



Cathcart Street Weekly Newsletter

Your weekly newsletter about our school!

This week at School

As we approach the end of our first half term, we wanted to say a huge thank you to all our wonderful families for your continued support. Cathcart Street really is a community school, and we love working together with you to make it such a special place for our children. It has been an incredibly busy half term, and next week promises to be just as exciting! This week, our Year 2 and Year 5 children enjoyed the amazing WonderDome experience as part of Science Week, and we also had a fantastic visit to the Wirral Deen Centre to support our learning about Islam in RE. Such wonderful opportunities to bring learning to life!

Next week begins with a visit from our Community Police Officers, who will be talking to the children about staying safe during Halloween and Bonfire Night. We also have two evenings of Parents' Evenings, and we can't wait to welcome you into school! Strong relationships between home and school are so important, and our staff are really looking forward to celebrating how well the children have settled and discussing their next steps with you. We will also be taking part in a pumpkin craft activity to support the Scare Trail organised by Birkenhead Market - another lovely opportunity to get involved in our local community! Thank you, as always, for being such an important part of Cathcart Street. We are incredibly proud of our school community and everything we achieve together. Here's to a fantastic final week of the half term!

Thank you, as always, for your wonderful support!

Mrs Cookson and the Cathcart Team

Dates for your diary

Mon 19th - Merseyside Community Police assembly

Tues 20th & Wed 21st - Parents Evenings

Thurs 22nd - EYFS Stay & Play

Fri 23rd Oct - Finish for Half Term

Monday 2nd Nov - Children return to school

Attendance

A huge well done to our attendance winners from last week!

Year 3 - 95.1%

Year 6 - 97.2%

Both classes have done brilliantly and have each earned £5 for their class account!

Our whole school attendance was 93.3%



Science Competition



A huge thank you to everyone who entered our Science Competition! We have been absolutely blown away by the children's fantastic skills, creativity and scientific knowledge.

The effort, imagination and enthusiasm shown have been incredible! It has been particularly lovely to see so much wonderful home learning taking place and families getting involved. We are so proud of all our budding scientists - well done, everyone!

Winners announced: Friday 23rd October

Class Dojo

Please make sure you are signed up to Class Dojo - this is a great way to stay up to date with any relevant information for your child's class and message their class teacher directly if needed.



ClassDojo

Free Breakfast Club

We are delighted to announce that our school Breakfast Club is now completely FREE for all children in Years 1 to 6! 🎉

Opening every morning at 8:00am, children can enjoy toast, cereal and fun activities with friends, giving them a happy, settled start to the school day.

No need to book - just turn up!



Kindness starts with us all

At Cathcart Street, we teach our children the importance of kindness and respect, and as adults, we must lead by example. We kindly remind all families of our Home-School Agreement and the importance of treating everyone with kindness. Our staff work incredibly hard to support you and your children and deserve to be treated with kindness, even when concerns arise. Thank you for helping us keep Cathcart Street a happy and welcoming place for everyone.

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We have been enjoying...



Little stars - Our 2's have been sorting the leaves into big and small.

F1 - We have been reading the story 'Wow said the Owl' and afterwards made their own day time and night time pictures. Beautiful.

F2 - have been working on their cutting skills creating different things in our junk modelling area.

Year 1 - Year 1 loved singing the British values rap as part of their Picture News lesson!

Year 2 - This week in PE we have been practicing our shooting skills! It was lovely seeing everyone cheering each other on.

Year 3 - In Science this week, we have been learning about fossils. We made our own playdough and then created our own fossils using seashells.

Year 4 - This week, year 4 have been getting comfy in their reading corner.

Year 5 - enjoyed learning about the phases of the moon and making a sliding dial.

Year 6 - This week we have exploring what we are thankful for in our lives and giving thanks to others

Nurture -have been continuing their space theme writing mission logs.

Rainbow - we enjoyed creating rocket ships out of loose parts for the science competition this week!

