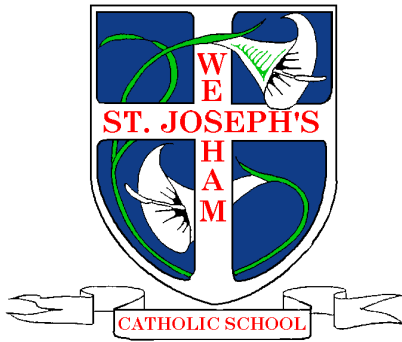


"Aspire not to have more, but to be more"



Friday Jubilee Launch for Schools

Please click on
the logo below
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more about the
Jubilee



Dear Parents/Carers,

Congratulations to the children who represented the school on Tuesday at Carr Hill in the Sports Hal Athletics competition. As a result of their combined efforts St Joseph's came 4th overall, which is fabulous for our small school.

Next Tuesday at 6pm is the next PTFA meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend and even if you just want to come to see what it is we discuss you are more than welcome.

As a school we had a great day today (Friday 24th Jan) we gathered with the Mini Vinnies leading us in and Celebration of the Word on the launch of the Jubilee 2025—Pilgrims of Hope. The children have then been involved in a variety of activities in class to learn more about HOPE and what it means.

This year we will also be celebrating our Diocesan (Lancaster) 100th Year Jubilee and BECMATs 10th Anniversary. There are many activities and events that the school will be involved in. One that we asking for help with is a history project on our school and parish. If you were a child at St Joseph's and have any photographs or memories you would be happy to share (all will be looked after and returned) we would love to hear from you.

Mrs Freeman

Dear Parents,
If you would like to pay for Breakfast or After School Clubs using Tax-Free Childcare vouchers please follow this link: [Get Tax-Free Childcare: step by step - GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/get-tax-free-childcare-step-by-step) to check your eligibility and sign up. This means payments are made before you pay tax, saving you money.

Childcare
Choices

We've signed up for
Tax-Free
Childcare:
Have you?



HM Government
Find out more at
[childcarechoices.gov.uk](https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk)

Breakfast Club

Come and join us for Breakfast and engaging activities at our Breakfast Club!

We are open every week day (term time only) from 7.45am.

Breakfast and refreshments included until 8.30am.

£4 per child per session (payable in advance).

We offer a late drop off from 8.30am for just £1.

Children go directly to their classrooms to start the day.

Medlar with Wesham C of E children are walked down by members of staff.

Please note that as of **1st February 2025** all places must be booked and paid for in **advance by 3pm** the previous day. This is to ensure we prioritise the health, safety and well-being of all our pupils, visitors and staff.



Key dates 2025

Fri 24th Jan	Jubilee Launch Day
Thu 13th Feb	Break for Half Term
Fri 14th Feb	School closed to Pupils (TRUST INSET day)
Mon 24th Feb	School Closed to pupils - INSET day
Tue 25th Feb	School reopens to pupils
Wed 26th Feb	Parents Meetings
Wed 19th Mar	St Joseph's Feast Day
Thu 27th Mar	PTFA Movie Night for children
Mon 31st Mar	Year 5 & 6 Reward trip to London
Fri 4th April	PTFA non-uniform day £1 donation
“ “	Break for Easter Holiday
Tue 22nd April	School reopens to pupils
Mon 5th May	School closed - Bank Holiday
Mon 12th May	Year 6 SATs
Thu 22nd May	PTFA Spring bingo
“ “	Break for Half Term
Fri 23rd May	INSET Day school closed to pupils
Mon 2nd June	School reopens to pupils
Thu 5th June	PTFA Movie Night for children
Thu 12th June	Sports Day (reserve 19th June)
Sat 14th June	Club Day
Fri 20th June	PTFA Disco
Fri 27th June	PTFA Non-uniform—bring an item for Summer BBQ
Fri 4th July	PTFA Summer BBQ
Tue 22nd July	Break for Summer



