



Where all our Pupils SHINE

Newsletter – Week 5 Friday 3rd October 2025

Home/School Agreement

Thank you to everyone who has returned their agreement, please ensure all forms are returned next week.

Water Bottles

We encourage the children to drink **water** throughout the school day **not juice**. Please ensure bottles are named.

Assembly Themes Monday – Thursday

Autumn Term 1

- Week 6 - Our World
- Week 7 - Great Stories
- Week 8 - Good and Evil

Celebration Assembly is held on Friday at 3.00 pm parents and families are invited to join us.

Assembly themes can be found for the full year on the website.

Find Out Friday!

On Friday 17th October instead of Celebration Assembly, we will be holding a “Find out Friday”. This is an opportunity for your child to show you their work. Parents are welcome into the classroom 3.00 pm – 3.15 pm.

Friends of Forton School (FOFS)

Each class has a WhatsApp group just for parents in that class. They are really handy for people posting reminders (non uniform days, trip information etc) and great for asking those things your just not sure about.

Please message the following relevant number - **The Nook and Nicky Nook** - Jenna Metcalfe 07850008428, **Clougha** - Carla Wison 07891723144, **Pendle** - Kelly Rushton 07840572719 or Karen Helm 07790898613

If you fancy getting involved please get in touch or catch myself or any of the team in the play ground at pickup time. Any time you can give would be massively appreciated and any fresh ideas greatly received whether it be a few minutes on a stall or

putting together our posters. We have quarterly meetings with the team and teachers, but mainly organise things through the FOFS WhatsApp group so if you can't make the meetings, you can still be involved. Any questions just ask, my number is 07816912133 and I'm Rachel, I have Tim in year 5.

Dates for the Diary	
October	
7 th	London – Pendle Class
8 th	London – Pendle Class
10 th	Harvest Festival - Assembly
13 th	Infants to URC - Harvest
16 th	Flu Vaccinations
17 th	No Celebration Assembly – “Find out Friday”
22 nd	Parents Evening & Close School
23 rd	INSET DAY
24 th	INSET DAY
November	
3 rd	Re-open School
4 th	NISCU - Pendle & Clough
12 th	Individual & Family Photographs

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS SECONDARY NORTH

Do you have a child starting secondary school in September 2026 and living in Lancashire?

Closing date: 31 October 2025

You **must** apply even if a brother or sister is already at the school.

Apply for a school place now by scanning the QR code or visit www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

If travel cost is an important factor in your school preference, please check the guidance on our website, or call 01524 581148.

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/schoolplaces and click 'school admission policies'.

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Do you have a child starting primary school in September 2026 and living in Lancashire?

Closing date: 15 January 2026

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

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Friday 3rd October

at Forton Village Hall (PR3 0AS)

19:00 open for viewing

19:45 auction starts.

Free entry with

Ploughman's platters provided.

Licensed bar



Scan this QR code to see our Auction brochure and auction lots!



Or for more information email jennifer@stjohnsellel.co.uk

