## **Anchor News**

Friday 4th July 2025

#### **Diary dates**

### Dates for the academic year can be found on our website



Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July Transition Story Morning Year 6 Performance 6.00-7.30pm



Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July Meet the Teacher 3.30-4.30pm Year 6 Performance 6.00-7.30pm



Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July Music Extravaganza – Instrumental 6.00pm



Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July Dance Squad Summer Showcase 3.30–4.30p,



Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July Music Extravaganza – Choir 3.30pm



Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July Prom & Celebration 5.00pm



Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July Class Awards Assemblies 9.00am School closes for Summer

#### Milk in School

The children in Reception should by now have received a leaflet from Blackpool Council about the Fluoridated milk Primary School Scheme.

This is the type of milk recommended by the NHS Clinical Lead of Dental Services in Blackpool from Year 1 onwards.

We will shortly be sending out a survey to all parents of children in Reception through to Year 5 asking you to choose which milk your child would like from September.

This survey must be completed by 4pm on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July, so that we can place the order before we break up for the summer holidays.

When you get the link, please complete it as soon as you can, as we will be unable to make additions in time for the return in September, if it is not completed on time.

Please complete it even if your child does not want milk or cannot have milk for whatever reason.

Unfortunately, there is no option for an alternative to milk offered by the milk company.

Thank you

#### Headteacher's Message

Yesterday it was transition day and your children met their class teacher for the next academic year. They had a great day and enjoyed working in their new environments. You will have the opportunity to meet your child's new class teacher on Wednesday 9th July at 3.30pm or 4.00pm. We look forward to seeing you then. As you are aware, our choir entered the regional Last Choir Singing Competition, winning their heat and reaching the final. They are the only school to have reached the Grand Final every year since the competition started in 2015. A fantastic achievement. Their performance in the final on Tuesday evening at the Winter Gardens was phenomenal even though they did not win. This of course could not be possible without the dedication and hard work of Mr Jones, Mrs Felvus, Miss Eckersley and Mr Morley. Thank you also to Miss Ellis who supported on the evening. On Wednesday yellow class led assembly. They shared their favourite memories from the first year of their school life. We have some amazing talent and we look forward to seeing how they develop as they transition into year one. A huge thanks must go to Mrs Ward, Ms Haworth and Mrs Spooner for working so hard with the children and enabling them to perform on stage. Next week we are welcoming visitors from Singapore and we are looking forward to showcasing our school.

Have a fabulous weekend. Mrs Barr





# Attendance Matters



All schools have a responsibility to monitor and improve attendance across their school community. We are committed to this responsibility and ensuring that children receive the education to which they are entitled. It is vital that children are in school every day if they are well enough.

## Weekly Attendance

Year Group	Weekly Attendance	Average this year
	Week commencing 30/06/25 97.2%	96.1%
Foundation Stage	96.9%	95.7%
Year 1	93.8%	95.8%
Year 2	96.0%	96.0%
Year 3	95.2%	95.1%
Year 4	98.9%	95.6%
Year 5	95.8%	94.3%
Year 6	351011	

One more week to go until our attendance winners are announced! The clas who has received the weekly attendance award most this term, will be rewarded with an attendance party in school on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July.





### Well done

Well done to Year 5, who have the highest year group attendance this week.

Well done also to Class 4 and Class 8 who both had 100% attendance and won our attendance award this week.

Attendance per class is shared and celebrated in whole-school assembly each week and the class with the highest attendance are presented with our attendance award to display proudly on their classroom door. The class who has won the weekly attendance award the most times across a term win the Attendance Reward. The reward for the spring term was won by Class 6 and they enjoyed a trip to The Backlot Cinema to watch Dogman. This term's winners will have the choice of a visit from the ice cream van, a silent disco on the school field, another cinema trip or something else (to be decided by the children).

At the end of each term, children who have achieved 100% attendance receive a special 100% attendance badge. 100% attendance across one term earns the children a bronze badge. If they achieve 100% attendance across two terms, they receive a silver badge and anyone who achieves 100% attendance across the entire year, receives a special gold badge. So far this year, Mrs Hylton has presented 245 bronze badges and 61 silver badges. At the end of the summer term, the final set of badges will be awarded and we are confident we'll have more bronze and silver as well as some gold badges to present.

Thank you for your ongoing support to ensure your child achieves the best possible school attendance.



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## This week in pictures

#### **Foundation**

Foundation Stage enjoyed their trip to Wyre Estuary Country Park where they completed a scavenger hunt, made dens and played on the equipment.





#### Year 1

In maths, Year 1 have been practicing their number line and collaborative skills. We are hoping to be able to get to 100 this week





#### Year 2

Year 2 are really enjoying their learning in computing, using the Scratch Junior coding app.



#### Year 3

Year 3 have been learning about the functions of plant parts in Science, and refining their rounders skills





#### Year 4

Year 4 have enjoyed creating DT monsters, developing rounders skills and discovering the Tudor Monarch Family Tree.



#### Year 5

Year 5 watching the superb Junior Leadership presentations.



#### Year 6

Year 6 took the next step on their new adventures at high school this week.



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## **Notices**



## The Last Choir Singing









## After School Activities







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