

CULCHETH COMMUNITY



PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 13th February 2026

Today, we round off our very short half term with our now traditional House Day combined with a break the rules day! Thank you for your kind contributions to our school trip fund, which has enabled the PTFA to subsidise and reduce the cost of school trips. This has been a jam packed half term with lots of trips, events and visitors into school. We look forward to inviting parents into school next half term to join our learning sessions with their children. Thank you for all your support this half term and we look forward to seeing the children again on Monday 23rd

February from 8.35am.

Have a lovely half term!

Miss Fazackerley, Headteacher

REMINDER - AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS RESUME FIRST WEEK BACK

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTERS

Parents will be emailed the Curriculum Newsletters for their child's class for the Spring 2nd Half Term. Please take the opportunity to read these to see what you will be learning about and how best you can support them. Long term curriculum plans, which provide further information about these topics can also be found on your child's year group page on the school website.

MATHS AND READING PARENT SESSIONS

During the Spring 2nd Half Term, we will be launching our Maths and English Parent sessions. Parents are invited to join their children for an example of a Maths and Reading session to give you a greater understanding of how the children are taught and what lessons include.

MONDAY 9TH MARCH = EYFS Maths / Phonics Session 9.15am - 10.15am

TUESDAY 10TH MARCH = Year 1 Maths / Phonics Session 9.15am-10.15am

WEDNESDAY 11TH MARCH = Year 2 Maths / Reading Session 9.15am-10.15am

THURSDAY 12TH MARCH = Year 4 Maths / Reading Session 9.15am-10.15am

FRIDAY 13TH MARCH = Year 3 Maths / Reading Session 9.15am-10.15am

MONDAY 16TH MARCH = Year 5 Maths / Reading Session 9.15am - 10.15am

TUESDAY 17TH MARCH = Year 6 Maths / Reading Session 9.15am-10.15am

CAREERS' DAY - FRIDAY 27TH MARCH

On Friday 27th March, we will be holding our first Culcheth Careers' Day event. We are looking for parents, carers, family members or local businesses that would be willing to donate their time to come and talk to the children about their career. Please see attached letter. If you know of anyone who would be willing to participate then please pass this letter on to them and encourage them to contact the school. The children can 'Dress to Success' on this day, coming to school dressed for their future career aspiration.

PARENT CONSULTATION - PARENT AND CHILD SURVEYS

Following our Parent Consultation Meetings this week, we would really appreciate it if you could take the time to complete the School Ping surveys, which have been sent for parents and children to provide feedback about the school and our next steps.

YEAR 1 - KNOWSLEY SAFARI PARK TRIP - FRIDAY 27TH FEBRUARY

Year 1 will be going on a school trip to Knowsley Safari Park on Friday 27th February. The children will be transported by coach, leaving school at around 9:15am and returning for dismissal at the usual time at the end of the day. Your child will require full school uniform with school shoes; a waterproof jacket; any medication needed during the day and a packed lunch in disposable paper/plastic bag clearly marked with your child's name (unless your child will be having a school packed lunch). Please do not include their reusable water bottle within their lunch bags as these will be binned after lunch.

DATES OF EVENTS

Parents will be emailed an updated dates of events list for the year ahead. Please note that the date of the Year 3 Class Assembly that parents can attend has changed to FRIDAY 20th MARCH to allow for our whole school careers event on Friday 27th March. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS ON MONDAY 23RD FEBRUARY

CULCHETH PRIMARY SCHOOL

BREAK THE RULES!

DAY!

Friday 13th February



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ACTIVE SPORT



FEBRUARY



HOLIDAY CAMP

18.2.26 - 20.2.26

WE ARE PLEASED TO INVITE YOUR CHILD TO JOIN US FOR OUR FEBRUARY HALF-TERM MULTI-SPORT CAMP AT CULCHETH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL.

OUR CAMP IS OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN AGED 4-11, REGARDLESS OF SCHOOL, AND OFFERS A FUN, SAFE AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT PACKED WITH SPORT, GAMES AND ACTIVITIES TO KEEP CHILDREN ACTIVE AND ENGAGED THROUGHOUT THE HOLIDAY.

