



Welcome back after the Easter break to what will be a very busy term for all of us here at Layton. I hope that you have all had an enjoyable and restful time, in particular the Year 6's who had a busy week during their stay at Hothersall Lodge.

I would like to take this opportunity to ensure that parents and carers are aware of the upcoming SATS for Year 2 and Year 6. The Year 2 SATS are week commencing Monday 21st May and Year 6 SATS are week commencing Monday 14th May. Please note these dates in your diaries as full attendance and punctuality is expected from all pupils during these weeks.

Next week is a busy week for trips as the Year 1 classes will be visiting Springfield's Nature Reserve and Year 2 visiting Swainshead Farm. Keep an eye out on their twitter accounts for updates from these visits!

Changes To The Morning Registers

Previous to the half term you will have received a letter regarding the changes which are taking place in regard to morning registration. The reason for these changes is that a significant proportion of children are missing valuable learning opportunities. Education research demonstrates that there is a significant impact on levels of attainment and progress when children miss 10% or more of lessons.



As you are aware, children are expected to arrive at school between 8:40am and 8:55am. **Registers are taken at 8:55am.** Any children arriving at school after 8:55am and before 9:30am will now be considered as late and receive a late mark. **The register will now close at 9:30am.** Any children arriving at school after this time will be marked as unauthorised unless medical or circumstantial evidence is provided, for example, to show that the child has been to an appointment. Please be aware that an unauthorised mark will affect your child's attendance. Attendance that falls below 96% is a cause for concern, depending on the circumstances e.g. medical appointments, and will be assessed on an individual basis.

@TheGrange Free Family Fun Day

To celebrate the opening of 'TheGrange' there will be a Free Family Fun Day on Saturday 14th April from 10am to 4pm, with Bingo from 6pm to 8pm. There will be a DJ, Dance and Drumming Workshops, Bouncy Castle and Circus Skills, and free refreshments included.



For more details visit their Facebook page 'At The Grange Blackpool'.

Reporting Vandalism

We would like to make parents, carers and the Layton community aware that we are currently suffering from a spate of vandalism to school property. This is happening outside of school hours, in particular weekends and school holidays. Please may we ask that if you observe vandalism to school property or anti-social behaviour on our site that you notify the police of this.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Palatine Library
 Junior History Event

ROMANS

Learn fun facts about the Romans in Britain in our one hour story led event

Palatine Library
 21st April 2018
 2pm - 3pm
 Free Event

Suitable for ages 7 - 11
 Booking essential
 Parental supervision required

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A Massive 'Well Done' to our Learners of the Half Term

KS1

FK	Teegan is our learner of the half term for always trying hard and making progress in all areas.	FP	Harvey is FP's learner of the half term for always being resilient and resourceful all of the time.	FM	Tyler is learner of the half term for such fantastic progress with Number, he has worked his socks off! Well done!
1E	Alyssa always follows the 5Rs and has progressed well in all areas, well done!	1J	Gracie ALWAYS uses the 5Rs and has an amazing attitude towards her work!	1D	Tia always has such a positive, resilient attitude towards her learning. Tia takes risks and I can always rely on her to join in the class discussions and to improve her work always!
2S	Imaan is our learner of the half term for his improved resilience of risk-taking. An awesome role model!	2M	Ashton is our learner of the half term for his improved handwriting. He has been 100% resilient and has made me super proud especially with his literacy work.	2T	Kelsie is our learner of the half term for taking more risks with her learning. She has a great attitude to learning. Keep it up!

Learner of the Half Term

KS2

3H	Jayden always gives 100% in everything he does, he is an absolute delight to have in class!	3N	Konner-Ray is my learner of the half term for giving 150% in everything he does! His Literacy work has really flourished recently, he has been taking risks, and he must have swallowed a dictionary!	3B	Macy is 3B's learner of the half term for always showing the 5R's and for being a little bottle of sunshine!
4W	Lucienna is our learner of the half term for being a fantastic role model to everyone. She is an absolute superstar and a pleasure to teach!	4R	Ruby is our learner of the half term for being a perfect role model for other children; always showing all of the 5Rs and having an excellent attitude to learning.	4E	Lydia is our learner of the half term for generally having a positive attitude in class and for being able to independently edit and improve her own work in light of completing the task at hand.
5D	Calum is our learner of the half term for consistently doing everything he can to ensure he succeeds every single day.	5G	Alfie is 5G's learner of the half term for his incredible progress in Maths. Keep it up!	5F	Ellisha is 5F's learner of the half term for always putting in 100% and demonstrating the 5R's.
6R	Sam has worked so hard this term and is thoroughly deserved of our 'learner of the half term'! Keep it up!	6J	Taleea has tried hard all year but especially this term. We have seen lots of progress being made with her grammar and punctuation, and she has produced some excellent pieces of writing. We are very proud of her!	6K	Chloe is 6K's learner of the half term for always giving 100%! Chloe is a perfect role model and has great relationships with everyone in the class.

Scholastic Half Price Book Fair

Celebrate reading at our book fair!
You are invited to our Summer Term scholastic book fair which will be held in school from Wednesday 18th to Tuesday 24th April.



Pupils, parents and carers will have the opportunity to view the selection of half prices books from 3pm every day in the KS1 hall. With over 200 of the newest and best books from over sixty publishers, and books starting from just £2.99, there is a book for everyone!

School App

Don't forget to download our new school app! If you haven't done so already, you can find instructions on how to download it on our school website...

www.layton.blackpool.sch.uk/school-information/useful-information-for-parents/parent-apps-information-and-instructions



Attendance & Punctuality

Week Ending 23rd March 2018



FK 99%, FP 95%, FM 96.7%, 1E 98.6%, 1J 94.1%, 1D 90.3%, 2S 97.3%, 2M 94.5%, 2T 94.3%, 3H 92.4%, 3N 91.7%, 3B 95.2%, 4R 95.4%, 4W 92.9%, 4E 96%, 5D 97.9%, 5G 98.7%, 5F 93.6%, 6R 97.3%, 6J 94.3%, 6K 96.7%
TOTALS 95.4%

KS1 Highest Attendance : FK

KS2 Highest Attendance : 5G

Winning classes for attendance (Over 96%): FK, FM, 1E, 2S, 4E, 5D, 5G, 6K, 6R

Punctuality: 4E and 6K recorded no late marks for this period.

Weekly Menu

Week 2 starting 16/04/18	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Main Course Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Pizza Day! Ham or Margherita	Roasted Gammon & Pineapple with Mashed & Roasted Potatoes	Savoury Mince Beef Pie with Gravy with Seasoned Wedges	Chinese Style Chicken Curry with Egg Fried Rice
	Vegetarian & Fish Vegetarian Sausage Rolls with Hash Browns	Vegetable Burger with Sweetcorn Salsa	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta Bake with Crusty Bread	Quorn Dippers with BBQ sauce and Seasoned Wedges	Fish Fingers and Chips
	Vegetables Mixed Veg	Sautéed Potatoes and Sweetcorn	Baton Carrots & Cauliflower	Garden Peas or Cauliflower	Baked Beans or Broccoli
	Dessert Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Shortbread Biscuit or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Steamed Fruit Pudding with Custard Yoghurt or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Frozen Strawberry Yoghurt or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Apple & Sultana Flapjack or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Iced Lemon & Ginger Sponge or Yoghurt
<p>Available Daily:</p> <p>Fresh Salad Bar, Jacket Potato served with a choice of toppings, Pasta King served with a choice of Meat and Vegetarian Sauces, Selection of Bread, Fresh Fruit Salad, Selection of Topped Yoghurts.</p>					

