



Knowetop Primary School

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Our Vision: Through Education with Imagination, we will Challenge, Achieve, and Excel.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to our Parent Council for putting on excellent discos for our children this week. Pupils had a brilliant time and both discos were very well attended. Thank you to all parent helpers and Kevents for being an amazing DJ as always.

Mrs Smith and I have enjoyed jotter monitoring all our classes this week and we are proud of the great work children are producing. We are looking forward to parent meetings next week and I have included more information on this below.

I hope this newsletter keeps you well informed and if there is anything we can do to help, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Please keep up to date with all our pupil achievements and news featured on our X feed [@KnowetopPrimary](https://twitter.com/KnowetopPrimary)



Mr Gordon Murray
Head Teacher

Child Protection Officer

Knowetop Primary's Child Protection Officer is Gordon Murray, Head Teacher. If you have any child protection concerns you wish to raise, please contact on 01698 274951 or email nlmurrayg2@northlan.org.uk.

Parental Appointments

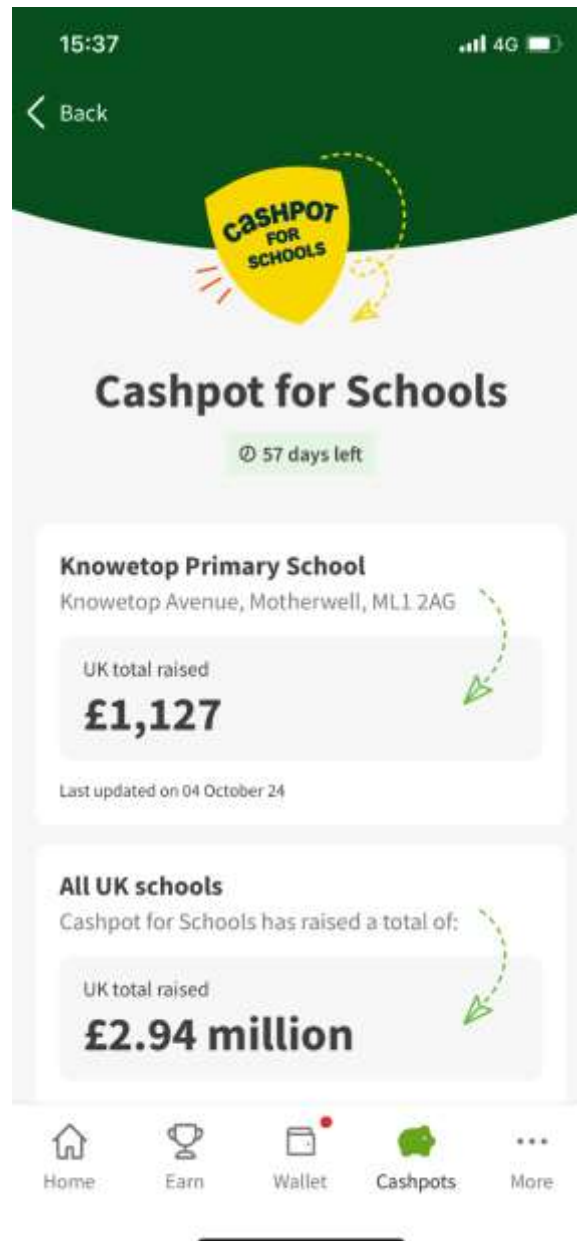
There has been an error with the system and appointments were booked for 5 minutes each. However, the appointments will be 7 mins each as usual. Bells will be used to mark the beginning and end of each appointment. Some appointments may be affected by a few minutes either before or after your time. We would ask if possible, can you be ready for the teacher 5 mins before your appointment time and you maybe taken a few minutes later to allow for the 7 minute timings.

Please arrive for your appointment at the main entrance and then make your way to either the infant extension or the gym hall. Take a seat in the central areas in each space and the teacher will call you over when it is your time. The following list shows where each teacher will be based.

