



Cathcart Street Weekly Newsletter

Your weekly newsletter about our school!

This week at School

What a busy and very hot week we have had here at Cathcart Street. I am so proud of every child for following instructions, listening to advice and being their amazing, resilient selves in some very warm weather. Their calm, sensible behaviour made a real difference and helped us keep everyone safe.

I would like to say a huge thanks for all your support this week with our optional early collection arrangements due to the very hot weather. Situations like this are almost impossible to make a decision that everyone agrees with so the supportive feedback we have had (from those who have collected early and those who didn't) means a lot to us.

I am also incredibly grateful to our brilliant staff team who worked so hard this week. A special thank you to Mrs Morris, our School Business Manager, for organising the three gazebos which gave us much-needed shade, and to Mr Murphy for buying extra water bottles so every class could stay well hydrated. Thank you, too, to the staff and parents who kindly brought in ice lollies for the children – your kindness was much appreciated.

The weather is set to cool down a bit next week (from Monday 29 June 2026), so all children should return to school in correct school uniform on Monday. There may still be some warmer days, so please continue to send your child with a named water bottle, a sun hat and ensure sunscreen is applied before school.

We are really excited for our Year 6s next week who will be going on their Year 6 Residential – we hope they all have the most amazing time and take away lots of fantastic memories from this experience!

Next Wednesday is our transition day. Year 6 will spend the day visiting their new high schools, while pupils in Reception through Year 5 will meet their new teachers and spend part of the morning in their new classrooms. We will also be holding Meet the Teacher sessions so parents can meet their child's new teacher and have a short, informal discussion about their child's learning and needs.

Once again thank you for everything you do to support our children and school community this week. Mrs Cookson and the Cathcart Team

Dates for your diary

Every Monday 9am – Coffee Morning

Mon 29th – Tues 30th – Y6 Residential

Thurs 2nd July – Year 4 New Brighton trip

Thurs 2nd July – NSPCC in for Y6, Y5 and Y2

Tues 7th July – New to F2 Parents Meeting

Wed 8th July – Summer Fair

Thurs 9th July – Eco trip Hilbre Island

Fri 10th July – EYFS Sports day

Fri 10th July – Reports go home

Wed 15th July – End of Year Discos

Thurs 16th July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Thurs 16th July – F2 Celebration

Fri 17th July – Last day of term 1.30pm finish

Meet the Teacher

This half term we will be holding short "Meet the Teacher" meetings so families can meet their child's next class teacher. This is a great opportunity to share any worries, concerns or important information (including likes, dislikes and routines) and to build a positive relationship from the start. Strong home-school communication helps us support your child's learning and wellbeing, so please do come along – we look forward to working together for the best outcomes for every child. Details of how to book will be sent out soon but these will be Wed 1st July & Thurs 2nd July.

Attendance

Attendance continues to be a huge focus at Cathcart Street.

Our winners the week we finished for half term were;

Phase 1 – Y2 with 93.7%

Phase 2 – Y5 with 92.5%

Our £5 prize will be added to both classes. Well done everyone – keep it up!

Whole school attendance – 91.3%

Year 6 Residential

We are so excited for our Year 6 residential next week. This is an amazing experience for the children. Please find below some important information;

Bus will pick up at; 9.15am on Monday 29th June
No packed lunches required – lunch provided on site
Collection will be Tuesday between 1-1.30pm arriving back in school for the end of day
Keep an eye on Instagram for pictures and updates.

Any Y6 pupils not attending residential will be our amazing helpers around school working with the younger children

Summer Fair

It is just 2 weeks until our Summer Fair and we'd love your help to make it a huge success. Each Friday between 5th June and 3rd July we will hold a themed dress-up/dress-down day: children may come in themed clothes in exchange for bringing a small donation for the fair.

Friday 5 June – Toys & games day (own clothes)

Friday 12 June – Tombola goods (colour day)

Friday 19 June – Toiletries & tinned goods (Countries Day / World Cup)

Friday 26 June – Bottles (crazy hair day)

Friday 3 July – Cakes, biscuits & wrapped sweets (PJs day)

Nut Free School

Cathcart Street Primary is a nut-free school because we have children with severe nut allergies; this helps keep everyone safe. Please do not send any food or snacks containing nuts or traces of nuts with your child.

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We have been enjoying...

Little Stars - We have been developing our fine motor skills by learning to squeeze open a peg and peg it on a board.

F1 - The children loved making a castle to shade themselves from the sun.

F2 - The children have loved finding different ways to cool down this week. The conversations taking place have been lovely to listen to!

Year 1 - This week in English, year 1 did some hot seating with the Last Wolf, the Last Bear and the Last Lynx.

Year 2 - This week year 2 have been creating their own maths games to challenge their friends.

Year 3 - In maths this week, the pupils have been revisiting division including remainders. We used match sticks to help us understand what a remainder is.

Year 4 - This week, Year 4 have been completing their planning and have begun writing their invention narratives.

Year 5 - We have been learning about the life cycles of mammals, making a slider.

Year 6 - We have been studying the geography around Liverpool this term. This week we studied an OS map looking at local landmarks

