



Childwall CE Primary School

Newsletter

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Welcome back to all of our school family as we enter the summer term (always my favourite!) It's been fabulous to share some lovely weather this week – a little glimpse for us all of the summer ahead, hopefully.

We are all incredibly proud of Mrs Duckworth who, as many of you will know, is running the London Marathon this weekend and, most importantly, raising funds for 'Mind' – Anyone who might still want to contribute to Mrs Duckworth's fantastic fundraising efforts (this is her 3rd and final race in recent weeks) please see the details further in this newsletter.

Congratulations to Mr Dutton (and all the lovely Dutton family) on the safe arrival of a baby girl, Indi, who is absolutely beautiful! Mr Dutton will be returning to school next week following paternity leave.

We would also like to wish Mrs Mullane a long, happy and healthy retirement after many years here with us in school. Thankfully, we will still be able to 'catch up' with Mrs Mullane when she collects her lovely grandchildren from school.

Congratulations to all of the children who formed our newly-appointed school council – they have already met and made plans for enhancements to all the children's time in school and Mrs Duckworth and I were guided by them when we put together an order for lots of exciting new playground equipment to use through the summer term.

Have a lovely, restful weekend.

"And the child grew and became strong; He was full of wisdom and God's blessings were upon Him." (Luke 2:40)



School Values Certificate

This week's certificates were awarded to children: **For an excellent start to the new term.**

- Class 1: Keira and Oscar
- Class 2: Oliver and Rose
- Class 3: Annie and Seth
- Class 4: Harper and Lucca
- Class 5 Phoebe, Jasmine and Alex
- Class 6: Edward and Sarah
- Class 7: Harriette and Luis
- Class 8: Joseph and Jonah
- Class 9: Emily and Poppy
- Class 10: George, Arron and Connie
- Class 11: Joseph and Hannah
- Class 12: Jacob and Samuel
- Class 13: Maliha and Sophie
- Class 14: Poppy and Ronny



- Class 1: Arthur - Friendship
- Class 2: George - Friendship
- Class 3: Joshua - Compassion
- Class 4: Alistair - Thankfulness
- Class 5: Lilia-Kindness and Friendship
- Class 6: Honor – Compassion and Friendship
- Class 7: Torsten - Friendship
- Class 8: Jack - Compassion
- Class 9: Max - Friendship
- Class 10: Mia - Kindness
- Class 11: Harry - Friendship
- Class 12: Elsie - Compassion
- Class 13: George – Friendship and Compassion
- Class 14: Joshua - Friendship

House Points

House points are an important part of our school and we get excited each week to see who the winners are! We receive house points for working hard, trying our best, being kind to others and upholding our school's Christian values.

Class winners	
Class 3	Joy
Class 4	Hope
Class 5	Faith
Class 6	Joy
Class 7	Hope
Class 8	Joy
Class 9	Joy
Class 10	Hope
Class 11	Peace
Class 12	Hope
Class 13	Hope
Class 14	Peace

Whole school winner

Congratulations to this week's winners!

Joy

Well done to children from all four houses who have worked so hard to earn house points this week.

A message from Mrs Duckworth



Raising money for:

I am currently training to complete the London Marathon and I am going to try and raise as much money for MIND as possible by completing 3 running challenges:

1st Challenge - Chester 10K on Sunday 12th March **(Completed)**

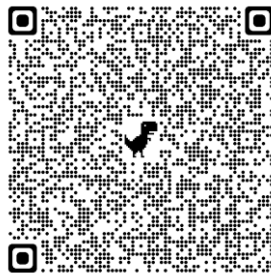
2nd Challenge - Liverpool Half Marathon on Sunday 26th March **(Completed)**

3rd Challenge - London Marathon on Sunday 23rd April- **This weekend!!**

If you would like to sponsor me, I have shared the link to my 'JustGiving' page below. I will keep you posted about my achievement for each challenge.

To donate click here: www.justgiving.com/Lynn-Duckworth16

or scan the QR code which will take you to my 'JustGiving' page.



Thanks for all your support,
Mrs Duckworth

Update: I've been working hard over the holidays to fit in as many miles as possible in preparation for the big race on Sunday. All the support I am receiving from my family and our school community is really helping though so thank you so much for your support. I just wanted to share a message sent to my JustGiving page:



This couldn't have been achieved without all your support, so thank you! Please keep me in your thoughts this weekend for a safe run.