CAMP DETAILS

DATES: WEDNESDAY 18TH – FRIDAY 20TH FEBRUARY

TIME: 9:00AM – 3:00PM

WRAP AROUND CARE: 8:00AM – 4:30PM (OPTIONAL)

PRICES

- 9:00AM – 3:00PM: £20 PER DAY
- 8:00AM – 4:30PM (WRAP AROUND): £30 PER DAY

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

CHILDREN WILL TAKE PART IN A WIDE VARIETY OF ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING:

- DODGEBALL, FOOTBALL AND TEAM SPORTS
- MULTI-SKILLS GAMES AND CHALLENGES
- INDOOR AND OUTDOOR ACTIVE PLAY
- CONFIDENCE BUILDING THROUGH TEAMWORK AND FUN

ALL SESSIONS ARE DELIVERED BY QUALIFIED, DBS-CHECKED AND FIRST AID TRAINED COACHES, ENSURING A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE FOR EVERY CHILD.

WHAT TO BRING:

- PACKED LUNCH
- REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE
- SUITABLE INDOOR AND OUTDOOR CLOTHING

SPACES ARE LIMITED AND BOOKINGS ARE NOW OPEN.
BOOK HERE: [HTTPS://WWW.SPORTSOFTWARE.IO/EVENT?EVENTID=5771](https://www.sportsoftware.io/event?eventid=5771)

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO GET IN TOUCH. WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOUR CHILD FOR A FUN-FILLED FEBRUARY HALF-TERM.

KIND REGARDS,
THE ACTIVE SPORT TEAM

CULCHETH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

School Dinner Menu

Please find below the School Dinner Menu for the Spring Term 2026. It is vital that you book your child's school meal a week in advance, using the school booking system.

The rotation of school meals will be across 3 weeks.

Below will be the menu for WB 23.2.26

Meat Free Monday

 Vegetarian Sausage Roll
Herby Diced Potatoes and Baked Beans

Jacket with Fillings

Selection of Wraps

Tuesday

 Pork Sausage with Yorkshire Pudding Creamed Potatoes, served with Carrots and Peas

Jacket with Fillings

Selection of Wraps

Fresh Fruit Segments
or Yoghurt

Wednesday

 Beef Burger in a Bun served with Herby Diced Potato and Fresh Side Salad

Jacket with Fillings

Selection of Wraps

 Orange Jelly and Fruit

Thursday

 BBQ Chicken served with Baked Wedged Potatoes, and Sweetcorn

Jacket with Fillings

Selection of Wraps

Homemade Blueberry Cake/Muffin

Friday

Crumb Coated Chicken served with Chunky Chipped Potatoes, Garden Peas, or Baked Beans

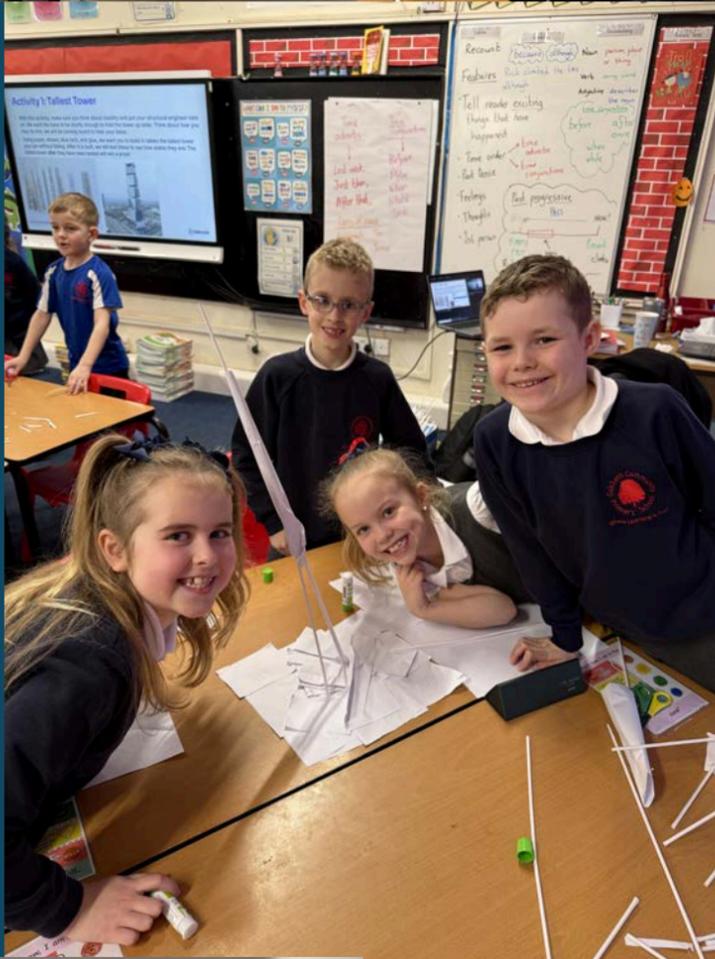
Oven Baked Fish Fingers
Served with Chunky Chipped Potatoes, Peas, or Baked Beans

