

Download our new school app today!!!

The way that we communicate with parents and carers is changing. At the start of the new term we launched our website, if you have accessed our newsletter via the website you will have seen how easy it now is to navigate. We have now launched the second phase our new school app. The app is available in all app stores for free search for 'Liverpool College'. Please delete our old app which may be on your phone. When you have downloaded the app, you will automatically receive all website calendar items and all news stories. But, there is more. **If you go to Settings (listed under Menu) on the app and click on 'Chose notifications group' you will be able to select from more than 30 categories all those areas of school life about which you would like to be kept informed.** I urge you strongly to download the app as we will in the medium term develop it as our communication channel to you and you will be able to choose exactly what you want to be kept informed about. **Do not delay, download today.**

For further guidance please follow the links below

<https://myschoolapp.co.uk/>

<https://myschoolapp.co.uk/parents-page/>

PPC House Points of the Week



Winning Class: 6Q with 310 points

Winning House: Howards with 146 points

Winning Pupil: Ameira P with 35 points

Headteacher's Award

Well done to the following pupils, who were given Headteacher's Award certificates this week.

**Charlie L, Finn S, Ed P,
Ahmed K, Adam K, Aimee S,
Tom P, Dennis P, Riya N,
Aiden T, Isabelle M, Salah F,
Alexa C, Aliyah K, Tanvir H,
Annabelle L, Charlie W, Harry M,
Darcey G, Mason T, Leilani B,
Dottie U & Thomas M**



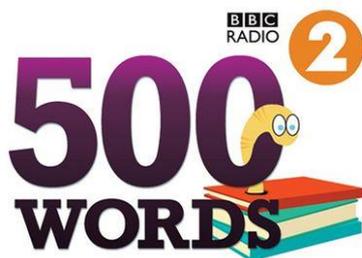
The world's biggest short-story writing competition for kids has returned and we can't wait to read this year's stories! 500 Words is an open invitation to the wide world of imagination, so it's time to get those creative cogs turning!

To help you get started, www.bbc.co.uk is packed full of helpful hints and terrific tips to bust through the writer's block.

Mrs Hegarty has registered Prep school to upload a whole school's worth of entries!

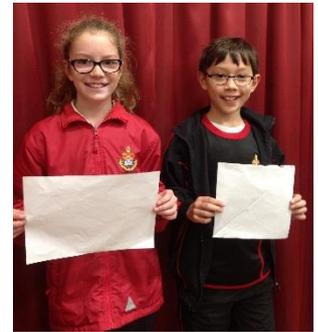
This is a whole school competition for over half term. Entries are to be with Mrs Hegarty by **Friday 1st March**. It's super simple. All entrants must pen an original story, no more than 500 words in length, and submit it online. It can be about **ANYTHING** you want - space-ships, grannies, insects, microwaves. The list is endless!

Pupils can also enter the competition on their own if they wish.



Maths word of the week - brought to you by Elinor G and James H

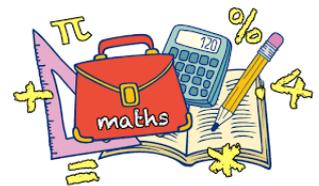
This weeks' word of the week:



Polygon

A polygon is a 2D shape having three or more straight sides.

Polygons may be regular with all sides and angles equal, or irregular with varying side and angle sizes.



Cian T and his sisters meeting the Irish Prime minister this week.





This week it was Group 2's turn to head outside for a spot of problem

solving and team building. After a quick but competitive warm up game, two teams set about trying to untangle a rope. They had to all be facing the same way, without crossed hands, and once their hands were on the rope, they couldn't let go! It proved very tricky, however this group did fare better than last week's group, with each team coming agonisingly close to solving the problem fully. The next challenge was for the teams to move from one place to another whilst only being allowed to stand in hoops. This required a great deal of concentration and teamwork, and it was wonderful to see children from different year groups, who probably never normally speak to each other, cooperating and even holding each other up to prevent a fall! After many failed attempts and evaluations of plans, one team eventually came through, showing lots of concentration, coordination and calmness! I must give a special mention Lucas F who was excellent both at planning a strategy but also looking after the younger members of his team. Sadly, there was a breakdown in communication in the other team, which led to a fair amount of frustration. However, this led to a good discussion at the end, and some valuable lessons were learnt. Most children's attitude throughout really encouraged us and we are looking forward to having them again!

A reminder that it's Group 1 the first week back after half term. Forest schoolers can come to school in their tracksuit, but if they don't bring it all then they will be sent back to their normal lesson.

Also, if you are one of our forest schoolers, it is YOUR responsibility to get out to the field after afternoon break on a Thursday.

We are not going to come and get you!



The 2019 Prep school Ski trip to Austria left this morning at 10am. Mums, dads, grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters and a few dogs all shed a tear as 27 very excited children, Miss Clark, Mr Bishop and Mrs Doran all waved from the coach. Crispin the Camel might have sneaked on board too! Hope he has remembered his passport.



Well done to our playground buddies they have done their job so well we

would like them to continue for another half term.





To support
World
Cancer
Week,
pupils and
staff at

Liverpool
College Prep school were given the opportunity to purchase Unity bands this half term. All students were asked to wear their bands on Friday in order show their unity, to raising awareness and take action. The sale of these bands raised a staggering £507.94. All proceeds will go directly to Cancer Research UK. A sincere thank you to everyone who contributed to this very worthy charity. Well done to you all!

