

Friday 23rd October 2026

Layton Primary School

Attendance Update!

Regular attendance and punctuality play a vital role in children's success at school.

Research shows that children who maintain attendance above 96% consistently achieve better outcomes over time.

A huge thank you to all our parents and carers for your continued support in helping your children maintain excellent attendance this half term.

Your support really makes a difference! We're delighted to see so many of our classes achieving the 96% attendance target.

A special well done to 2F, who have achieved the highest attendance in KS1, and to 4PR and 6M, who share the top spot in KS2.

What a fantastic achievement! 🎉



Attend, Attain, Achieve



KS1 LEARNERS OF THE HALF TERM

Foundation: Charlie, Nyla, Kingsley

Year 1: Maggie, Rayna, Harrison

Year 2: George, Emin, Su

KS2 LEARNERS OF THE HALF TERM

Year 3: Kaycie-Mae, Mason, Nevaeh

Year 4: Bonnie, Leilani-Grace, Jaydon

Year 5: Esmae, Alfie, Aakaash

Year 6: Lisa, Daniel, Penelope

YEAR 6 PARENTS

The closing date for Secondary School applications is **31st October 2026**.

Visit blackpool.gov.uk to apply for a place for your child.
You will need a valid email address to do this.

If you prefer to complete a paper copy please contact the School Admissions Team on **01253 476637**.



TUESDAY 3rd NOVEMBER

Zero Tolerance

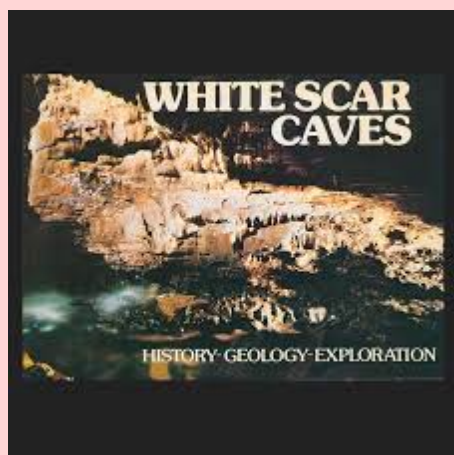
We would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents and carers of the importance of maintaining respectful and courteous communication with all members of our school staff.

Our staff work hard to support our pupils and families, and they have the right to carry out their roles without being subjected to rude, aggressive or inappropriate behaviour.

We understand that parents may occasionally have concerns or feel frustrated, and we are always willing to listen and work together to resolve any issues.

However, we ask that all telephone conversations and other communications remain polite and respectful.

Thank you.



Year 3 Brave Britain's Longest Show Cave!

Our Year 3 adventurers went deep underground this week for an unforgettable expedition to White Scar Cave in Ingleton!

The trip was a fantastic, hands-on way to bring their classroom learning to life, tying directly into their current Rocks topic in Science and their study of The Stone Age in History.

Everyone absolutely loved getting down into the caves, and the children could hardly believe their eyes when they saw what was hidden beneath the surface.

As they explored the longest show cave in Britain, the children traveled an impressive mile in distance and marvelled at incredible natural sights, including a hidden underground waterfall.

They also practiced their spotting skills to find the famous, spooky rock formations known as the Witches Fingers and the Devil's Tongue!

The highlights did not stop on the ground, either. Demonstrating fantastic resilience and energy, the group successfully climbed 83 steps to reach the very tallest point of the cave system.

We are incredibly proud of how well everyone behaved and how beautifully they connected their cave observations to their history and science topics.

Well done Year 3, you were absolute superstars!

