



Lea Endowed CE Primary School
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Newsletter No 1
Friday 6th September 2019
Our theme this half term is **Thankfulness**



A very warm welcome back to school after what, I hope has been a restful and happy summer break! I hope that by now your child is settling in and getting used to the new routines of their class and school life. A special welcome to our new Reception children, and also the new children who joined us in KS2, not forgetting mums, dads and carers!

They have all settled in very well and have become a special part of our school family. We are also delighted to welcome 2 new members of staff: **Mrs Bamber**, who is teaching in Reception and **Mrs Clarke**, who has joined us as a Catering Assistant. At the beginning of this new school year, I would once again like to share with you, Our School Vision. **Our Vision**, is our reason for being here and you are all a very important part of making our Vision become a reality. Please re-visit this regularly and discuss it with your child.

'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.

"Let your light shine."

Matthew 5:16

BACK TO SCHOOL REMINDERS

- ❖ In the morning there is **no adult** on the playground to supervise the children until **08:45am**. Children arriving before this time are parents' responsibility. As parking is an ongoing challenge, once the supervising adult is on the playground, we would politely request that you leave your child in their care and make space for other car users to drop off their children.
- ❖ All children need to have their **full PE kit in school every day**. (White t-shirt, black/blue shorts, black pumps, ankle socks)
- ❖ If using the Drop Off Zone in the morning on Lea Road, or parking directly outside school, please **do NOT park** on the yellow lines.
- ❖ **Dinner Money** must be sent in on a Friday morning (£2.30 per day, £11.50 per week).
- ❖ **Toast** is available to all children every day; **5p a day for half a slice in YR, Y1 and Y2 children (25p a week) and 10p a day**
- ❖ **KS2 children (50p a week)**. Toast money must be sent in on a **Monday morning** for the whole week.
- ❖ **All money should be sent into the office in a clearly marked envelope with the child's name, amount enclosed, and the purpose of the money. There is a red box in the entrance porch, which can be used to safely deliver any money being sent into school. Envelopes and a pen available next to the post box**

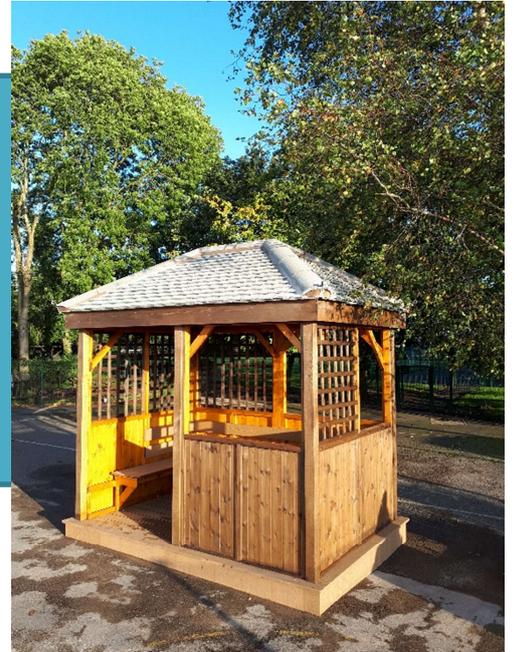
Welcome Meetings / Meet the Teacher



All the class teachers are holding a Welcome Meeting to share expectations and general class information. Information will be put on the website for those who can't attend but we encourage as many parents as possible to come along and find out first hand. Please see Class newsletters for dates and times.

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We are delighted to have our brand new gazebo in place in the school playground. The children seem very pleased to have such a wonderful place to sit and chat with their friends. A huge **THANK YOU** to Darren the builder, Lewis' dad, Rob, who painted it in sun, wind and rain, and for all the practical PTA fundraising and financial support that went into this exciting project. It is a remarkable addition to our school grounds and every child in school will benefit in the years to come.



STOP PRESS...



It was great to see such a positive report about our school in yesterday's copy of the Lancashire Evening Post.

IMPORTANT DATES AND INFORMATION FOR 2020 ADMISSIONS

SEPTEMBER 2020 RECEPTION INTAKES – For Lancashire resident families who require a primary or secondary place in September 2020, the means of application is via Lancashire's new On-line application system which is now live (www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools).

Closing dates for applications for September 2020 - **11:59 pm** on:

31st October 2019 – secondary application closing date

15th January 2020 – primary application closing date

Please make sure you hit the **"SUBMIT"** button when you are ready to send your completed application

I look forward to working together as a school family in the coming year. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns, queries or would just like to share something positive!

Thank you for your support,
CM Seagrave