If you would like to do more for Cancer Research UK, Mrs Doran is helping to organise a 24 hour community fundraising event in September. No running required I promise! The event involves working as a team, with all ages and family members welcome. The team takes turns to keep a baton moving around a track whilst the rest of the team relaxes by watching the entertainment provided, going to the refreshment/beer tent or taking part in the many activities on offer. The event is entirely **free**. If you are interested, please Google **Relay for Life Warrington** or email Mrs Doran sedoran@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

You can create your own team and take part with all your friends. If you would like to join in but don't have enough people to make up a full team, please let Mrs Doran know.

Together - we can make a difference!

On
Wednesday
13th
February
the U11 A
and B netball



teams played St Pius away. We had a fantastic afternoon of sport and all the girls thoroughly enjoyed two very competitive matches. The U11 A team came away with their biggest win of the season at 7-4 with some fantastic goal scoring by Lena Atkins and Aurelie O. The U11 B team had a brilliant match with a great win of 9-4. A special mention must go to Grace Matthews, Anya Cannon and Holly Wilson for their shooting skills. I was very proud of the girls' sportsmanship and their clear love of the game! A successful afternoon all round! A big thank you to Miss McLindon for all her help with training and umpiring. I'm looking forward to our next fixture!

On
Monday,
the year
4 boys
visited



Liverpool FC academy in Kirkby to take part in the LSSP boys' football tournament. They got off to a fantastic start, brushing aside our first 4 opponents. We then faced tougher opposition as the tournament developed and lost our final game 1-0, failing to qualify for the final by the skin of our teeth. The boys can be proud of their performance, especially Mark L and Shrey H.

Reminder to pay the remaining balance. All payments are to be made via Parent Pay.

Keep Calm and Read on Club

10 Books - Darcey G, Thomas M, Mason T, Lyla-Rose Mc, Olivier C, Maisy K, Isabelle M, Charlie W, Emily L, Freya W, Sofia T, Jessica T, Elise N.

20 Books - India R, Clay C, Dylan L, Drew Mc, Molly M, Harry S.



Weekly Class Attendance and Punctuality Awards

Class	Attendance %		Punctuality %	
3R	99.1	😊	99.1	😊
3Q	98.6	😊	98.1	😊
3P	91.5	😞	91.1	😞
4P	98.1	😊	98.1	😊
4Q	91.7	😞	90.7	😞
5P	96.8	😞	96.3	😞
5Q	97.3	😊	97.3	😊
6Q	95.4	😞	94.4	😞
6P	97.7	😊	97.2	😊

Well done to **3R Form** for the best attendance this week with **99.1%**! Keep up the good work, as we want all of our 'Mr and Mrs Potato Heads' to be clothed!



Win LFC stadium tour tickets! Thank you to those who have already filled in the [Travel to School survey](#). If you haven't

yet had a chance, up for grabs is a ticket for 2 adults and 2 children to experience the unmissable, immersive, LFC stadium tour! For those that have already completed the survey - just pass your name and email address to the school office to make sure you go in the draw.

Link to survey - <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/PKD6C>
[CR](#)

A full Michaelmas 2019 term calendar has been emailed to parents and is available on the website

Mon 25 Feb	STAFF INSET DAY
Tue 26 Feb	Term commences at 8:35am
Wed 27 Feb	Barcelona music tour parents info evening 6pm MV Hall
Thurs 28 Feb	Cross Country league race @ Sefton Park
Fri 1 Mar	U10 & U11 Netball & Rugby vs Birkenhead (H)

★★★★★ **Be Scene** ★★★★★
Performing Arts Academy

Developing Character Qualities and Leadership Skills Through Performing Arts



PERFORMING ARTS CAMP FEBRUARY HALF TERM

DATES: TUESDAY 19TH FEBRUARY - THURSDAY 21ST FEBRUARY

VENUE: CALDERSTONES SCHOOL

**10AM-3PM
 FOR
 CHILDREN
 AGED
 AGES 5-14**

Be Scene Performing Arts Camp offers children the opportunity to experience the fun and excitement of all performing arts disciplines. Throughout the week children will take part in drama workshops, vocal lessons and musical theatre.

**£20 PER DAY
 OR
 £55 FOR 3 DAYS!**

Wraparound care is available provided by RWB Sports 8.30am - 5.00pm.

AM: £3.75
 PM: £3.75

Bring a packed lunch, plenty of water and wear suitable clothing.

10% Discount for youngest siblings

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**LIVERPOOL FUTSAL CLUB
 FEBRUARY CAMP -2019-**



**19th, 20th & 21st
 FEBRUARY**

Price: £15 per day

- Book 3 days for £40
 - £5 off if you bring a sibling

Time: 9:00 - 15:00 Ages: 7-12

**Where: Belvedere Academy
 17 Belvedere Road
 Princes Park, L8 3TF**

**What you need: Lunch (snacks),
 plenty of water, shin pads,
 indoor trainers**

**Interested? Contact us for more
 information or to book your place now**

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LIVERPOOL
 FUTSAL CLUB

**PLEASE CHECK THAT ALL
 KIT/UNIFORM IS NAMED THIS
 WEEKEND**

We have rather a lot of lost property in
 the lost property box.

Lauren F has lost her named school coat.



Best wishes to you all for a
 good half term
Mrs A Pease - Head of Prep