



Lea Endowed CE Primary School
Newsletter No 1
Friday 5th September 2025
Our theme this half term is
THANKFULNESS



"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16

A warm welcome back to the new school year. It's wonderful to see you all again after the Summer break. I do hope you had some special times together over the holidays. We certainly had some sunshine for a change 😊
The staff and I have been incredibly proud of the attitude and behaviour of all the children in school during this first week back. We have noticed a peaceful and joyful learning atmosphere, and we pray this will continue throughout the coming school year.

At the beginning of every year, I like to share with you our Lea Endowed School Vision. This is our reason for being here, and **YOU** are all a very important part of making our Vision become a reality. Please share this with your child and talk about what it means to them, and to the wider school family.

'LET EVERYONE SHINE'

At Lea Endowed Church of England School, we provide an excellent education for our children.

We follow God's example, by loving Him, and each other, in all that we do.

Our whole school family is encouraged to achieve their full, God given potential, and shine in their own special way.

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SPECIAL WELCOME

I would like to give our new **Reception children and their families**, a very warm welcome to our Lea Endowed family. The children have settled in beautifully and are already a special part of our school. 😊

WELCOME MEETINGS

Please come and meet your child's teacher for a short Welcome meeting at 6pm on **Wednesday 10th September**
The teachers will share key information about class routines etc

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS NOW OPEN

If your child is in their last year of pre-school/nursery you can now apply for their primary school place
at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools
The closing date for primary applications for September 2026 is 15 January 2025.

Secondary school admissions: If your child is in Year 6 you can now apply for their secondary school place
at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools
The closing date for secondary applications for September 2026 is 31 October 2025.
For guidance on school transport see: <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/school-transport/>.

EXTRA MILERS

I am delighted to announce our new **Extra Milers**:
Summer in Y4
&
Jessica in Y6
We are incredibly proud of you both – Keep shining!

ECO WARRIORS

I am very excited to announce that **Francisco Y4** and **Xander Y4** are our new Eco ambassadors. Well done for caring for our wonderful world.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 10th September 6:00pm – Meet the Teacher Welcome Meetings - all classes
Wednesday 17th Sept 6:00pm - Reading for EYFS/Y1 & Y2 Parents All welcome
Friday 19th– 21st Sep – **Special Church weekend @ St Christopher's** – details to follow
Thursday 2nd Oct 10:00am – Autumn Praise – all welcome
Sunday 12th Oct 10:30am – Harvest Service at St Christopher's Church - All welcome
Friday 24th Oct – Break up for half term at 3:15pm
Tuesday 4th Nov – Reopen at 8:45am
PARENTS' EVENINGS:
Tuesday 18th November 3:30- 6pm
Wednesday 19th November 3:30-5:30pm & 6-7pm

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Be On Time it Helps You Shine!

A big thank you to the vast majority of families who have made it to school on time for our 8:45am deadline. The children have come into school beautifully and settled into their classes incredibly well.


**YOUR
PTA
NEEDS
YOU**

Important Polite Reminders

- Please park carefully and respectfully at all times. We are all aware of the challenges, but safety must remain the number one priority at all times,
- Children must wear full school PE kit on their PE days (no designer labels please). We recommend tracksuit bottoms for the colder weather.
- School starts at 8:45am. The school registers are taken at 8:50am – Please allow extra time (with traffic lights & roadworks) to get your child to school on time. Children arriving after 8:50am will receive a late mark. After the register closes, they will receive an unauthorised attendance.
- Snacks for playtimes must be “healthy snacks” eg, fruit, raisins, mini bread sticks, piece of cheese or pea/lentil snacks Please don’t send in packets of sweets, crisps, biscuits or chocolate bars! **(No NUTS please)**

YOUR PTA NEED YOU!

Please look out for a PTA newsletter coming soon, from Ian, and help out in any way you can 😊
Thank you.

ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Huge congratulations to Class 3
for beating our Attendance target,
last half term

The competition is on!

CURRICULUM OVERVIEWS & CLASS TARGETS

Please look out for the Class Curriculum overviews and Class Targets, on the school website soon, for more details of your child’s teaching and learning this term. Please remember your child’s teacher holds an Open-Door session every week after school, for you to come and see your child’s work/talk about any concerns or celebrations you may have.

Open Door days and times will be shared at the Welcome Meetings next Wednesday at 6pm.

PHONES & “SMART” WATCHES

Please note that any phones or “SMART” watches (or similar) brought into school by children will need to be handed in to me and kept in my office until the end of the school day. A basic digital or analogue watch may still be worn. Thank you.

TEXTING SERVICE

Please contact the school office if you are not receiving our texts. This is a really important way to quickly communicate important messages to our parents and carers, thank you.

1: FOR MY NEW YEAR

Dear God,
Thank You for this new school year!
Help me discover exciting new things, make new friends, and be brave in all I do. Remind me to be kind and give my best every day.
Amen.



Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns, queries or you would just like to share some good news!

We are praying for a peaceful and joyful year together as a school family,

CM Seagrave