



# CAMBRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## WEEKLY CATCH UP

Value of the Month – Peace

Please note:

Children must not attend school if they have a new, continuous cough, a temperature above 37.8° or a loss of sense of taste or smell. They WILL be sent home if staff identify these symptoms.

20th November 2020

Dear Parents, Carers and Children

I can't praise the children enough for their attitudes coming back into school. They have been incredible. I think the experiences we are all currently going through are really helping us to remember what and who is important; and it is a real pleasure to see that being in school is so important to the vast majority of children. We are thrilled to have you back too.

Next week, we have arranged some changes to our PE as we are having Brad from Barrow AFC back into school. To keep things as safe as they can possibly be, he will be with us for full days on Mondays and Tuesdays, taking different groups for half a day. Please be reassured that all equipment will be either kept for the sole use of the bubble, or will be thoroughly cleaned between bubbles. This may mean that there are some changes to PE days. We will let you know via text.

Next week we will be ordering hoodies for the children as the weather is getting colder and we have been told that we must keep windows open to allow for good ventilation in classrooms. We will be ordering the same sizes as school jumpers so please make sure ALL CHILDREN HAVE THEIR SCHOOL JUMPER IN SCHOOL ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY, EVEN IF THEY ARE DOING PE.

We have been approached by Barrow AFC to join in with their 'Barrow United' initiative to support Barrow Foodbank in the run up to Christmas. We ask that parents bring donations on Wednesday 25th November. Details can be found overleaf.

We are beginning to think about Christmas and how we can recreate some of our traditional events virtually. Plans are afoot to be able to showcase something via Showbie which we are looking forward to sharing with you.

Thank you so much, once again, for your patience and cooperation over the last couple of weeks. We are truly grateful.

Mrs Lavery

# Important Information

## National Lockdown

You must not leave or be outside of your home except for specific purposes:

- work if you cannot work at home;
- to collect food, drink and medicines;
- for education or childcare;
- for exercise.

This rule applies to children as well as adults. We appreciate that this may be difficult for children to understand when they are together in school but this is the current law.

Emergency help and support is available at:

<https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/welfare>,

Email: [covid19support@cumbria.gov.uk](mailto:covid19support@cumbria.gov.uk)

Ring: Support Helpline on 0800 783 1966 (Mon to Thurs 9am to 5pm, Fri 9am to 4.30pm)

## Barrow United—Foodbank

A pupil from Newbarns Primary School has been inspired by Marcus Rashford and Boxes of Hope Cumbria, to support Barrow Foodbank.

He is asking us to donate items to support delivering hampers to local families during the Christmas Period.

What to Donate

Hopscotch, Nursery and Year 3 - Christmas Cake, Selection Boxes

Reception and Year 4 - Mince Pies, Christmas Pudding

Years 1 and 5 - Tinned Ham, Tinned Salmon and Biscuits

Years 2 and 6 - Stuffing, Savoury Crackers

Please make parents/carers aware of checking the Best Before Date when donating items. The majority of the items can be sourced from stores like Aldi and Home Bargains.

## Important Dates

Wednesday 25th November	Collection date for Barrow foodbank
Friday 27th—Wednesday 2nd	Christmas decorations up in school
Tuesday 1st December	Flu immunisations—Reception to Year 6
Friday 18th December	School closed for Christmas

## Stars of the Week

Reception	Kane and Kingsley
Y1	Whole Class
Y2	Darcie and Saul
Y3	Mercedes and Declan
Y4	Joshua and Alan
Y5	Tiegan and Henley
Y6B	Hayleigh and Courtney
Y6RG	Taraki