EYFS

This week, we were all very excited to return to school and see all of our friends after our lovely two-week break. Our learning has centred around the story of 'Naughty Bus' written by Jan and Jerry Oke. This funny story takes us on an adventure with a 'naughty' toy bus who decides to make some wrong choices, one of which ended up getting the toy bus in danger. Thankfully, the toy bus was saved by a rescue vehicle. The story helped us to consider why making the right choice is important and it also inspired us to learn about the different types of transport that we have in our community and how they can help us. We then enjoyed exploring how transport has changed over time and then building our own vehicles. Look at our amazing bus that we built in our garden! Finally, we learned about teen numbers and how these numbers are made up with tens and ones.



Year 1

This week the Year 1s have been learning about teeth as part of our science topics. Did you know that different animals have different teeth depending on their diets? Also, there are 3 different types of animal diet and if you ask me, I should be able to tell you all about them. The best part of our learning was making our own animal teeth out of clay.

In our History lesson we learnt about an amazing female aviator called Amelia Earhart. She was the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean. Unfortunately, she went missing in her plane one day and no one knows what happened to her so we have made our own "missing" posters to see if we can find out what happened. I'm sure you will agree we have had a very fun and interesting first week of term.



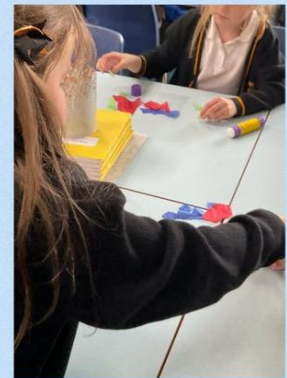
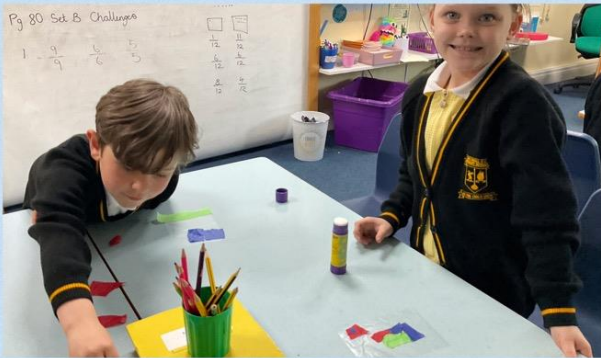
Year 2

This week, in Science, we applied our understanding of life processes to classify different things around school. The children did a brilliant job classifying things they found as either alive, dead or never alive. We then used microscopes to look closely at our objects to understand them better. Well done Year 2.



Year 3

Year 3 have been creating their own stained glass this week. When they are all finished, they are going to be put together to create a beautiful display for everyone in our school to enjoy.



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Year 3 enjoyed PE in the sun during their first week back. Class 7 and Class 8 engaged brilliantly in a range of team building activities. In the pictures below, the children are attempting to complete 'The Human Knot' challenge. The children worked fantastically in groups and used fantastic communication skills throughout the activities. Well done, Year 3!



Enjoying PE in the sun



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Year 4

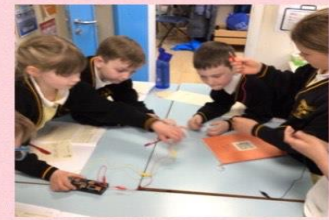


We were all very excited to start our new History topic, The Tudors. We visited the timeline to see how this era fitted in with the other topics we have covered.



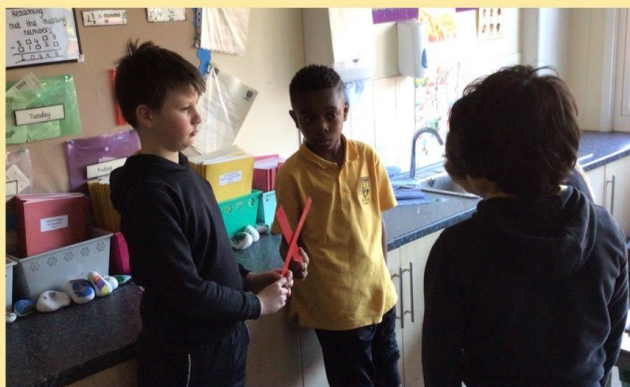
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In science this week we have been looking at Electrical circuits. We discovered how to create a closed circuit and light the bulb.



