

Ormskirk Church of England Primary School

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Be always humble, gentle and patient. Show your love by being tolerant with one another. Ephesians 4:2

Newsletter no. 15

Our worship theme this half term is Humility

12th January 2024

Monday 15th & Tuesday 16th January

Year 5 Bikeability Group 1 catch up

Thursday 18th January 5:30pm Parent meeting for Year 5 & 6 residentials to York and London. (KS2 Hall)

Friday 19th January

9am 5F Class Worship
Parents welcome to attend.

3:45pm New Year's Disco Reception - Year 2 in KS1 Hall, finishes at 4:45pm
Years 3 - 6 in KS2 Hall, finishes at 5:00pm
Cost of £5 per child, pay through School Gateway

Friday 26th January

9am 5I Class Worship
Parents welcome to attend.

Monday 5th February
Young Voices Concert
Manchester Arena



Year 5 children writing their own prayers.



Congratulations to our award winners this week.

Well Done Lily, Zac, Hayden, Briar, Kieran, Clara, Eleanor, Lyla, Lucas, Lucie, Georgina, Amber, Lillie and Tilly.



Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Years 3, 4 and 5 participate in timetabled sessions of Born To Move, first thing in the morning.

We have been doing these fitness sessions for over one year now and it is amazing to see how well the children are doing. The sessions feature exercises based on martial arts, dance and yoga. The exercises are fun, but they really get the heart rate up and this helps blood flow around the body and brain - getting our children ready to learn for the rest of the day.



Year 5 York and Year 6 London Trips

There is a meeting at 5:30pm on Thursday 18th January for parents to give details of these trips and to answer any questions you may have.

If any parents have missed out on adult tickets for **Young Voices** there is a volunteering opportunity, bucket collecting for charity before the show. You will then be able to watch for free. Please email Mrs Illingworth via the office if you are interested.



James Kirby, former student, is playing at Ormskirk Chapel Gallery in March. While he's back in Ormskirk he has asked to return to provide another workshop with our pupils. If you're interested in watching at the Chapel Gallery contact school first as he said he has a discount code just for us!



After School Taekwondo sessions will start in January for adults, kids, brothers or sisters (all welcome).
5:30 - 6:30pm Mondays
£7 per session.

ellison's Taekwondo

Learn how to defend yourself and get fit in a fun and friendly environment!
All ages, abilities welcome

Lessons are run by Eddie Ellison 7th Dan instructor and former national champion who has over 30 years experience teaching and practicing taekwondo

Lessons around Ormskirk:
Monday 5:30-6:30pm
Ormskirk CE School

£7 per person
Or discounted monthly payment options available.

Places are limited so please contact us either via Facebook at [facebook.com/ellisons.taekwondo](https://www.facebook.com/ellisons.taekwondo) or by calling 01699 975321/7485

No special equipment needed just wear loose fitting sportswear and bare feet.

Logos for Sport England, Olympic rings, and British Taekwondo.

FIRST LESSON FREE OF CHARGE

Clubs running week beginning Monday 15th January				
15th Jan	16th Jan	17th Jan	18th Jan	19th Jan
Years 1-6 Taekwondo Lunchtime			Years 5/6 Choir Lunchtime	Years 3-6 Cross Country Lunchtime
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Years 1-6 Football 3:30 - 4:30	Reception - Year 2 Dance Club 3:30 - 4:30	Years 4-6 Dodgeball 3:30 - 4:30	Years 1-6 Girls' Football 3:30 - 4:30	Year 5 Netball 3:30 - 4:30 (pick up from the KS1 Hall)

Booking information for after school dodgeball. ↓

Booking information for after school football. ↓

Swimming Days
Reception Tuesday afternoon
Year 1 Wednesday morning
Year 3 Wednesday afternoon
Year 4 Thursday morning
Year 5 Thursday afternoon
All children need a swimming cap.
These can be bought for £5 from the school offices.

Please check to see if you have any school reading books at home, we are missing some in school. Thank you

DODGEBALL DISCO WITH DJ DANNY

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT ORMSKIRK C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL 3:30 - 4:30pm

YEARS 4, 5 & 6
JANUARY: 17th, 24th, 31st
FEBRUARY: 7th

4 WEEKS OF FUN FOR £20

PLACES ARE LIMITED! BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!

Activities: Multi Sport Dodgeball, Star Wars Dodgeball, Wrecking Ball Dodgeball, Futsal Dodgeball, Basketball Dodgeball, Quidditch Dodgeball.

Official dodgeballs and neon dodgeballs will be used for each of the fun dodgeball games we have created for this course.

INFORMATION: Dodgeball Disco is for boys & girls from YEARS 4, 5 AND 6. The course is AFTER SCHOOL and played INDOORS. PE kit or other sports wear with pumps or trainers will be suitable. Players should also have a drink with them.

To book on this course please TEXT DJ Danny and Rachel on 07584183982 with the following details:
Childs name, contact number, medical conditions and homework arrangements: attending school's after school club / collected after the course / allowed home alone.
We will send a text to confirm your child's place.
Please pay £20 via bank transfer, using the following details:
ACCOUNT: DANNY CLARSON'S FOOTBALL ACADEMY LTD
SORT CODE: 12-24-82 ACCOUNT NUMBER: 89435585
Please use 'ORMSKIRK CHILD'S NAME' as the reference e.g. ORMSKIRK DANNY

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New Term Courses

Ormskirk Primary School

Dear parents / guardians,

Next term Active Sport are again running after-school football sessions on Mondays and Thursdays (Girls Football) with Coach Fizaan. To book your place, please visit www.activesport.co.uk and click 'Find your nearest session' and click the 'West Lancashire' option.

Session Information:

Dates: Monday 8th January – 5th February (5 Weeks) / Thursday 11th January – 8th February (5 Weeks)

Time: 3:30 - 4:30pm

Price: £28.50 - £5.50 per session + £1 Booking fee (Full Block payment only)

Extra Information: Please bring football/sports kit, appropriate for the weather, trainers or football boots, and a drink.

For any further enquiries, Contact Active Sport Sefton - hugh@activesportsgroup.co.uk

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS PRIMARY NORTH

APPLY NOW!
at lancashire.gov.uk/schools

School and Academy places September 2024

You must apply if your child has a 4th birthday between 1 September 2023 and 31 August 2024.

You must apply even if an older brother or sister is already at the school, or the school is linked to your child's nursery.

If you're a non-Lancashire resident apply through your own local authority.

Please read the admission criteria for your chosen schools on the website or get a copy from them.

School transport
Need transport to school?
Please don't forget to check your eligibility for free transport.
Search 'school transport' at lancashire.gov.uk

CLOSING DATE 15 JANUARY 2024

lancashire.gov.uk

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS PRIMARY SOUTH

Do you have a child starting primary school in September 2024 and living in Lancashire?

Apply now and check your eligibility for school transport at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools or call 01772 532109

Closing date: 15 January 2024

You must apply even if a brother or sister is already at the school or the school is linked to your child's nursery.

HAVE YOUR SAY

Between 1 October and 31 January schools are consulting with you to make sure admission arrangements meet future needs. To find out more please visit www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools/admission and click 'school admission policies'

lancashire.gov.uk

← Last chance to apply for your child's place in Reception for September 2024. Closing date for applications is **Monday 15th January**. Late applications do not always get their first choice of school.

If you think your child could be entitled to free school meals (and school holiday food vouchers), there are application forms in both offices.

Please use this QR code to complete a survey for the Children and Family Wellbeing Service.

Family Hubs Brand Recognition Survey