

NEWSLETTER

02/07/21

Congratulations to our Learners of the Week for.....

Year R	Well done to Khaylan- California for your great determination with both phonics and writing. We are also so impressed with how many tricky words you have learnt!	Well done to Hassnain , you try your best with everything you do and always come to school with a smile on your face. Keep it up!
Year 1	Well done to Macey-Mae for always being an extremely kind and helpful member of our class!	Well done to Finley for answering difficult questions in maths and not giving up!
Year 2	Well done to Aashir for setting a super example, for his enthusiasm for learning and always answering questions!	Well done to Lily R for always being a kind and caring friend to others!
Year 3	Well done to EVERYONE in YEAR 3 for a wonderful trip yesterday. You were all a credit to the school showing great behaviour and fantastic scientific knowledge!	
Year 4	Well done to EVERYONE in YEAR 4 for their amazing effort with their end of term assessments. They have put in 100% effort and worked really hard despite the heat!	
Year 5	Well done to Leo for a fantastic positive attitude and always setting a good example!	Well done to Jake for being an amazing mathematician and always making people smile!
Year 6	Well done to Eshan for being more focused in lessons and more resilient when completing tests!	Well done to Kasim for having a more mature attitude towards both learning and social situations as well as making me laugh everyday!

GREAT JOB - YOU have earned 10 dojos!

The school office is open from 8.30am.

Please leave a message on the answer phone before 8.30am.

A member of staff will phone you back when necessary.



Year 3 Farm Visit

Year 3 visited Gazegill Organic Farm yesterday – the farm is near Gisburn. The children had a fantastic day. Here is some of their feedback:

‘I liked stroking all the animals.’ ‘I enjoyed feeding the horses.’

‘I liked the dogs following us all day.’

‘I learnt that pigs are pregnant for 3 months, 3 weeks and 3 days.’

I learnt that they have a fan and leave the spiders in the milking parlour to keep the flies away from the cows.’

‘I learnt how to take care of the animals.’

‘I learnt that on the farm icecream is made from gold top milk, British cream and sugar.’

The staff were very impressed with the children’s scientific knowledge about habitats, animals and plants.

Alison from Pendle Landscape Trust taught the children a song all about trees. You can watch the film clip of the tree song and find more photos on Year 3’s classroom blog.





Nursery and Reception children and staff are due back in school on Monday 5th July – we look forward to seeing you then!

Transition Afternoon 3

All children from Year 1 to Year 6 had their last transition afternoon with staff yesterday. Children remained in their own classroom to reduce risk of covid infection.

We were unable to have the transition afternoon for both our current Reception children and the new Reception children as both Nursery & Reception children & staff are self-isolating until Monday 5th July.

We will reorganise both the transition afternoon for the current Reception children so they can meet Miss. Dexter (their teacher for September) as well as the new Reception children. We will be in touch with parents on Monday to confirm new dates.

Sports Day

All classes from Year 1 to Year 6 completed their Sports Day activities today. Watch out for photos on the blog.

The children had a great day and enjoyed taking part in ten different activities.

Final scores to be announced next Friday after Reception & Nursery children have had their Sports Day.

Do not use a rapid lateral flow test when you have coronavirus symptoms. [Get a PCR test](#) and [self-isolate](#).

Parents can now access lateral flow tests for covid-19 by ordering on the website:

<https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>

Order by phone. Call 119. Lines are open 7am to 11pm and calls are free.

You can also:

- [find a pharmacy where you can collect tests](#)
- [find a local site to get tested at](#)
- [find a local site where you can collect tests](#)
- get tests from your employer (if you cannot work from home)

When your child has a positive lateral flow test result, it is essential that you book a PCR test for your child as soon as possible to confirm that the result is positive. Then inform school so we can decide if anyone needs to self-isolate.

When you or your child has symptoms, you and everyone you live with must immediately [self-isolate](#). Do not leave home until you get your test results, except to post a test kit or for a PCR test appointment.

Remember to tell the school office when your child tests positive OR when your family has to self-isolate because of contact with someone who has tested positive.

During term time you can either phone school (during the school day) OR email covid@weststreet.lancs.sch.uk (outside school hours) to let us know. It is essential that all absences and covid test results are reported to the school, not your child's teacher.

THANKS

Hot school meal plan for next week

Children will still have packed lunches on the days when their year group is **not** having hot school meals – these will either be provided at school or brought in from home.

Week starting Mon 5 th July	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year group bubbles	Reception	Year 1	Reception	Year 1	ALL YEAR GROUPS
	Year 2		Year 2		
	Year 4	Year 3	Year 4	Year 3	
	Year 6	Year 5	Year 6	Year 5	
Meal options	Meatballs & mash OR Tomato pasta	Cheese & potato pie OR BBQ chicken	Macaroni cheese OR Paninis	Curry OR Cheesy omelette	Pizza OR Fish



What's happening in June & July?

Year 6 visit Whitehough	Monday 5th July
Miss. Deen & Miss. Jackson 1:1 meetings with new Reception parents	Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th July
Sports Day 2 – just for Reception & Nursery children	Friday 9th July
Children's end of year reports sent home	Friday 9th July
Year 6 Leavers' performance	Friday 16th July
Last day of this academic year	Friday 16th July Finish at 1.30pm

