



Larkholme Primary School

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Friday 9th October 2026



Parents' Evening

Our first Parents' Evening of the 2026/27 school year will take place on **Tuesday 20th October, from 3.30pm to 7.00pm**. Booking information has been sent by email.

Parents' Evening provides a valuable opportunity to discuss your child's progress, celebrate achievements and talk about any support they may need. We look forward to meeting with you.

If you are experiencing any difficulties booking an appointment, please contact the school office and we will be happy to help.

Harvest Donations

Thank you for your generous Harvest donations. We are delighted by the support we have received from our school community.

All donations will be collected next week and delivered to food banks in Fleetwood, where they will help support families in our community.

Pine Class Harvest Assembly will take place on **Friday 16th October at 9.15am**. Parents and carers are welcome to join the celebrations; however, we kindly ask that attendance is limited to **two adults per child**.

We look forward to celebrating together.



Spooky Non Uniform Day

Our wonderful Larkholme PALS have organised a **Spooky Non Uniform Day** on **Wednesday 21st October 2026**, for all children.

Fancy dress is allowed but NO masks or face coverings. Nothing too scary especially as we don't want to scare the younger children – or the staff!

Please ask children to give their minimum donation of £1 to their class teacher.



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Maths Champions

Congratulations to our Larkholme Maths Champions, who were selected by Ms Hinds last week! We are incredibly proud of their achievement and look forward to seeing them take on this important role. Throughout the year, they will work closely together to promote a love of maths across the school, support exciting maths activities and help inspire confidence in mathematics among their peers. Well done to all of our Maths Champions!



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SCHOOL ADMISSION 2027 – 2028

Welcome to Larkholme Primary School. We offer a wide range of experiences both in and out of the classroom. Pupils at Larkholme achieve well and we have strong links with local business in order to raise aspirations.

We strongly encourage you to come and visit, so you can see for yourself our family ethos.

Tours with the school:

Tuesday 22 nd Sept 9:30am	Friday 6 th Nov 9:30am
Monday 28 th Sept 9:30am	Wednesday 11 th Nov 1:30pm
Wednesday 30 th Sept 1:30pm	Monday 16 th Nov 9:30am
Monday 5 th Oct 1:30pm	Friday 20 th Nov 1:30pm
Monday 19 th Oct 9:30am	

- Bespoke outdoor learning space
- Bright and friendly classrooms
- An exciting and engaging curriculum
- A variety of enrichment opportunities
- Happy, friendly children



CONTACT US Please contact the School Office to book on a tour.

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Reception Starters for 2027 School Tours

Are you looking for a school place for Reception Class September 2027?

Book in to see our wonderful school in action at one of our tours by phoning the School Office on 01253 874024.

Monday 19th October – 9.30am

Friday 6th November – 9.30am

Wednesday 11th November – 1.30pm

Monday 16th November – 9.30am

Friday 20th November – 1.30pm

School admissions are now open for children joining primary and secondary school in September 2027.

Apply at <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/>

The deadline to apply for a September 2027 Reception place is Friday 15th January 2027.



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Secondary School Applications 2027

A reminder for Year 6 parents and carers that applications for secondary school places for September 2027 are now open.

Key dates:

- 31 October 2026 – Application deadline
- 1 March 2027 – School offers issued

Applications received by the closing date are given equal consideration, so we encourage all families to apply before 31 October. Further information is available through Lancashire County Council.

Autumn/Winter Menu

Our new Autumn/Winter 2026/27 school menu will begin when we return from half term on Monday 2nd November 2026. A copy of the menu has also been emailed to parents and carers this week. We look forward to offering children a variety of nutritious and enjoyable meals throughout the autumn and winter months.

Uniform and Lost Property Reminder

We have recently had several reports of missing school uniform items, including a number of items that are clearly labelled with children's names. We have also noticed an increasing amount of lost property around school.

Please could parents and carers check at home for any uniform items that may have been brought home by mistake. If you find any items belonging to another child, we would be grateful if they could be returned to school so that we can ensure they are returned to the child they belong to.

To help us return misplaced items, please ensure that all uniform and personal belongings are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Parents and carers are also welcome to look through our lost property collection if their child is missing any items. We encourage families to check regularly, as many unclaimed items accumulate throughout the term.



