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In our Christian family, we all **SHINE** in the light of Jesus.

Friday 24th April 2026

Dear Parents,

Euxton Superstars!

Congratulations to this week's class Superstars:

Reception: Bodhi

Year 1: Emelia

Year 2: Thomas

Year 3: Phoebe

Year 4: April

Year 5: Olivia Gannon

Year 6: James Whelan

Well done to you all!

Westholme Netball Tournament



Well done to the netball team for showing determination, resilience and perseverance at the Westholme Netball tournament on Tuesday. The girls showed great team spirit and growing confidence through the afternoon. Thank you to parents who came along to support. We are very proud of the girls 😊

Y1 Assembly



Thank you to Year 1 for a thoughtful worship this week on the theme of Earth Day. Lots to think about and remind us of the important part we play in looking after our world.

PTFA Lucky Numbers Winner!

Congratulations to Laura Winstanley (Ben's mum) whose name was pulled out of the hat in Celebration Worship this morning. £20 is on it's way home to you!

ASC Increase in prices from September

Please note that from September the charges for ASC will increase slightly from £8.00 to £8.75 and per sibling rate from £7.75 to £8.50. The rate for BC will remain the same as these were increased slightly last year.

Well Done Coushal



Please see an article below from a local newspaper about Coushal's success –

Coushal gained victory the International Annual Maths Olympiad, an online competition. A Y3 student at Euxton CE Primary School, Coushal, was announced the winner on World Maths Day 26 March. The event was delivered by the British Youth International College (BYITC)

His parents, Deepika and Anil, said: "We are extremely happy with his first Olympiad win. My son now approaches maths with much more confidence. The BYITC teacher's engaging style and regular practice have really improved his mental calculation. He was among twelve other winners from across the country and took on challenges such as mental arithmetic and problem solving".

Dr Rashmi Mantri, founder of BYITC, said: "Congratulations to all our remarkable winners. Every child who took part showed commitment, discipline, and a real passion for learning.

"This year's 20% increase in entries shows just how strongly young people across the world are engaging with numeracy, particularly as technology and AI continue to shape their futures."

Well done Coushal! we are all extremely proud of you.



Online Safety

Please find attached the online safety newsletter for April with guidance and information on age rating in games.

End of Key Stage 2 Tests

Y6 will be taking their end of Key Stage 2 tests between Monday 11th May until Thursday 14th May. Y6 children are invited to come into school a little earlier on test days (if they would like to) for a breakfast snack from 8.30am. Children can come into school via the main entrance. If you decide not to come early, please ensure that your child arrives to school on time. Thank you.

Chorley Flower Show Competition – enter by midnight tonight!

Please see the flyer attached with information about a Design a Garden for Chorley Flower Show. One of our pupils won this competition about three years ago and the garden they designed was built at the flower show which was wonderful for the child and wonderful for school as we received £100 in garden centre vouchers. If your child would like to enter and you require a paper copy of the design sheet please ask in the school office for a copy.

Cost of school trips increasing

As you all start to receive your class trip letters for the summer term, you may notice that the cost has increased since last year. As you may know, we use Tyrer's Coaches for our transport and they provide significantly reduced fares for the hire of their coaches but they are having to increase their charges due to the rise in fuel costs. We thank them for always giving us the best price possible. Our PTFA also contribute 25% of the transport costs for every trip which of course keeps the prices down. There are lots of exciting trips booked for the children for this term, please look out for a letter coming home/by email soon. Thank you.

Rainbow Ramble

Please see the flyer below with details of this year's Rainbow Ramble to support Rainbow Hub. On 9th May. Below is a link that can be used to book a place. Please support this wonderful charity if you are able. Thank you.

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Sports Days

Reception – Thursday 4th June at 2.45pm

Y1 – Thursday 21st May at 9.15am

Y2 – Wednesday 20th May at 9.15am

Y3 – Friday 8th May at 2.45pm

Y4 – Friday 15th May at 9.15am

Y5 – Friday 15th May at 2.45pm

Y6 – Friday 22nd May at 2.45pm

Please come along and cheer for your child!

