

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BANGERS AND MASH OR BBQ CHICKEN WRAP OR FILLED JACKET POTATO OR SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH	CHICKEN KORMA OR HOT PANINI OR FILLED JACKET POTATO OR SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH	PIZZA OR CHEESE AND TOMATO PASTA OR FILLED JACKET POTATO OR SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH	HOTDOGS OR MEATBALLS OR FILLED JACKET POTATO OR SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH	CHIP SHOP FRIDAY! A CHOICE OF FISH OF THE DAY JUMBO SAUSAGE CHICKEN DIPPERS OR PIE OF THE DAY ALL SERVED WITH CHIPS & PEAS AND A CHOICE OF GRAVY OR CURRY SAUCE



A selection of vegetables and/or salad will be available each day. After their main meal the children will have a choice of desserts which will include fresh fruit or yoghurt. Please note the items on the above menu are subject to deliveries etc. and may have to be changed at short notice. The government have made funding available for all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 to enable them to have a school dinner free of charge, all your child has to do is choose their dinner at morning registration. For all other children to book a school dinner just send in £2.20.

Mrs Ashcroft's Magic Moment

After spending time this week focusing on reading at home, L Molyneux proudly announced "Mrs Ashcroft, I couldn't eat my tea last night as I was too busy reading up to page 20!" That is true dedication, but you really do need to eat your tea too!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Every week, one child in each class is chosen and celebrated in our celebration assembly for particular hard work, effort or something special. Each week we will share the winners with you...

Sycamore— Samuel Whitton

Willow— Daisy Hatch

Cedar— Yusuf Salem Maple— Olivia Jeffery

Chestnut— Liam Fielding

Rowan— Ayaan Khan

Oak— Tyler Leckenby

Inspirational Quote

"Let your smile change the world, but don't let the world change your smile."
CONNOR FRANTA

We value.... we encourage....we expect

Check out our New Website—www.eccleston.lancs.sch.uk

DT (Design Technology) Week—23rd –27th October

We will be celebrating our DT Week every afternoon next week. Every afternoon will be dedicated to learning and developing skills in Design Technology with a lot of making and creating activities. Here come the appeals....

Please could you send anything into school for us to use such as milk bottles, drinks bottles, packaging of different sizes and shapes—pretty much anything. Feel free to send this in on Monday morning.

If anyone works in the field of designing and would like to talk to the children about the process involved, such as evaluating, planning, designing, re-evaluating and amending, then we would love to welcome you in on Monday afternoon to one of the classes.

With the nature of the afternoons, we welcome anyone into school that has a bit of time to support in the classes. No experience is necessary, just a willing and patient approach...Please let me know if you can lend a hand.

It promises to be a very exciting week with some rich learning—in fact, I imagine it will be 'Out of this World!'

Calendar Live on Website

The calendar is now live on the website with significant events. It is not every event and be warned that some of the times allocated for events are estimated at this stage, but this should give you more information about what is upcoming in school.

If in doubt though, always check first.

New Phone System

We are having a new phone system fitted on Wednesday, which will include an automated response, where you can report absences or be put through to the right person or service. We hope this will help make things a little more smooth for you.

Non-Uniform—Friday, 27th October

Please note we will be having our monthly non-uniform day next Friday and ask that in return you send in any bottles. This will be used at the Christmas Fayre and like any work done by FEPs, all proceeds will go back to your children to make their time in school more enjoyable and meaningful.

PLANET POINTS

And the results for this week are

1st Place Saturn 334 Points

2nd Place Neptune 303 points

3rd Place Jupiter 302 points

4th Place Mars 274 points

Scooters Relocated

Left over scooters are now being kept in the small sheds by the Reception Class on the back playground. We will be using unwanted scooters for the younger children at playtime which is bringing their attention to them at the same time –a few have already been claimed. If you want to look in the shed to reclaim your scooter, please feel free to do so.

Request From Willow Class

Please could we ask for any plastic 2ltr milk bottles with tops and small boxes to brought into school on Monday for use in the DT week—Thank you!

Digital Leaders

We have identified some digital leaders who are going to drive forward our ICT teaching and learning. Their first responsibility will be to keep their class' website page updated with the help from a Year 6 Digital Leader buddy. So check out your child's class page on our website for regular updates.

Year 1 - Naima Brogden

Year 2 - Jackson Kent

Year 3 – Vince Parkinson

Year 4 - Liam Fielding

Year 5 – Jake Hogan

Year 6

Jamiee Saywell

Huey Lakeland

Erin Bedworth Charlie Cowburn

Alana-Jane Simpson

Maddison Snowdon

Harry Winnard

Jacob Wrigley

Traversing Wall

The traversing wall is almost complete (with just a few holds and a white line to complete) and many of the children have already sampled its challenge. We are asking children to only climb on the wall when supervised by a member of staff or a parent and feet must always be below the white line. At home time, we ask that you follow these same rules...

RULES

Only go in the same direction (direction of the traffic—towards school at playtime, away from school at home time)
Feet never to go above the white line
If feet touch the floor, progress on to the next wall

Feel free to have a go yourselves and if you want to challenge yourself try our graded colour course...
Just Yellow Holds—moderately challenging
Just Blue Holds—increasingly challenging
Just Green Holds—almost impossible

With our drive on health and fitness this year, the wall is sure to improve many skills linked to this as well as increasing enjoyment, challenge and perseverance.

Lost Property

Mrs Hudspith has kindly offered to go through the lost property box which is outside Year 2 . She is taking home the items of clothing to wash and to try to reunite them with their owners. There is a huge amount of items in there and we are very grateful to Mrs Hudspith for being thoughtful enough to give up her time to take on this mammoth task.

For any items which remain unclaimed by Christmas, we will look at donating these to FEPS with the aim of them being sold to raise money for the school.

Upcoming Significant Dates

Wk Beg 23rd Oct
Mon 23rd Oct
Tue 24th Oct
Thurs 26th Oct
Thurs 26th Oct
Fri 27th Oct
Wk Beg 30th Oct
Mon 6th Nov
Mon 6th Nov
Tues 14th Nov
Wed 15th Nov

Design Technology Week
Year 5 Swimming
Year 6 Author Trip to Bishop Rawstorne
Year 4 WW2 Afternoon
Halloween Disco
Non-Uniform Day
Half Term
Year 6 Swimming
Individual & family Photographs
Parents' Evening (1 of 2)
Parents' Evening (2 of 2)

Secondary School Admissions

Just a reminder that the closing date for Secondary School applications is 31st October 2017. You can apply online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools