

This term's Christian Value is:

Generosity

'God loves a cheerful giver'
2 Corinthians 9.7

Attendance

Attendance this week: 97.4%
9 classes this week have had 97+% attendance
Whole school attendance to date: 98%
This academic year our target is 97%



Lightcliffe 100 – this week's words have been: *alter assessment atmosphere*



Stone Age Day in Y3

Year 3 stepped back in time for Stone Age Day. The children explored a range of artefacts, using them as clues to find out how people lived, worked and survived. They gathered information, asked thoughtful questions and enjoyed bringing their history learning to life through this memorable, hands-on experience.

Free School Meals and Pupil Premium Eligibility

There are now three routes to receiving free school meals, but only one brings Pupil Premium funding to school which is used to support educational opportunities for disadvantaged pupils.

ENTITLEMENT	WHO QUALIFIES	MEAL	PP FUNDING
Targeted FSM	Benefits-based criteria, including UC earnings of £7,400 or less	YES	YES
Expanded FSM	Universal Credit household earning above £7,400	YES	NO
UFSM	Every child in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2	YES	NO

Register for Targeted FSM – UFSM alone brings no Pupil Premium.



Mrs Dunkley



Mrs Hustler

Upcoming Events

Wed 30th Sept RY1 History theme day
Wed 30th Sept – 6pm – 8pm Reception 2027 Open evening
Thurs 1st Oct Individual Photos
Sun 4th Oct 1pm – 3pm Rotakids Grandparents' Day
Mon 12th – Fri 16th Oct Y6 Whitby trip
Wed 21st & Thurs 22nd Oct Parents' Evenings

Inspiring and flourishing together



Rotakids

The Rotakids club returns at lunchtime on Monday for children in Years 5 and 6 who are interested in serving the community and raising funds for causes they choose. Taking part helps children develop understanding and compassion for others while promoting the principle of 'service above self'. Their first community event will take place on Sunday 4th October. Please see the advert at the end of this newsletter and book your places.

Y6 Whitby Trip

Thank you to all the families who attended the Y6 Whitby information event. It was lovely to welcome Mrs Schoon back into school. Please return all requested information promptly so that staff can make the necessary preparations in good time.



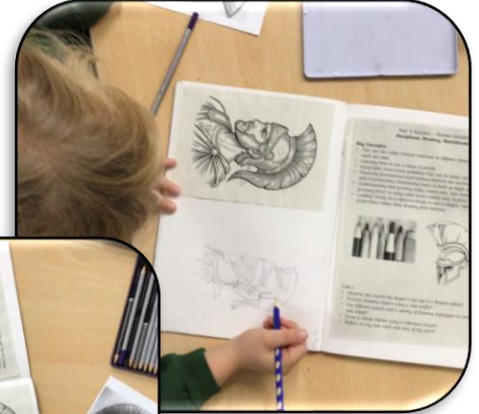
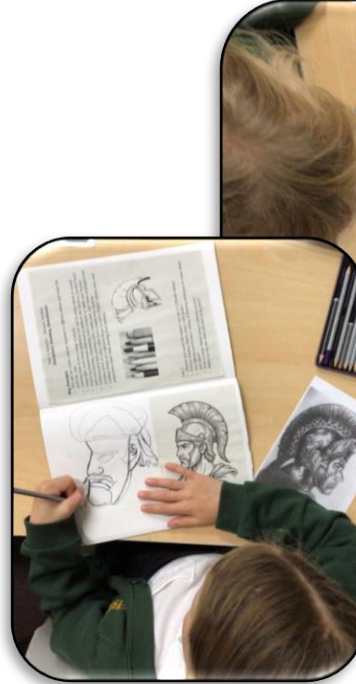
Harvest Festival

The school is preparing for our Harvest Festival. KS2 pupils will attend a service at church, while KS1 pupils will take part in a simple service at school. We will be collecting donations of dried and tinned food for Brighthouse Food Bank, which is always grateful for your generous contributions. Donations will be welcome from the week commencing 28 September.

The Big Swim - Healthy Minds Calderdale



Save the date: Parent Consultation Evenings Wednesday 21st October & Thursday 22nd October



Photos from our first few weeks in school



Reception/Year 1





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Families applying for **Reception**
places for September 2027 are
invited to attend

Open Events



Discover more
and register your
attendance

**BOOKING
ESSENTIAL**

Dates
throughout
the autumn
term

Open Evening

**Wednesday 30th
September
6.00 - 8.00pm**

Stay & Play

**Friday 9th October
2.30pm
Friday 20th November
10.15am**

Daytime Tours

**Wednesday 14th October
9.30am
Wednesday
4th November
9.30am**



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Childcare

Affordable & fun **wraparound
childcare** from 7:15am to 6:00pm

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For Reception to Year 6

**Tax-free
childcare
vouchers
accepted**



Space Day

1st October

Dear Families,

We're delighted to share that on **Thursday 1st October**, our school catering team will be hosting a **Space Day** themed lunch!

Our teams will be serving a tasty menu packed with children's favourites, including **sausages, chips and baked beans**, followed by **waffles with chocolate sauce** for dessert. A **strawberry ice cream dessert** will also be available as part of our Allergen Aware menu.

Meals can be ordered in the usual way. If your child doesn't usually have a school meal, Space Day is the perfect opportunity to give one a try and enjoy one of our special themed events. Please contact the school office for more information about ordering.

A reminder that all children in **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** are entitled to **free school meals**. Children in older year groups may also be eligible for free school meals – you can check your eligibility here:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

We can't wait to welcome everyone for a lunchtime full of **cosmic fun and tasty food!**

If you have any questions, please contact primary@impactfood.co.uk.

**COME ON A
SPACE DAY
ADVENTURE
WITH OUR
SPECIAL MENU!**



Space Day

1st October



Space Ranger Pork Sausages
(in a beef casing)

Or

**Galaxy Explorer Halal
Chicken Sausages**

Or

**Veggie Voyager
Meat-Free Sausages**

Served With

**Crispy Chips, Baked Beans
& Tomato Sauce**

Followed By

**Moon Crater Waffles
& Chocolate Sauce**



BRIGHOUSE ROTARY CLUB AND ROTAKIDS



YOU ARE INVITED TO

GRANDPARENTS' DAY AFTERNOON TEA

DATE: SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER
1PM - 3PM

LIGHTCLIFFE C OF E PRIMARY
SCHOOL HALL

£5 PER ADULT, £1 PER CHILD
INCLUDES TEA/COFFEE/JUICE
AND A SELECTION OF
SANDWICHES AND CAKES

CHILDREN'S CRAFT
ACTIVITIES FROM £1



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