Jacket with Fillings

Selection of Wraps

YEAR 3 CAVENDISH NUCLEAR

The children have been engineers! We had a visit from Cavendish Nuclear, who taught the children about aspects of engineering. As part of the task, the children have to build a tower out of straws, paper and glue. The taller the better! Finally, the towers were subjected to a tornado to see if they would stay standing!



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SPRING TERM

PE DAYS

**EYFS = TUESDAY (OUTDOOR)
THURSDAY (INDOOR)**

**YEAR 1 - WEDNESDAY (INDOOR)
FRIDAY (OUTDOOR)**

**YEAR 2 = WEDNESDAY (INDOOR)
FRIDAY (OUTDOOR)**

**YEAR 3 = TUESDAY (INDOOR)
THURSDAY (OUTDOOR)**

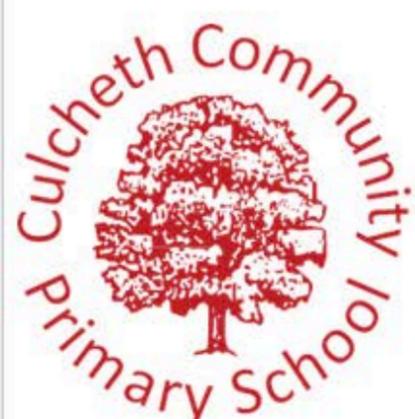
**YEAR 4 = MONDAY (OUTDOOR)
FRIDAY (SWIMMING)**

**YEAR 5 = THURSDAY (OUTDOOR)
FRIDAY (SWIMMING)**

**YEAR 6 = MONDAY (INDOOR)
WEDNESDAY (OUTDOOR)**

CULCHETH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

WISE OWL AWARD



Wise Owl Award



AS A SCHOOL WE WANTED TO RECOGNISE THE CHILDREN WHO WERE ALWAYS DOING THE RIGHT THING AND WERE SHINING EXAMPLES TO THE REST OF THE CLASS. THESE CHILDREN DEMONSTRATE, ON A DAILY BASIS, THE QUALITIES OF A WISE OWL:

THE WISE OWL PERSONALITY ENCOMPASSES ELEMENTS OF ASSURANCE, BEING OBSERVANT, LOGICAL, AND UNRUFFLED AMIDST THE CHAOS. MYSTIQUE AND TRUST ARE THE MOST EFFECTIVE STYLES OF COMMUNICATING FOR THIS ARCHETYPE. THEY COME ACROSS AS MORE INFLUENTIAL AND ACCOMPLISHED WHEN THEY INTERACT WITH THEIR PEERS USING THEIR "FASCINATE SUPERPOWERS" I.E., TRUST AND MYSTIQUE. THE WISE OWL RADIATES A DEPENDABLE PERSONALITY AND BRINGS CALM TO STRESSFUL SITUATIONS.

EYFS = Raffy Peasant

YEAR 1 = Ollie Holmes

YEAR 2 = Evie Rae-Williams

YEAR 3 = Izzy Avery

YEAR 4 = Tommy Seddon

YEAR 5 = Arlo Hirst

YEAR 6 = Parker Nelson

STARS OF THE HALF TERM

HEADTEACHER AWARD

Lily Owen = For showing kindness and friendship to make everyone included and special.