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Expanding free school meals eligibility

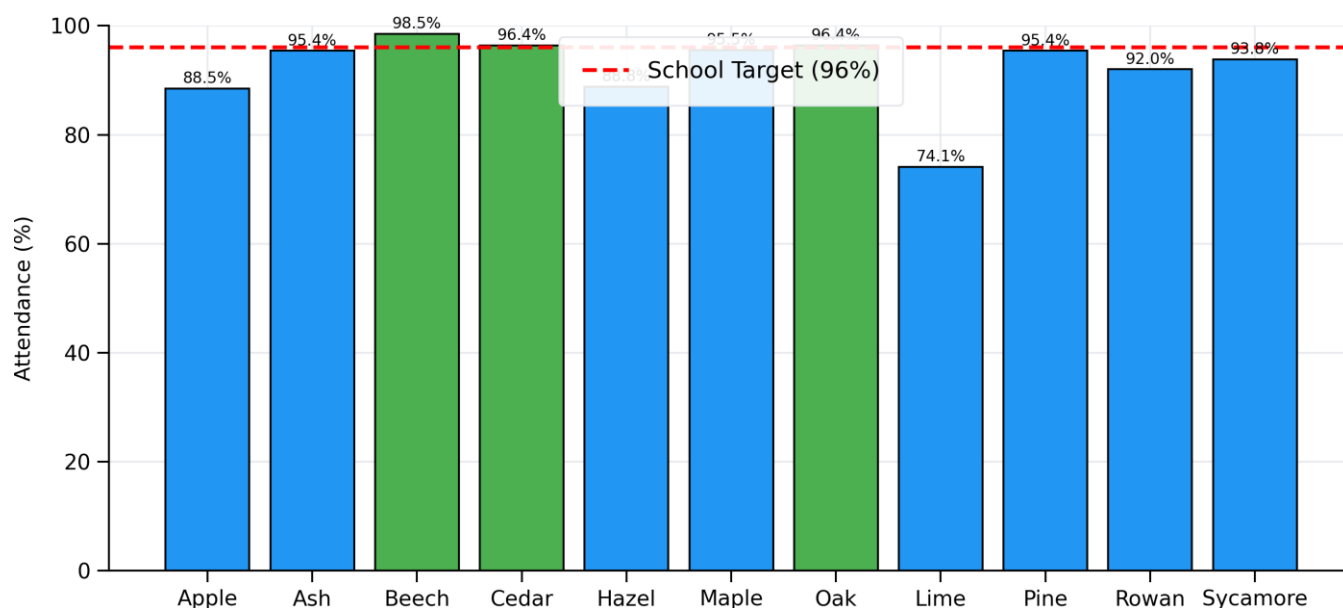
From September 2026 all households receiving Universal Credit, regardless of household income, will qualify for free school meals.

Who should apply

If you receive Universal Credit and your child is not getting free school meals, apply by filling in our online form.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/>

Class Attendance (28 Sept - 9 Oct 2026)



Our whole-school attendance for the last two weeks was **93.1%**. Thank you to all families who support excellent attendance. Our school target is **96%**, and every day in school helps children learn, achieve and thrive. Well done to **Beech, Cedar and Oak Classes** for meeting or exceeding the target!



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Parents and carers have a legal duty to ensure that their children attend school regularly. As our attendance policy states, all absences and appointments need to be reported to the school by 9.15am on the first day of absence. If your child is absent and we have not heard from you, we will telephone you on the first day of absence to find out what the reason is and when your child is expected to return. If we are unable to contact you, we will approach your emergency contacts and, if necessary, make a home visit. Please note that such home visits may be unannounced. Any future absences need a leave of absence form filling in which is available from the School Office.

Reporting an absence.



Diary Dates

Year 5&6 trip to University of Lancashire – Wednesday 14th October

Pine Class Harvest Festival Assembly – Parents welcome – Friday 16th October at 9.15am

Parents Evening – Tuesday 20th October

Spooky Non-Uniform Day – Wednesday 21st October

School Breaks for Half Term – Wednesday 21st October at 3:15pm

School Re-opens – Monday 2nd November at 8:40am

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Year 3&4 Running Club – Tuesday 3.15pm – 4.15pm (last session Tuesday 13th October)

Comp Choir – Wednesdays 3:15pm – 4:15pm

Year 5&6 Boys Football – Wednesday 3.15pm – 4.15pm (last session Wednesday 14th October)

Taekwondo – Thursday 3.15pm – 4.05pm

KS1 Multi Skills – Friday 3.15pm – 4.15pm (last session Friday 16th October)

Football Match Report

Our football team has played two challenging matches in recent weeks. The team faced Carleton Green, with the game finishing 6-0, before taking on Shakespeare, where the final score was 9-2.

Despite the results, the team showed great determination, teamwork and resilience. We are proud of their effort and commitment as they continue to grow in confidence and develop their skills.

Football Team Fixtures (note: these may be subject to change)

Tuesday 13th October vs Poulton St John's

Tuesday 20th October vs Flakefleet



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