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## Outdoor Ed

Our KS1 children have enjoyed their outdoor ed experiences this week in the sunshine.

Reception loved their nature walk along the banks of the Lune, Y1 scrambled their hearts out in Silverdale and Y2 were superstars trekking up and around Warton Crag.

Massive thanks to Bigadventure for organising and leading these trips which are paid for by PE funding.

Next up is canoeing for Y6 in May, then camping for Y5 in June – watch this space for more details.

## Drop off and pick up

A great big thank you from us for the safe way you have been dropping off and picking up children this week. Our bright new signs outside school seem to have helped to keep our children safe at busy times and today we are thankful to the council for re-painting the zig zag lines.

## Generosity

Our new Christian value is Generosity: we have been thinking about God's generosity and how we can show generosity to others. Our worship leaders are leading worship on Monday. A big thank you to the girls who have updated our worship board as well.

## Recorders

If you have a school recorder at home please can you return ready for the new recorder club starting next week. Thank you.

## Enrichment clubs

There is still space at our enrichment clubs, starting next week – here is a quick run-through of our offer for this half-term. More details are on the website.  
<https://catonstpauls.com/extra-curricular/>

### Bubble 1:

Coding: learn programming skills with Miss Turner.

Multi-skills – a range of sporting activities with Miss Walsh.

Relaxation: chill out with Mrs Riley

Recorder club: musical skills with Mrs Edwards. (instruments provided by school.)

### Bubble 2:

Running club: get fit with Miss Sanderson

Board game club: relax with Mrs Pollitt

Boomwhacker club: music skills with Miss Heap.

Cricket club: sporty fun with Mr Gittins

JAM club: spiritual activities with Miss Sanderson.

### Bubble 3:

Ukulele club: musical fun with Mr Legg (instruments provided by school).

Tennis club: learn new skills with Mrs Pollitt

Forest school club: adventuring with Mrs Riley/Mrs Sharples (Amethyst only) **FULL**

11+ club: for Y5s who might want to take the Grammar School test. Mr Gittins

Gardening club: improve our garden area with Miss Coates.

Places at some clubs are limited so please let us know if your child would like to attend any of these – it would be lovely to see loads of children involved.



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## School Uniform

### Uniform and Leisurewear Company Ltd

Following the government announcement you will be aware that all non-essential shops will be permitted to reopen from the 12th of April 2021. For now, our opening times for the Morecambe shop are as followed.

Monday 9:30 - 4:30

Tuesday CLOSED

Wednesday 9:30 - 4:30

Thursday CLOSED

Friday 9:30 - 4:30

Saturday CLOSED

Sunday CLOSED

We will review these opening times at a later date and hope to return to our normal working hours soon.

We do offer a online shopping service via our website [ualonline.com](http://ualonline.com). If you would prefer to talk to someone please call 01524 388355 and follow the options to the warehouse or required shop.

## Medical policy update

Please note our medical policy has recently been reviewed and has some amendments. The revised policy can be viewed on our website.

Please don't forget to update the office with any changes to your child's medical needs.

## School Lunches

Next week is Autumn week one menu – Monday will be pork sausages or jacket potato or curry.

The new Summer menu will start the week commencing 26 April. Your child will bring a menu home.

## VIPS

A massive CSP well done to all our super VIPS this week.

Diamond – Elizabeth for a great start in school!

Ruby – William for retelling a story orally and in writing all by himself!

Topaz – Neave for working really hard in both Maths and English and always making Miss Heap laugh!

Emerald – William for being so brave this week. Despite how you feel, you always try your best at everything. Relationships and work. Thanks William, you are a pleasure to teach

Sapphire – Reuben for working independently and having a positive attitude.

Amethyst – Frankie for working hard, being a good friend to others and for always being helpful in class.

VIP hoodies will be collected in on a Thursday so they can be washed before being given out on a Friday.

## Mid morning snack

For the Summer term the mid morning snack choices are:- Monday – crumpets, Tuesday – teacakes, Wednesday – wholemeal toast, Thursday – sliced fruit bread, Friday – yoghurt. Fruit juice will be available everyday. All 30p each.

There will be no bacon and sausage butties for this term. The weather is warmer therefore children don't need their carbohydrates quite as much! The healthy 'summer' options will be available for the remainder of this term. Miss Sanderson would appreciate any feedback on the updated snack.

## This half-term our Online Safety/Digital Literacy focus is 'Health, Wellbeing and Lifestyle'.

Within this we are looking at the impact that technology has on health, well-being and lifestyle including negative behaviours and issues that can be amplified and sustained by online technologies and the strategies for dealing with them. One way we can help to do this is to ensure that there are rules and boundaries set for use of technology, as these help to keep us safe.

### What will we be doing in school?

EYFS/KS1 – Will be looking at rules for using technology within school and at home and how these rules help to keep us safe.

KS2 – Will be discussing rules and why they are important, including how technology can impact us both positively and negatively. We will also be looking at the purpose of age-related content and describing their purpose.

### How can you help at home?

You can talk through rules and expectations for home and school. You could also ensure that there are parental control tools on devices to help keep your child safe. Below is a link to the PEGI website. This website provides advice regarding the age suitability of a game and there is also a link for advice for parental control tools for different devices.

<https://pegi.info/page/tips-parents>