Year 5

Year 5 have had an amazing first week back after half term and have worked super hard! The children have enjoyed getting outside and enjoying the sunshine as well as interesting art, science and RE lessons. In our RE lessons, we are exploring the fall of Adam and Eve; the children had lots of fun creating freeze frames showing what it is like to fall. In science the children were testing water resistance and how quickly or slowly objects sink. The children created fabulous playdoh shapes and timed how quickly or slowly they hit the bottom. Well done on another fabulous week, Year 5; we are very proud of you!



RE-THINKING ABOUT THE FALL





WATER RESISTANCE IN SCIENCE



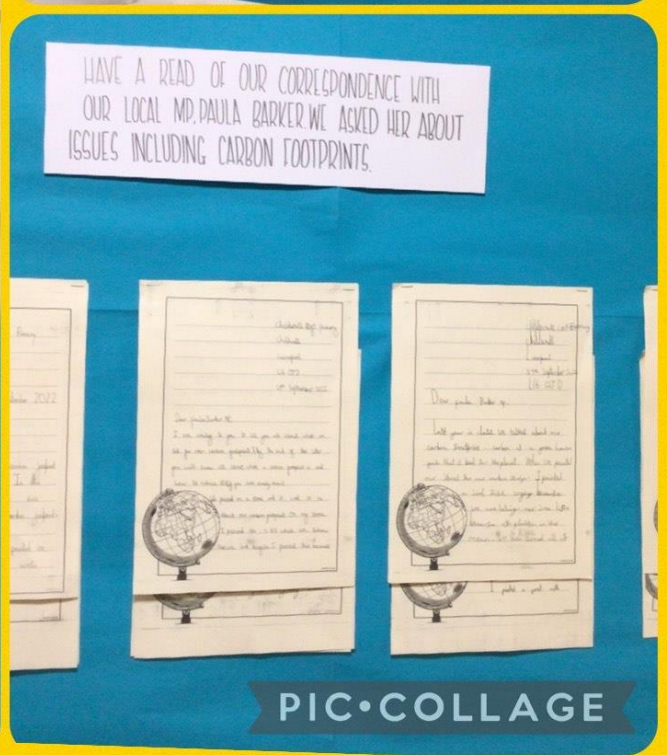
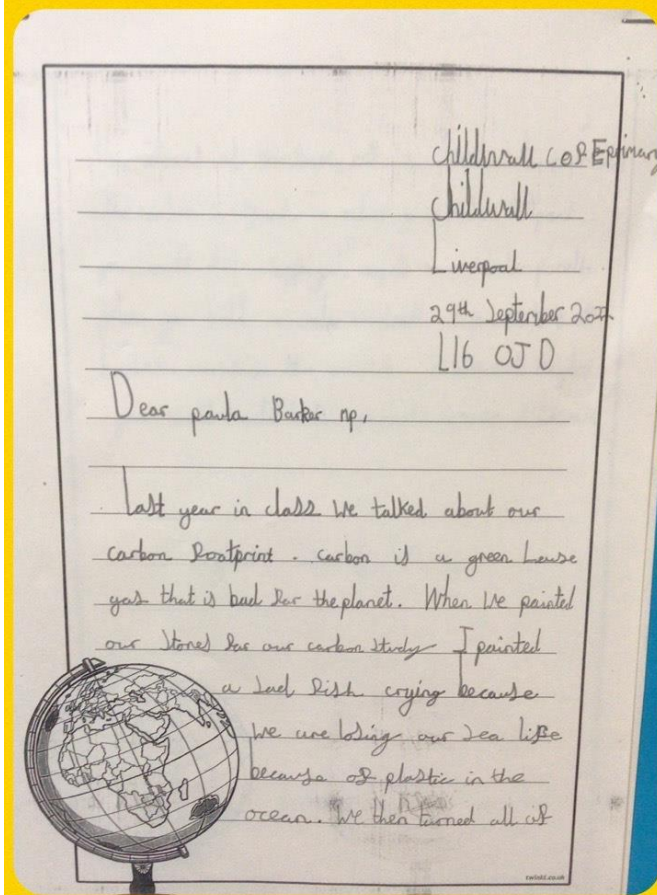
