk/change4life/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes>



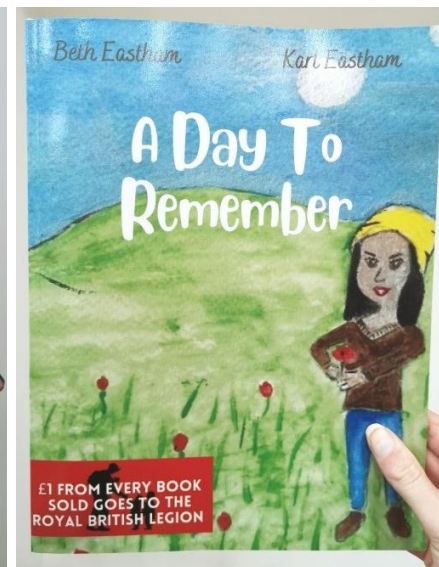
Thank you to everyone who has supported the book fair so far. We have already sold £500 worth of books and we are only half way through! This means lots of new books for school. On Monday and Tuesday Junior children will view the books in school in their class bubbles - parents can send in cash in a named envelope and children can purchase a book of their choice. The book prices range from £2.99 to £10.00. Change will be given. Junior parents will not attend the Book Fair in person with their children but you can browse together online. ORDERING ONLINE - You can browse books and pay on line <https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/parents>

Thank you for your support, Mr Howard

Chorley Community Helpline

A number of voluntary, charity and faith groups in Chorley have come together to launch the Chorley Community Helpline. This free phone helpline will allow individuals to access the emergency food support they require from a local group. Telephone: 0800 368 8452

If you are struggling with things at home we can always provide a listening ear in school and, if needed, signpost you to services who can provide help. Sarah Martin, our Pupil and Family Support Worker is available to speak to families on Wednesdays, but you can contact us anytime.



Congratulations

Our very own Miss Eastham has had her first book published. That is fantastic news – well done! I wonder how many of our children will go on to be authors?

'A Day to Remember' is aimed at children aged 3-7 to introduce the significance of Remembrance Day. It takes into account the EYFS Development Matters (2021) and National Curriculum making it an educational tool to support children's historical skills, knowledge and curiosity. Learning elements include:

Discussing language such as "courageous" and "brave"

Empathy - Putting yourself in a soldier's shoes

Comparisons of past and present

Chronology - People in illustrations wearing different clothing to that that we see today. What else has changed?

£1 from every book sold goes to the Royal British Legion to help them continue to support the fantastic Armed Forces Community. The book is available on Amazon (remember to use Amazon Smile!) I have ordered one for EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2.

**SCHOOL
ADMISSIONS
PRIMARY**

APPLY NOW!

at [lancashire.gov.uk/schools](https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools)

**School and Academy
places September 2022**

You must apply if your child has a 4th birthday
between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022.

You must apply even if an older brother or sister is
already at the school, or the school is linked to your
child's nursery.

If you're a non-Lancashire resident apply through
your own local authority.

Please read the admission criteria for your chosen
schools on the website or get a copy from them.

**CLOSING DATE
15 JANUARY 2022**

School transport

Need transport to school?
Please don't forget to check
your eligibility for free transport.
Search 'school transport'
at [lancashire.gov.uk](https://www.lancashire.gov.uk)

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If you shop with Amazon sign up to Amazon Smile and select our
school – everytime you shop school will receive a donation at no
extra cost to you. <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1026396-0>

Applying for School Places

Parents/carers can now apply for primary and
secondary school places:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place>

Deadlines to apply for a school place for September
2022:

- 31st October 2021 for secondary school places
- 15th January 2022 for reception places

Parents' Evenings

Parents' Evenings will be held in the week commencing on the
11th October. This is a valuable opportunity to discuss how
your child has settled in and what their targets are.
Email your child's teacher to make an appointment if you
haven't already.

Password Resets

If you have forgotten your child's password for Office 365 -
OneNote and Teams, please email Mr Howard
p.howard@clayton-le-woods.lancs.sch.uk with your child's
name and a new one will be emailed back as soon as
possible.



CLAYTON-LE-WOODS PRIMARY
SCHOOL INVITE YOU TO ATTEND
OUR:

**OPEN EVENING
FOR
PROSPECTIVE
PRE-SCHOOL
AND RECEPTION
PARENTS**

TIME: 6PM
DATE: WEDNESDAY 20TH OCTOBER
2021
WHERE: CLAYTON-LE-WOODS C OF E
PRIMARY SCHOOL,
BACK LANE,
PR6 7EU

Merit and Manners

With a new school year started, our Celebration Worships on Monday have begun. Each week, we share the success of our fantastic children in school with each class having two children who receive a certificate for demonstrating excellent Manners or significant Merit in a particular area of school life.

Within our worships, there is also a special time where we get to celebrate achievements from outside school. This is where I need your help! Has your child accomplished something that they are particularly pleased with? For example, learning to ride their bike, learning to swim, raised money for a local charity or scored the winning goal!

I would hugely appreciate if you could share a picture with me and a brief description of their achievement and I will share on a Monday. Simply email me at: p.howard@clayton-le-woods.lancs.sch.uk with the subject title CELEBRATION and your child could be appearing on the big screen!



Upcoming Dates

October	
Tuesday 5 th	Harvest Celebration
Week beginning 11 th October	Parents' Evenings
Wednesday 20 th	Open Evening for prospective Pre-School and Reception parents for Sept 2022
Monday 25 th to Friday 29 th	Half term Break
November	
Friday 5 th	Nasal Flu vaccinations Reception to Y6
Thursday 11 th	Year 1 vision check
December	
Thursday 16 th	Candlelight Service in church – 6pm

FIND newsletter

Newsletter for parents and carers of, and professionals working with, children and young people with SEND.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities/getting-help/family-information-network-directory/>



FREE gardening equipment for our school

For every £10 you spend (in store or online) at Morrisons, you'll get a Grow Token to help school get everything we need to get growing. Download the MyMorrisons app to start collecting Grow Tokens and choose our school. Download on Apple App Store>> or Google Play>>

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Our next outdoor project is to complete the digging out of the pond in our garden area. We will be asking for volunteers again soon – get your wellies ready! If anyone can borrow a mini-excavator for a short while please let us know – we would really appreciate that.



Worship

Our worship this half term is about Prayer. We are exploring each section of the Lord's Prayer. This week we thought about, 'Give us today our daily bread' which is asking God to supply our basic needs.



We also looked at Harvest Traditions around the world and the different ways in which people celebrate. Finally we have thought about people who don't have enough to eat and ways in which we can help. One of which is giving to the Local Food bank.



Crossing Patrol Vacancy

If you know anyone who might be interested please pass on this information.

For more information, or a general discussion, call Terry Watters the Area Organiser on 07831309578.



THE VOICE KIDS 2022 APPLY NOW!

The Voice Kids is back and we're looking for super talented **SOLO SINGERS & DUOS** who have what it takes to take over The Voice Kids stage!

If you know any 7-14 year olds who want their voices to be heard, we want to hear from you!

For more information about how to enter go to
itv.com/beontv/thevoicekids
or **stv.tv/voicekids**

Applications close on
Friday 29th October 2021

We reserve the right to extend the closing date at our discretion

Other eligibility criteria and terms and conditions also apply
(see entry form for full details).

Personal data provided by you will be collected
and processed in accordance with the
privacy notices set out in the entry form.

