



Euxton Church of England Primary School

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

Friday 1st May 2026

Dear Parents,

Euxton Superstars!

Congratulations to this week's class Superstars:

Reception: Lily

Year 1: Archie

Year 2: Hugh

Year 3: Elissa

Year 4: Poppy

Year 5: Lucy

Year 6: Joshua

Well done to you all!

CSSP Y3 Invasion Games Festival



On Tuesday, a team of year 3 children represented our school at the Chorley SSP invasion games festival. They played lots of different games related to sports like football, basketball, rugby and hockey, and even made fruit kebabs! The children all showed the school games values and had a great time. Well done!

CSSP Netball League



Our year 5 and 6 netball team played their second week of fixtures this week. Over the first two weeks, they have played six games and won all six! Well done to all the girls on the team and good luck for the next two weeks.

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.

Class Photos

Adam, our school photographer, has been in school today taking class photos. Your child will bring an order form home tonight with an online link. Please place any orders asap. Thank you.



Online Safety

The online world gives us access to a huge amount of information and services, but the scale of information available also means that there is content that is inappropriate for children. What is or isn't appropriate is up to individual parents and carers to decide, and could be based on things like age, ability, beliefs and family values. **What are parental controls?** Please follow the link below for more information and guidance about use of parental controls to keep children safe online.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/parental-controls/>

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.

Let's Talk

CISS are delivering another free parent speech and language training course next half term. This is a 6-week programme, which provides parents with practical strategies that they can use to support their child's language at home. **Please note that although the training states ages 5-11, it is also suitable for parents of children in reception.*

Please see flyer below with more details and a link to sign up.

Summer term key dates:

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

Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday

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

Friday 8th May - Y3 Sports Day at 2.45pm

Monday 11th to Thursday 14th May -Y6 End of Key Stage 2 Tests all week. No celebration assembly on Friday 15th May.

Thursday 14th May – Reception trip to Smithills Open Farm

Friday 15th May – Y4 Sports Day at 9.15am

Friday 15th May - Y5 Sports Day at 2.45pm

Wednesday 20th May - Y2 Sports day at 9.15am

Thursday 21st May - Y1 Sports Day at 9.15am

Friday 22nd May - Y6 Sports Day at 2.45pm

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 – Reception Sports Day at 2.45pm

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.

Fun Fest Holiday Club

Please see attached flyer for holiday club taking place at Euxton Primrose Hill during the half term.

Southlands Community Sports

Please see the flyer attached about half term holiday club taking place at Southlands High School.

And finally, we would like to promote a non-uniform day as an upcoming charity event supporting DIPG. We invite the children to dress/wear something in pink and/or yellow to help raise awareness. This will take place on **Friday 22nd May**. Donations welcome (a donation of £1 is suggested) and there will be a bucket on the gate. Pink and yellow are the colours of the charity Abbie's Army and they have been a great support for Emilia in Y6. If you are struggling to find something pink or yellow, the charity is promoted by wearing a yellow ribbon. Please see the flyer below for more information. We look forward to the colourful day. Thank you for your support 😊



Enjoy your long weekend – see you all on Tuesday 5th May after the bank holiday.

Best wishes,

Mrs Ash,
Headteacher



Let's Talk with 5-11s

A practical course which helps parents and carers learn how to develop and enhance children's understanding and talking.

Sign up here!



Would you like support with developing your child's speech and language skills at home?

This practical course is designed for parents and will enable you to learn how to develop your child's understanding and talking.

The course workbook is full of strategies and activities that can be used with your child at home and at school

What the experts say

'Early language is the single most important factor in influencing literacy levels at age 11'. (The Lost Boys report, Childrens Society, 2016).

Children with poor vocabulary at age 5 are more than twice as likely to be unemployed at age 34 and 1.5 times more likely to have mental health difficulties than those with typical development (Talking About a Generation, Gascoigne. M & Gross, March 2017, The Communication Trust)

When will it take place?

The course will run for 6 weeks starting on Friday 5th June and finishing on Friday 10th July.

Sessions will be held from 9.30am-11.30am every Friday.

Where will it take place?

The course will be held at Homestart, 112A Market Street, Chorley, PR7 2SL

How much will it cost?

This course is free for parents to attend!

Choose fun at



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May Half Term

**ST LEONARD'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL
Walton-le-Dale, Preston, PR5 4JL**

**EUXTON PRIMROSE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL
Euxton, Chorley, PR7 6BA**



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**26th - 29th
May**

**7:30am-
6:00pm**

**A menu
of 50+
activities**

**3-12
years**



May Half Term

Euxton

26th - 29th May

AM

PM

Mon

CLOSED FOR BANK HOLIDAY

Tues

Spring Gardens

Fun Fest Bootcamp

Creative Cooks

Olympic Challenge

Weds

Harry Potter Experience

Wacky Races

Lego Creations

Cheerleading

Thurs

Crafty Creations

I'm a kid get me outta here

Space Cadets

Dodgeball

Fri

Jewellery Making

Spprts Action

FUN DAY FRIDAY!!

SOUTHLANDS
COMMUNITY SPORTS

May Half Term Sports Camp

£50 FOR THE FULL 4 DAYS

Ages 7-14

 **Southlands High School, PR7 2NJ**

TUESDAY 26TH MAY – FRIDAY 29TH MAY

10:00am – 15:00pm

*Celebrating 1 year open - enjoy our special 4 day
offer for £50*

- **FULLY SUPERVISED BY QUALIFIED STAFF**
- **SAFE, STRUCTURED DAYS OF SPORT & FUN**
- **PERFECT FOR AGES 7-14**

SCAN TO BOOK



Southlands Community Sports



Instagram: [@southlandssports](https://www.instagram.com/southlandssports)

Contact: Southlandscommunitysports@gmail.com

WEAR PINK AND YELLOW FOR MIMI DAY!

FRIDAY 22ND MAY

Euxton Primary School

Let's fill our school with pink and/or yellow to make a difference together!

Pupils are invited to come to school wearing bright pink and/or yellow for a very special day on Friday 22 May.

We are raising money for Abbie's Army, a charity that helped support your friend Emilia (Mimi) Atkinson during her treatment trial at Great Ormond Street Hospital which cost £100k.

Let's all join together, have fun dressing up, and show Mimi she's not alone on her journey ❤️

How You Can Help

- Wear pink and/or yellow on 22nd May
- Bring a £1 donation (or more)
- Parents can use the QR code
- Encourage friends to join in
- Every little bit makes a difference 🍀

thank you

ABBIE'S ARMY
FIGHT DIPG BRAIN CANCER

Registered Charity No. 1149400 | www.abbiesarmy.co.uk



WHAT IS DIPG & ITS RESEARCH!

What is DIPG?

Diffuse Intrinsic Pontine Glioma (DIPG) is a rare and aggressive type of brain cancer that forms in the brain stem, specifically in an area called the pons. This part of the brain controls vital functions like breathing, heart rate, and movement.



**DIPG affects
around 40
children in the
UK every year**



Abbie's Army is leading the charge

Abbie's Army is proud to be playing an important part in providing much needed strategic financial investment into DIPG research.

They are committed to funding research projects that support their mission in helping to find a cure for DIPG children like Mimi.

Every little bit helps

Get creative and come to school wearing bright **pink** and/or **yellow** on **Friday 22 May** to help make a difference for children diagnosed with DIPG. Bring a small donation if you can, as every pound helps fund vital research, new clinical trials, and support for families, bringing us closer to better treatments and hope for the future. Scan the QR code below to donate, if preferred.



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