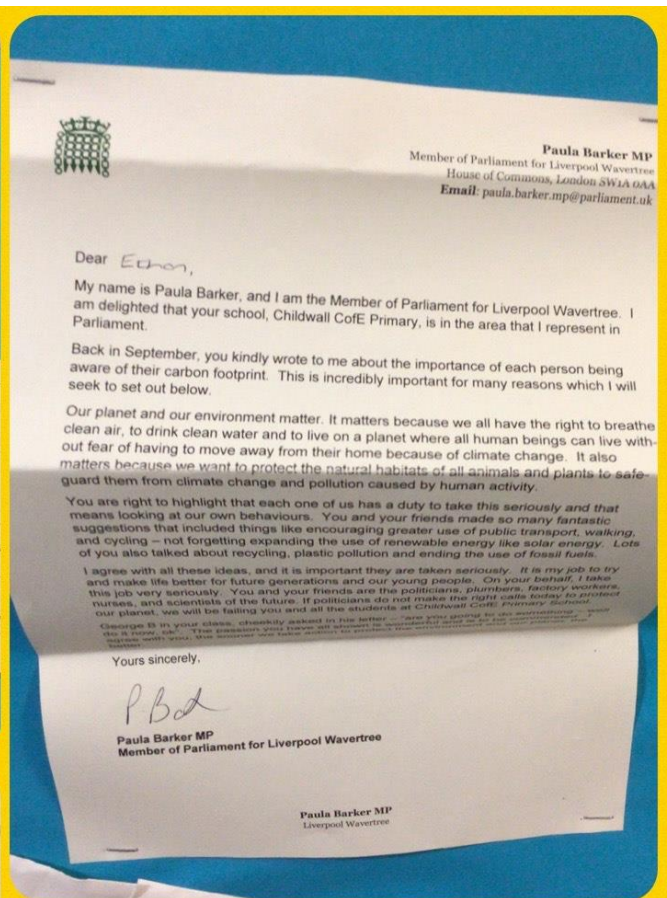
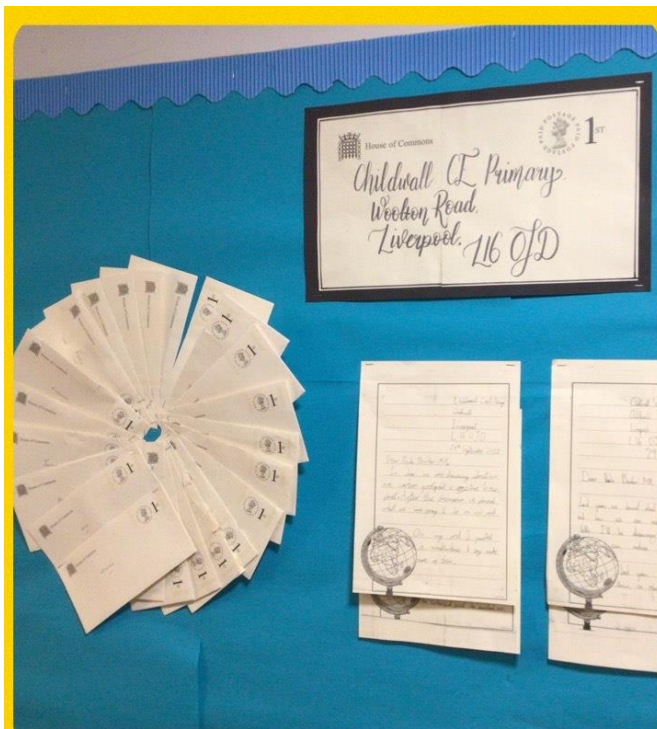
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Year 6

Roni has very kindly brought some treats in to allow Class 14 to join him in his celebration of Eid!



Year 6 excitedly received their replies from Paula Barker this week on official House of Commons stationery! These are staying in school for now as there is a wonderful display showcasing this in school. Pop down to Year 6 to have a read!



School Council

'A big congratulations to our wonderful 10 students, who have been chosen to represent their class in our school council. We have had our first meeting and the children made lots of brilliant suggestions on how we can continue to improve our school setting. Exciting things to come. Well done!'