Summer term key dates:

Wednesday 15th April – Wednesday 13th May - KS2 Netball Tournament at Holy Cross 4pm-6pm (letters sent out to team)

Tuesday 28th April – Y3 & Y4 Invasion Games Festival @ Holy Cross 4pm-6pm

Thursday 30th April – Y1 walk to church to learn about Baptism as part of RE curriculum

Friday 1st May – class photos being taken in the morning by Adam (school photographer).

Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday

Thursday 7th May – Reception class meeting with Ms Lucas 9.15am.

Monday 11th to Thursday 14th May -Y6 End of Key Stage 2 Tests all week.

Thursday 14th May – Reception trip to Smithills Open Farm

Friday 22nd May – end of half term. School finishes at 3.30pm. After school club operating as usual.

Monday 1st June & Tuesday 2nd June – INSET days. School closed.

Wednesday 3rd June – School open.

Thursday 4th June – Welcome meeting for parents of Reception starters September 2026 at 6pm.

Wednesday 10th June – Lancashire Sings choir performance (more details to follow once confirmed)

Monday 15th June – Y1 trip to Fireground Museum (separate letter to follow).

Thursday 18th June - Y5 Geography trip to Blackpool (separate letter to follow).

Friday 19th June – Y3 trip to Bolton Museum (separate letter to follow).

Wednesday 1st July – Reception Assembly for parents – Look at me now!

Thursday 2nd July – Move up day. Transition day for classes to meet next year's teacher and spend time in new classrooms (TBC).

Friday 3rd July – Y6 trip to Leyland Trucks (separate letter to follow).

Tuesday 7th July – Y6/Y5 Production – performances at 2pm and 6pm

Wednesday 8th July – Y2 trip to Clitheroe Castle.

Saturday 4th July – Euxton Gala on school field.

Monday 13th July – last swimming session for Y3.

Friday 10th July – End of year celebration assembly

Tuesday 14th July – Y6 Leaver's Service – 2pm in church.

Friday 17th July – End of school year. School finishes at **1.30pm**. No After School Club on the day.

Enjoy your weekend!

Best wishes,

Mrs Ash,

Headteacher

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Rainbow Ramble

Join Rainbow Hub for our annual 5 mile walk or run
Saturday 9th May 2026

- Starts & finishes at Bishop Rawstone High School, Croston, PR26 9HH
- Registration opens from 8.45am, Ramble commences at 10am
- Children from £5, adults from £15, please visit our website for more info
- Entry includes t-shirt and finishing medal
- **FANCY DRESS** is optional

Kindly sponsored by:



Register today at:  www.rainbowhub.org/event/rainbowramble/

For more information:

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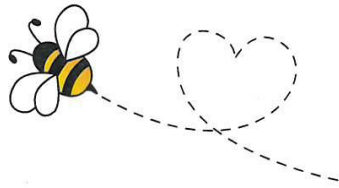
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CHORLEY FLOWER SHOW

Design a garden for Chorley Flower Show 2026

Imagine your garden design brought to life this summer at the Chorley Flower Show. Suitable for entrants between 5 and 11 years old, the winner's design will be transformed by our team of expert garden designers into a show garden. The winner and their family will receive four complimentary weekend wristbands for the show and, as an added bonus, the winner's school will also get £100 of gardening vouchers!

Deadline for entries is Friday 24 April 2026 at midnight.

To Enter

Design a 6m x 6m Show Garden to appear at the Chorley Flower Show.

As well as the garden design, please also:

- o Describe your garden
- o Tell us what the garden is used for
- o Label the main plants and features



We welcome creative entries, and you can choose your own brief.

Designs should be on a maximum of A4 size paper. You can use the template on the back to plan your design.

Our panel of experts will judge the garden designs and consider how realistic the garden is to recreate.



Entries can be submitted to competitions@chorley.gov.uk or by posting to:
**Children's Design a Garden Competition, Chorley Flower Show,
Chorley Town Hall, Market Street, Chorley, PR7 1DP**

When entering, please include your name, your design, your brief, contact details and the school you attend. Good luck!



chorleyflowershow.com

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