	Reason for award
All of EYFS	<p><i>Kindness- Reception have been trying hard to use 'kind words' to each other, to encourage each other to try their very best and to check that their friends are happy.</i></p> <p><i>Team Spirit – All of Reception have worked together to tidy up some of our Continuous Provision areas and to encourage each other to keep those areas tidy.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – 'Star Bear' has arrived in Reception and the children are working hard to earn the privilege to be responsible for taking him home with them at the weekend.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – We have introduced some challenges to some of our continuous provision areas and have encouraged the children to complete as many challenges as they can.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship – We have introduced a 'Friendship Friday' in Reception where we can earn the privilege of choosing which friend we would like to sit next to during lunchtime on a Friday.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty – We have worked on our 'Honesty' during our Circle Time sessions, where we have looked at our hopes, wishes, fears and dreams.</i></p>
All of Year 1	<p><i>Kindness- We've been working on the importance of saying kind things to each other.</i></p> <p><i>Determination-We have been showing determination when things get hard.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty-We have been choosing to make the right choices and admit our mistakes.</i></p> <p><i>Teamwork- Year one have been kindly working together, sharing ideas and thoughts to help them complete tasks.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility-We have been working on taking care and being responsible of our belongings.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship- This year one class has shown wonderful friendship this half term by being kind to one another, including everyone in their games, and supporting their friends every day.</i></p>
All of Year 2	<p><i>Kindness- We have looked and talked a lot about kindness through our My Happy Mind sessions. Not only being kind towards others but being kind to ourselves as well.</i></p> <p><i>Team Spirit – Year 2 have worked really hard this half term to produce a Pirate dance in PE. They had to work together as a class but also in pairs and they encouraged each other when they were performing.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – Year 2 have been working really hard on looking after their own possessions and those in the classroom, taking responsibility for making sure everything goes back where it belongs.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – Year 2 have shown great determination this half term, especially during our trip to Tatton Park. The children took on the role of a Victorian servant and had to complete tasks such as scrubbing the floors, making a fire, polishing the silver and much more.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship – Year 2 have been working hard on the value of friendship and making sure that nobody is left out either on the playground or during a group activity.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty – Year 2 have been working really hard on the value of honesty and the importance of telling the truth straight away.</i></p>

STARS OF THE HALF TERM

<p>All of Year 3</p>	<p><i>Kindness – This term, we have been focusing on how it is important to be kind to ourselves. The children have been focusing on showing gratitude for little things in order to improve their outlook on life.</i></p> <p><i>Teamwork – we are constantly working together to get better as a class.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – the children have realised that it is their responsibility to make our class a nice place to be.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – as the going has got tough, the tough have got going!</i></p> <p><i>Friendship – this is the key to everything in our class. We are continually trying to be considerate to our classmates.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty - We have been choosing to make the right choices and admit our mistakes</i></p>
<p>All of Year 4</p>	<p><i>Kindness- We have shown kindness this half term when creating our roman shields and helping each other design, create and paint.</i></p> <p><i>Team Spirit – We have shown team spirit this half term by cheering each other on and supporting each other in all areas of our learning.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – We have shown responsibility this half term when going swimming and having to get ourselves changed and ready in time for the lessons whilst taking responsibility of our belongings.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – We have also shown determination at swimming this half term and giving it a go even if we don't find it the easiest.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship –We have shown friendship this half term by learning to communicate with each other and what makes a positive friendship in our my happy mind unit.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty – Honesty – We have shown honesty by telling the truth, playing fairly in games, and admitting mistakes so we can learn from them.</i></p>
<p>All of Year 5</p>	<p><i>Kindness – Year 5 have demonstrated kindness this week by sharing equipment with classmates who needed it.</i></p> <p><i>Team Spirit – They have shown team spirit when complimenting each other on their work.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – Year 5 have shown responsibility by making sure their classroom is tidy.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – They have shown determination by keeping going with their learning even when they found some work challenging.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship – Year 5 have shown friendship by including everyone in games at break time and checking that others are okay.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty – Year 5 have shown honesty by telling the truth when mistakes were made and taking responsibility for their actions.</i></p>
<p>All of Year 6</p>	<p><i>Kindness – Showed kindness by helping their Reception buddies.</i></p> <p><i>Teamwork – Demonstrated teamwork by working better together and supporting one another in group tasks.</i></p> <p><i>Responsibility – Most of year 6 are setting a good example for others and looking after school property.</i></p> <p><i>Determination – Showed determination by persevering when learning has felt challenging.</i></p> <p><i>Friendship – Demonstrated friendship by including others and resolving disagreements respectfully.</i></p> <p><i>Honesty – Showed honesty by telling the truth and admitting mistakes when they were made.</i></p>

ATTENDANCE

Whole School Attendance target for 2025-2026 is 96%

Attendance since 3rd September = 95.1%

Attendance this week = 95.1%

Attendance winners this week

Year 5 = 98.5%

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SPRING TERM

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

MONDAY

Writing (Y3-6) = Miss Coates (KS1 Astroturf)

KS1 Football (Y1-2) = Active Sports (Year 1)

Gardening (Y1-2) = Mrs Warburton (Year 2)