Wonderful Words!

This week, the children have been learning to use fantastic vocabulary across the curriculum. Can your child explain the meaning of their word to you?

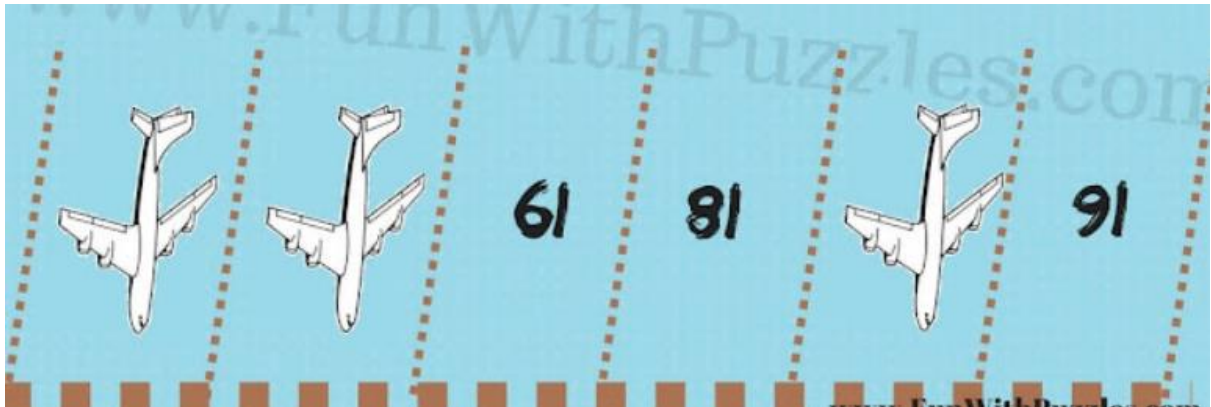
This week's words:

EYFS transport	Year 1 Pacific Ocean	Year 2 half	
Year 3 Roman Empire	Year 4 dynasty	Year 5 Installation Art	Year 6 scissor jump

Summer Term Maths Puzzle

Have a go at solving this puzzle. Remember to send your solutions to maths@childwallce.com. The solution will be revealed at the end of April.

Which numbers are the planes parked on?



Attendance for wb 17th April 2023

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	Class 6	Class 7	Class 8	Class 9	Class 10	Class 11	Class 12	Class 13	Class 14
95.3%	96.8%	95.9%	99.3%	97%	96.7%	99.1%	98.1%	99.4%	96.6%	98.4%	99.7%	97.9%	100%

Whole school attendance= 98%

Congratulations to Class 14 on 100% attendance all week, and to Classes 4, 7, 9 and 12 for being so very close!

We continue to share our attendance figures weekly to encourage the best possible school attendance for each of our children, knowing that research shows a very strong link between children's attendance and their success and progress in learning and relationships/friendships.

Individual children's attendance certificates for the school year so far will be shared with you at our teacher & family progress meetings next week.



Are you a Parent /Carer
of a child or young person with Special Educational Needs and/or
Disabilities

Come and join us

SEND Coffee Morning

Support, advice, signposting and our Sensory Store

Tuesday 2nd May

Childwall C of E Primary School

10am -11.30am



The ASD Training Team

The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of **Virtual Group Drop-in** advisory sessions via Zoom.

They are for parents/carers who have any questions or concerns about their child, in regard to social communication difficulties or waiting for an ASD assessment. It is also an opportunity to speak with an ASD trainer and other parents.

The sessions will be one half hours long, you can choose to join anytime within the time slot or stay for the duration. You do not require a diagnosis to book your place.

Date:

Wednesday 26th April - 9.30am – 11am

Friday 26th May - 9.30am – 11am

Friday 26th May – 1pm – 2.30pm

Tuesday 30th May – 9.30am – 11.am

Tuesday 30th May – 1pm – 2.30pm

Thursday 1st June – 9.30am – 11.am

Thursday 1st June - 1pm – 2.30pm

If you would like to book onto one of the sessions, please

email: asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk



The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of virtual drop-in advisory sessions via Zoom. They are for parent/carers wishing to talk in a private one to one setting about any questions or concerns they may have about their child. You do not require a diagnosis of ASD to book your place.

