



Farington Primary School Newsletter

6th February 2026

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Upcoming Events

Mon 9th—Wed 11th February—Year 4 High Adventure Residential

Mon 9th February — Fri 13th February —Children's Mental Health Week

Fri 13th—Non-Uniform Pyjama Day for Mental Health

Fri 13th February—Finish for Half Term at 3:20pm

Mon 23rd February—Children back in school

A Night to Remember at Young Voices Manchester

Last night, our Young Voices choir children took to the stage in Manchester and delivered a truly unforgettable performance. Singing alongside thousands of other children in one of the largest school choir events in the world is an incredible experience, and our children rose to the occasion brilliantly.

From the first note to the final encore, their energy, confidence and joy shone through. The atmosphere in the arena was electric, and it was wonderful to see our children representing our school with such pride, enthusiasm and professionalism. Events like this create memories that last a lifetime, and it was clear just how much the children enjoyed every moment.

A very special and heartfelt thank you goes to Mrs Hampson, whose hard work, commitment and dedication to our school choir make opportunities like this possible. The hours of rehearsals, preparation and encouragement she gives week after week are extraordinary. Her passion for music and for the children's success is evident in everything she does, and we are incredibly grateful for her leadership of our choir.

Well done to every single child who took part — you were outstanding!

Headteachers Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

When putting this week's newsletter together, it made me stop and think about just how lucky we are as a school community. Reading about all of the fantastic events, achievements, and learning that have taken place really fills me with pride. From our Young Voices choir performance in Manchester, where our children shone on a huge stage, to our Around the World Themed Week, where every class explored a different continent and shared their creativity and knowledge, it's clear that our school is a very special place.

These moments are a true reflection of the brilliant children we teach, the dedication and passion of our staff, and the unwavering support of our families. Seeing the children engage, enjoy, and succeed in such a variety of activities is incredibly rewarding, and it reminds me daily why I feel so proud to be the headteacher of this amazing school.

Thank you to everyone — children, staff, and families — for all that you do to make our school such a vibrant and supportive community. I hope you have a lovely, relaxing weekend, and I look forward to all the exciting learning and events still to come.

Mr A Williams

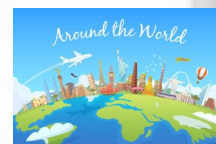
Around the World Themed Week — A Global Learning Journey

This week, our school has been buzzing with excitement as we travelled 'Around the World' through our themed learning week. Each class focused on a different continent, exploring its geography, culture, traditions, wildlife and landmarks through a wide range of creative and engaging activities.

Across the school, our classrooms were transformed as the children produced beautiful artwork, wrote themed pieces, learned about global traditions, explored music and dance, and discovered fascinating facts about different countries and cultures. It was wonderful to see such curiosity, creativity and enthusiasm in every year group, with the children making meaningful links across subjects.

The week culminated in our Friday Celebration Assembly, where each class proudly showcased their learning. Children shared their work, performances and discoveries, giving everyone a chance to appreciate the breadth and quality of learning that had taken place. It was a fantastic celebration of global awareness, pupil voice and creative expression.

Well done to all of our children for their hard work and enthusiasm, and thank you to our staff for planning such a rich and memorable themed week.





Stars of the Week

Our Star of the Week Assembly takes place every Friday at 9.10am. All are welcome to attend, although we will send out a message if your child has been chosen as Star of the Week.

We hope to see you celebrating the successes of our children soon!

This week, our usual Stars of the Week Assembly was replaced by our Themed Week Assembly to celebrate all the amazing learning during our "Around the World" week.

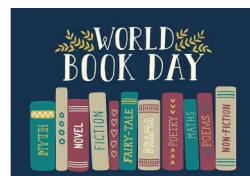
Our Stars of the Week Assembly will return next Friday with our end-of-half-term Special Stars Assembly.

Well done to all the children for their enthusiasm and fantastic contributions to this special celebration!



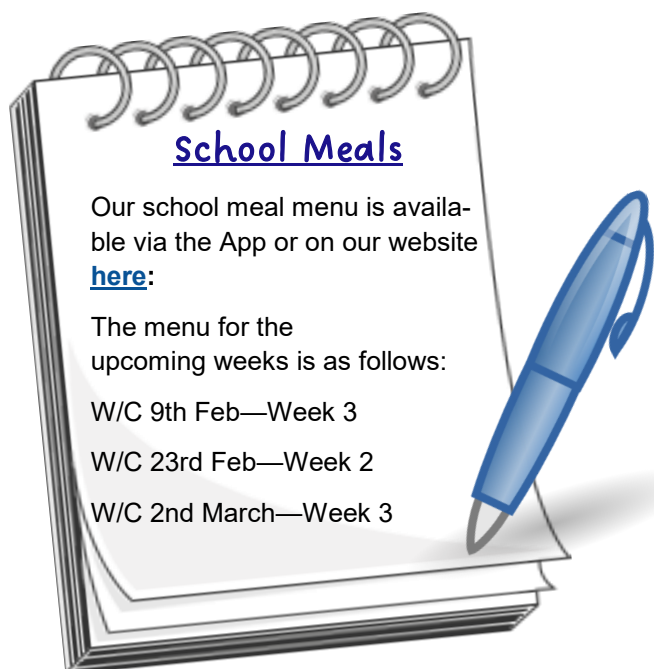
World Book Day - Thursday 5th March 2026

We are writing in advance to give children and families as much notice as possible and to give everyone time to get their creative ideas flowing! World Book Day will be celebrated in school on Thursday 5th March 2026, with a variety of fun and engaging activities to inspire a love of reading and celebrate the joy of stories.



As part of the day, children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character of their choice. We encourage everyone to get creative and enjoy thinking about their costume ahead of time. If your child prefers not to dress up, that is absolutely fine — they can come to school in their normal school uniform.

We are looking forward to a day full of imagination, storytelling, and reading adventures across the school!



School Meals

Our school meal menu is available via the App or on our website [here](#):

The menu for the upcoming weeks is as follows:

W/C 9th Feb—Week 3

W/C 23rd Feb—Week 2

W/C 2nd March—Week 3

PTFA Updates



Pancake Treats for Mental Health Day

As part of our Mental Health Day on Friday 13th February, pancakes will be available to purchase at £1 during playtime. This is entirely optional for children who wish to take part.

All proceeds will go back into funding exciting school activities for our children. Dietary requirements, as per our school policy, will be considered for all children that we are aware of, ensuring everyone can enjoy this treat safely.

We hope the children enjoy this special addition to the day while celebrating wellbeing in a fun and tasty way!