School Term Dates 2025/ 2026

Autumn Term 2025

INSET Day 1	Monday 1 st September
Starts	Tuesday 2 nd September
Ends	Friday 24 th October
TRUST INSET Day	Monday 3 rd November
Starts	Tuesday 4 th November
INSET Day 2	Friday 28 th November
Ends	Friday 19 th December

Half Term: Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October

Spring Term 2026

INSET Day 3	Monday 5 th January
Starts	Tuesday 6 th January
Ends	Thursday 12 th February
TRUST INSET Day	Friday 13 th February
Starts	Monday 23 rd February
Ends	Thursday 2 nd April

Half Term: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February

Summer Term 2026

INSET day 4	Monday 13 th April
Starts	Tuesday 14 th April
Ends	Friday 22 nd May
Starts	Monday 1 st June
Ends	Friday 17 th July
INSET Day 5	Monday 20 th July

Half Term: Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May

Pupils in school 188 days

Staff will be in school 195 days

5 INSET Days are allocated

2 BEBCMAT INSET days allocated

INTERNATIONAL

LEGO

DAY

Tues 28th Jan 25

Lego Pizza

Choice of Toppings

Pork Sausage

or

Cherry Tomato (v)

with

Skinny Fries, Baked Beans

or Sweetcorn,

or

Tomato & Mascarpone

Pasta

with

Garlic Dough Balls

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Warm Waffle

with

Vanilla Ice Cream

& Toffee Sauce

£2.70 per child



2025 HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

Action packed 1 day workshops with dance, yoga, craft
and games!

Feb Half Term - Thursday 20th February

Easter Holidays - Monday 14th April



SUMMER SCHOOLS

CREATIVE SUMMER SCHOOLS

2 fun filled days to fuel creativity and confidence including dance, yoga, drama, music, games and craft!

24th and 25th July | 31st July and 1st August

DANCE SUMMER SCHOOLS

For children who love to dance! 2 days packed with dance workshops and classes in a range of styles, plus Acro!

28th and 29th July | 4th and 5th August

Book here!



www.bookwhen.com/jcdance

- 10.00 - 3.30pm each day
- £25 per 1 day workshop | £50 per 2 day Summer School
- For ages 4-10
- At Weeton Village Hall, PR4 3ND

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ALL ITEMS
FREE

**Sat 25
January
2025**



**SALTCOTES COMMUNITY CENTRE,
9 SALTCOTES PLACE, LYTHAM, FY8 4HP**

**12noon
to 2pm**

**More info: Tracey on 07513 347 913 or
Sam on 07587 647 222**

Thinking about private Speech and Language Therapy for your child?



Happy Talk hold therapy sessions on Tuesdays between 3.30pm and 5.30pm at Ribby with Wrea Endowed CE Primary School (PR4 2WQ)

To find out more visit us at our no-obligation drop in evening on Tuesday 4th February 2025
3.30-4.30pm at
Ribby with Wrea Endowed CE Primary School
(PR4 2WQ)

To sign your child up for therapy sessions contact Happy Talk on 07983 587528 or help@happy-talk.co.uk



Lytham & St Annes Sessions

Ages 4 - 14

NEW!
Starts
2nd Feb

Sundays
10am - 11am

**St Annes Parish rooms,
2a Oxford Road, St Annes**



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Wednesdays
5.30pm - 6.30pm
**Hope Church,
Preston road, Lytham**



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£7 single session
5 week block £30
10 week block £55

Contact Chris Smith
07851237462

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Learn and play the Golf Starz way

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big starz



M.A.T.C.H

Men And Their CHildren

Calling all Dads, Grandads, Uncles and Male Carers

Saturday 25th January 2025 10am-12

Oak Tree Children and Family Wellbeing Centre,
Sydney Street, St Annes, FY8 1TR

Saturday 22nd February 2025 10am-12

Kirkham Family Hub,
Chapel Walks, Kirkham, PR4 2TA

Free to attend

Join us for
lunch, activities
and games.

Suitable from
birth to 11 years



We look forward
to seeing you