TUESDAY

Arts (Y1-6) = Miss Wardle (Year 2)

Golf (Y4-6) = Mr Wall (KS1 Astroturf)

KS2 Choir (Y3-6) = Miss Challis (KS1 Astroturf)

Yoga and Meditation (Y1-2) = Miss Edwards and
Miss Farrington (Year 1)

WEDNESDAY

Stage School (Y2-6) = Active Sports
(KS1 Astroturf)

KS1 Multi-skills (Y1-2) = Mr Wall (Year 1)

THURSDAY

KS2 Reading (Y3-6) = Mrs Gorman (KS1 Astroturf)

KS2 Lego (Y1-6) = Miss Coates (Year 1)

KS2 Football (Y3-6) = Active Sports
(KS1 Astroturf)

Computer Coding (Y3-6) = Mr Chesworth (Year 2)

FRIDAY

Gymnastics & Dance (Y1-6) = Active Sports
(Year 1)

KS2 Multi-sports (Y3-6) = Active Sports
(Year 2)

Clubs will run from:

Monday 23rd February - 27th March (5 weeks)

Mindfulness Club will be replaced with
Gardening Club during the Spring 2nd Half Term.

THIS WEEK

CLASS AMBASSADORS

RECEPTION



Our class ambassador has enjoyed learning all about Chinese New Year this week.

YEAR 1



Our class ambassadors Wilf and Rowan have enjoyed their visit to the school library this week.

YEAR 2



Lily and Oliver have enjoyed doing some art work as part of children's mental health week. They enjoyed drawing pictures of where they feel they 'belong'.

YEAR 3



Dune and Teddy managed to make the tallest tower in our STEM lesson.

YEAR 4



Year 4 enjoying creating and painting their Roman shields which they have designed as part of their History topic.

YEAR 5

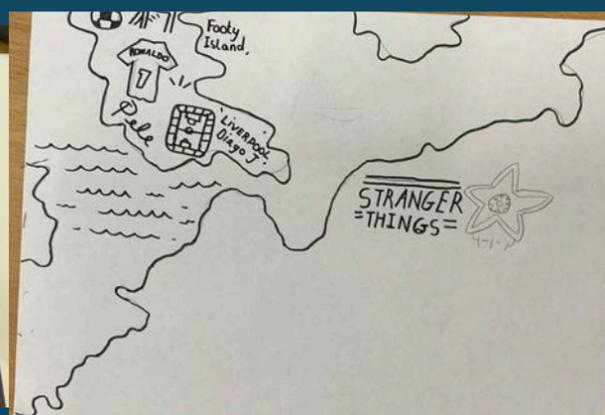


Our class ambassador showed great enthusiasm in Geography when learning about volcanoes.

YEAR 6



Year 6 have loved creating their "Isle of Me" maps for our Mental Health Week.



CULCHETH VALUES RECOGNITION

HAS YOUR CHILD GONE ABOVE AND BEYOND OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL IN DEMONSTRATING OUR SCHOOL VALUES OF KINDNESS, HONESTY, FRIENDSHIP, RESPONSIBILITY, DETERMINATION AND TEAM SPIRIT. NOMINATE THEM FOR A VALUE AWARD AND WE WILL SURPRISE THEM IN CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY. NOMINATE YOUR CHILD BY SENDING AN EMAIL WITH REASON AND SUPPORTING PHOTO IF APPROPRIATE TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

KINDNESS **DETERMINATION** **FRIENDSHIP**
RESPONSIBILITY **HONESTY** **TEAM SPIRIT**

NOAH WON MAN OF THE MATCH IN HIS TEAM'S NARROW DEFEAT TO GRAPPENHALL ON SUNDAY. NOAH WORKED TIRELESSLY THROUGHOUT, POPPING UP IN EVERY POSITION ON THE PITCH, INCLUDING PLAYING IN GOAL WHEN THE U5 TEAM PLAYED A FRIENDLY AFTER. WE ARE PROUD OF HIS TEAMWORK AND RESILIENCE. KEEP UP THE HARD WORK NOAH!



LILIANNA MADE IT TO THE FINAL DURING LAST WEEK'S TENNIS TOURNAMENT IN LEEDS. SHE IS PERFORMING IN THE TOP 10 FOR HER AGE GROUP IN THE COUNTRY. CONGRATULATIONS LILIANNA!

PLEASE SEND US YOUR NOMINATIONS FOR CULCHETH SCHOOL VALUE RECOGNITION