Infant Extension	Gym Hall
Mrs McCallum	Miss Russell/ Mrs Gibson
Miss Hendry	Miss Davies
Miss Torley	Mrs McAlister
Mrs Higgins/ Mrs Jarvis	Mrs Gray
Mr Stewart	Mrs McKeen/ Mr Brown
Mrs McClymont	Miss McCallum
Miss Humphreys	Mrs Heron
Mrs Maitland	Mrs McGinty/ Mr Brown
	Mr Carline
	Mrs McLean

ASDA Cashpot Update

Another super week from our ASDA shoppers. Thank you for all the support.



Primary 7 Shrek Visit

Our Primary 7 pupils will be attending Dalziel High school to watch their school show 'Shrek' on Monday. They will be leaving Knowetop at 12.10pm to walk down to Dalziel for the show. We are still looking for a few volunteers to help with walking them down to Dalziel so if you fancy a free viewing of the show then please contact the school office through our enquiries. If you would like to walk down but not stay for the show then that is fine also.

Lost Property

Please have a look at all clothing brought home by children as we have had a few parents say that their children have lost their clothing, and it is clearly labelled with their name. If you have anything at home with a different name then please return to school so we can return to the named child. One item we are still missing

is an 11-12 size cardigan with one of our girl's name on it. Any clothing to be returned can be handed into the school office.

P5 Rugby Festival

Primary 5 pupils will be attending a rugby festival at Ravenscraig on Friday from 12.30-2.30pm and will be leaving around 12.15 to get on the bus up to Ravenscraig. We are looking for a few volunteers who would be able to accompany them for the festival. If this is something you would be able to support then please contact the school office through the email address at the top of the newsletter.

Primary 3 Assembly

Our first stage assembly of the year will be Primary 3 who will be sharing their learning about the 1970's with us on **Thursday 10th October at 11am**. Please note this assembly will take place in **St Marys Church on Avon Street**. There will be no need to restrict tickets to two adults per family as there is enough capacity for other family members to attend so tickets will not be necessary for this event. I will send out the live link for the assembly a few days before so that people can watch from home.

Our Values



Our Values award winners this week.

We have been revisiting our school values during assemblies and so far, have covered Kind, Nurturing, Open-Mindedness and Willing. Our values were devised a few years ago by pupils and here is a reminder.

We are

Kind
Nurturing
Open-minded
Willing
Enthusiastic
Trustworthy
Original
Passionate



Football

Motherwell FC Community Trust are delivering FREE football sessions @ Firpark on a Friday afternoon (after school) for P1 and P2 pupils from **Friday 4th October 4th from 4-5pm.**

[P1 & P2 Friday Free Football- Oct 4th-Dec 13th \(Fri 4th Oct 2024 - Fri 13th Dec 2024\) | Motherwell FC Community Trust | Powered by ClassForKids](#)



Knowetop Parent Council

<https://www.facebook.com/KnowetopPC>

Co-Chairpersons: Mrs Ali Holmes and Vacancy

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for bringing children to the first discos of the session. We had an excellent turnout and children had a great time. We continue to have the quiet room available as the dancing is not for everyone so we want all pupils to feel included in our events.

Christmas Fundraiser

This is a reminder that you can order your Christmas products now but the window will close 12noon on 9th October. If you require your child's code please contact the Parent Council on knowetoppc@gmail.com as the school don't have this information.

Quiz Night

The Parent Council would like to invite you to our Quiz Night to raise funds for the school. This will be held on Saturday 9th November in Club 100, Motherwell and tickets will cost £10. We are looking for teams of 4 or 5 to enter and there will be a cash prize of £100 for the winning team!! We will also have a raffle on the night so donations will be greatly appreciated nearer the time. This will be an event for adults only, plenty upcoming events in the calendar for the children to be involved in!! There is also an option to make a donation if you are unable to attend but would still like to support the event. Please secure your tickets from the following link www.knowetop.co.uk but move quickly as numbers are limited by the hall.

Thanks, Ali