Date and time

Tuesday 25 th April 2023	9.30 – 10.15
Wednesday 10 th May 2023	10.30 – 11.15
Tuesday 23 rd May 2023	11.30 – 12.15
Wednesday 24 th May 2023	1.00 – 1.45
Thursday 25 th May 2023	2.00 – 2.45
Friday 2 nd June 2023	

To book your place please email your choice of date and time and you will be emailed a Zoom link. There are two places available for each time slot.

asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk



Thank You God for our food today



Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal We provide a variety of seasonal hot and cold dishes for children to freely choose from	Homemade Wholemeal Pizza served with Wedges and Beans or Coleslaw	Homemade Spanish Chicken served with Rice and Green Beans	Homemade Macaroni Cheese topped with Chilli con Carne	Meatball Sub Served with Fresh Salad and Tortilla Chips	Homemade Battered Fish with Chips and Minted Mushy Peas
Alternative Jacket potatoes with tuna and other fillings available daily	Pesto Pasta	Roasted Pepper Tomato Quiche	Vegetarian Chilli with Rice	Vegetable and Cheese Quesadillas	Veggie Curry with Rice
Homemade Soup	Chef Choice	Split Pea	Chinese Sweetcorn	Leek and Potato	Chef Choice
Starchy Food Various bread choices available	Homemade Pizza Base	Rice	Pasta	Bread	Chips
Vegetables Salad Bar with Hummus	Carrots	Green Beans	Mushrooms	Tomatoes and Cucumber	Mushy Peas
Dessert Fresh fruit, selection of low-fat yoghurts and homemade puddings available every lunch time	Fresh Fruit Salad Mixed Yoghurts	Vanilla Cheesecake Fresh Fruit	Wet Nelly and Custard Yoghurts	Apple Flapjacks Fresh Fruit	Cheese and Crackers Mixed Flavour Yoghurts

Ask for daily chef specials

All our meat is sourced from local suppliers, we use free range eggs and organic flour where possible. All our fruit and vegetables are locally sourced where possible. Halal options available.

Food For Thought is a not-for-profit school meals company owned by it's partner schools. Any surplus is reinvested in the company or returned to its member schools.

GOOD FOOD CULTURE

A reminder of the options for school dinners:

1. Packed Lunch for Junior Children
2. Packed Lunch with Fishy Friday for Junior Children
3. School Dinner

Once you have selected an option, this will need to remain the option for the remainder of the half term. This ensures that our kitchen staff are able to order and prepare the correct number of school meals. The cost of a school dinner is £2.00 per day and must be paid for **weekly in advance**. All infant children receive a Universal Free School Meal.

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 25th April	Teacher/Family Progress Meetings 1:15-6:15 pm Year 4, 5 and 6
Wednesday 26th April	Virtual Teacher/Family Progress Meetings
Thursday 27th April	Teacher/Family Progress Meetings 1:15-6:15 pm EYFS, Year 1, 2 and 3
Monday 1st May	Bank holiday – school closed
Monday 8th May	Bank holiday – school closed
Tuesday 16th May	Year 1 to Knowsley Safari Park
Wednesday 17th May	Class photos
Monday 22nd May - Wednesday 24th May	Year 6 – 2 night residential at PGL
Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June	HALF TERM

Monday 5th June	INSET day – school closed
Tuesday 6th June	School reopens for summer term 2
Tuesday 27th June	Year 4 - Calderstones Park
Tuesday 27th June	Year 6 Leavers' Service at Hope Chapel
Wednesday 5th July	Y6 Common Transfer Day
Wednesday 5th July	Children to meet new teacher for next year
Tuesday 4th, Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th July	Drama Club production
Tuesday 11th July	Sports Day 9:30-10:30 EYFS/KS1 10:45-11:45 KS2 Family members welcome
Wednesday 12th July	Reserve date for Sports Day
Thursday 13th July	Year 5 Adventure Day at Crosby Marina
Monday 17th July – Tuesday 18th July	NEW DATE for Year 2 residential to Barnstondale.
Wednesday 19th July	Year 6 Leavers' Disco
Thursday 20th July	Finish for Summer hols today 1:15pm- 1.30pm



And The Child Grew...Luke 2:40



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