

TARGETED FAMILY LEARNING

Please note that the following targeted Family Learning sessions, delivered by our Attainment Team, are **by direct invitation only**. Thank you.

IDL LITERACY AND NUMERACY

This workshop will provide an overview of the IDL programme and provide training to parents and carers on how to use the programme at home to support their child's literacy and numeracy.

Tuesday 2nd September

9.10am – 10.00am

LEARNING TOGETHER HOMEWORK CLUB

This weekly club will give parents and carers the opportunity to learn alongside their child and will include lots of helpful input and ideas from members of our 'Attainment Team'.

Six-week block beginning

Monday 8th September

3.00pm – 4.00pm.

EAL LITERACY WORKSHOP

Literacy workshop for Primary 1 parents and carers of pupils whose first language is not English.

Wednesday 17th September

9.10am – 10.00am

READ WRITE INC. FRESH START

This workshop, for parents and carers who have a child working through the *Read Write Inc. Fresh Start* programme, will provide parents and carers with strategies to support their child's literacy at home. Participants will also receive a home activity pack.

Wednesday 1st October

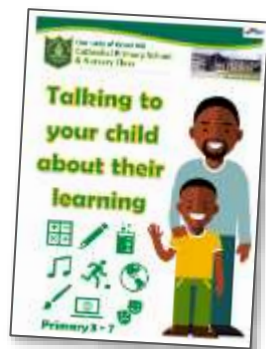
Group 1: 9.10am – 9.50am

Group 2: 10.00am – 10.40am

Group 3: 11.00am – 11.40am

Group 4: 11.50am – 12.30am

Please don't forget to use our handy leaflet to help you talk to your child about their day-to-day learning. If you've mislaid your paper copy, the leaflet can be accessed in the 'Parent' section of the school website.



Our Lady of Good Aid Cathedral Primary School

Parental Engagement & Family Learning



August – December 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Each and every one of you plays a vital role in helping your child maximise their potential and flourish in school. To support you in this, Cathedral Primary has planned a range of opportunities between now and the summer holidays for you to get involved in your child's learning and the life and work of the school.



Please remember that the school **website news-feed** is updated several times each week. This provides the latest news and information on everything that's going on in Cathedral Primary and is **available in numerous different languages** via the 'translate' function. Simply type 'Cathedral Primary blog' into Google and save the site to your home-screen for regular updates.

Graeme Young (Head Teacher)

UNIVERSAL FAMILY LEARNING

Tuesday 9th September Literacy workshop for **new Primary 1 parents:** presentation and live demo in dining hall.



Wednesday 1st October Primary 2 Reading workshop, with practical ideas to help you support your child's reading at home. The sessions will take place in MOTHERWELL LIBRARY.

- **Primary 2a and P2 pupils from P1/2:** 11.00am
- **Primary 2b:** 1.30pm



Priority 1 in our 2025/26 Annual Improvement Plan focuses on further developing and embedding high-quality *adult-initiated* and *learner-led* learning experiences. An exciting aspect of this improvement work is the development of our new **INVESTIGATION & INNOVATION HUB: a dedicated space for Primary 3 – 7 learners to engage and collaborate in investigation, enquiry, problem solving and open-ended projects, with the aim of cultivating and developing the four Creativity Skills:**

CURIOSITY IMAGINATION OPEN-MINDEDNESS PROBLEM SOLVING

The individual class workshops below will give parents and carers the opportunity to learn about how we are supporting Cathedral learners to develop creativity skills and then work alongside their child in our new **Investigation & Innovation Hub**.

Tuesday 23rd September **Primary 7a:** 9.15am – 10.00am
Primary 7b: 11.00am – 11.45am
Primary 7c: 1.30am – 2.15pm

Tuesday 7th October **Primary 6a:** 9.15am – 10.00am
Primary 6b: 11.00am – 11.45am
Primary 6c: 1.30am – 2.15pm

Tuesday 28th October **Primary 4/5:** 9.15am – 10.00am
Primary 5a: 11.00am – 11.45am
Primary 5b: 1.30am – 2.15pm

Tuesday 4th November **Primary 4a:** 9.15am – 10.00am
Primary 4b: 11.00am – 11.45am
Primary 3/4: 1.30am – 2.15pm

Tuesday 11th November **Primary 3a:** 9.15am – 10.00am
Primary 3b: 11.00am – 11.45am

LEARNING SHOWCASES (1.45pm in gym hall)

Friday 19th September Primary 5
Friday 10th October Primary 7
Friday 7th November Primary 3



COFFEE MORNINGS (9.45am – 11.00am in Dining Hall)

Friday 12th September Organised and run by Primary 7
Friday 21st November Organised and run by Primary 6



OTHER DATES TO POP IN YOUR DIARY

Mon 20th October Parent Council (6.30pm)
Wed 3rd Sep & Wed 12th Nov Fundraisers meeting (6.30pm)

Mass will be celebrated at 8.15am every Tuesday and Friday throughout Advent.



MEET THE TEACHER **Thursday 28th**
August 2025

Parents Thursday 2nd
Evening October 2025