



# Extra Newsletter

## Feb 2026



**An** extra newsletter this month with some announcements which will affect us all in the short, medium or longer term!

### **Parking outside school**

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Parking outside school at drop-off and pick up time is becoming a bit off a safety issue...

Nobody wants an accident to happen.

Please be mindful where you park – some cars have been parking on or leading up to the zebra crossing this week.

### **School Dinners**

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Just like when we go to do our weekly shop and we spot the price of our favourite items have gone up again, the price of school dinners are due to rise. From 13 April (Summer term), school dinners will be £3.10 per day for KS2 children. This is Government led, not school led, linked to rising food prices along with rising staffing costs.

### **September 2026**

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To save the Reception and Year 1 teachers from answering the same question lots of times at upcoming Parents' evening appointments...

At this moment, due to anticipated numbers of children in school, we will be moving back to 7 classes from September 2026. This will mean 1 class per year group rather than having a split Year 1 class.

All the current staff will still be in school – but we have not begun to think about where they will all be yet. I don't anticipate there will be too much shuffling around though.

Sept 2026	Class size?
Reception	30
Year 1	23
Year 2	28
Year 3	23
Year 4	20
Year 5	17
Year 6	22

It seems a little ironic after writing about reducing classes to write the next paragraph...

### **School Expansion**

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School is expanding!

We always knew this was on the long-term plan for Lancashire County Council when they built this building in 2017, although didn't know the time frame, or if it would actually happen.

However, due to rising demand for primary school places in the local area (due to house building and the expansion of Weeton barracks to accommodate a second regiment), plans are now underway.

Time-lines are still subject to change, and being discussed at County level, but potentially, by the end of 2028, we should have a new extension to school.

**Newsletters are also on our school website: [www.weeton.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.weeton.lancs.sch.uk)**

**Lots of photos of school life can be seen on Twitter: [@PrimaryWeeton](https://twitter.com/PrimaryWeeton)**

# Diary dates: Spring 2026

More events / dates may be added as we move through the term.

Fri 6 Feb at 2.30pm	<b>Class 3 Best Efforts</b>
Thurs 12 Feb	<b>Chinese Drumming Day</b> Sessions for each class – I think I'll bring my ear-defenders that day!
Thurs 12 Feb at 3.15pm	<b>Break up for Half-term holiday</b> After-school club will run as normal in the Pavilion
Fri 13 Feb 9.00 – 3.00pm	<b>AFC Fylde Sports Club in the school hall</b>  link to book
Mon 16 – Fri 20 Feb	<b>Half-term holiday</b>
Mon 23 Feb at 8.45am	<b>School re-opens</b> <b>AFC Fylde Sports Clubs restart</b>
Tue 24 Feb 3.30 – 5.00	<b>Parents' Evening</b>
Wed 25 Feb 3.30 – 5.00	<b>Parents' Evening</b>
Thur 26 Feb 3.30 – 5.00	<b>Parents' Evening</b>
Fri 27 Feb	<b>Year 5 Bikeability day</b>
Tue 3 March pm	<b>Year 5/6 Girl's Football at AFC Fylde Development Centre</b>
Wed 4 March	<b>Weeton Book Day</b> (the day before the rest of the World!) Children are welcome to dress up as a book character for the day.
Fri 6 March	<b>Year 5 Bikeability day</b>
Fri 6 March at 2.30pm	<b>Class 2 Best Efforts</b>
Wed 11 March am	<b>Class photos</b>
Fri 13 March at 2.30pm	<b>Class 1 Best Efforts</b>
Thurs 19 March evening	<b>Let's Go Sing Concert – Blackburn Ice-Rink</b>
Fri 20 March at 2.30pm	<b>Reception Best Efforts</b>
Mon 23 March	<b>Weeton Decorated Egg Competition</b> Decorate at home, bring into school on Monday 23 March for judging.
Mon 23 March	<b>Year 5 trip to Heysham Power Station</b>
Tue 24 March at 2.30pm	<b>Rocksteady Concert with our musicians</b> – parents are welcome to join us
Fri 27 March at 1.30pm	<b>Break up for Easter holiday</b>
Mon 30 March – Fri 10 April	<b>Easter Holidays</b>