

CARDINAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday, 12th September 2025

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to parents, carers and pupils. A special warm welcome also goes to new children and their families who have joined our school. We hope you will be very happy being part of such a fantastic community.

Now that we have merged and become 'Cardinal Primary School', we need a school logo - an emblem to represent our place of education. Therefore we have invited our pupils to take part in a competition to design our very own school logo. The logo should reflect the school's identity, values, and connection to the local area. Please encourage your children to participate in this competition. Further details are below.

Dates for your Diaries:

Wednesday, 17th September - Year 1
Curriculum meeting 9am Infant hall
Thursday, 18th September - Year 5/6
Curriculum meeting 9am
Junior hall
Wednesday, 24th September -
Reception Curriculum meeting 9am
Infant hall
Thursday, 25th September - Year 3
/4 Curriculum meeting
9am Junior hall
Friday, 26th September - KS2
vaccinations (permission required)
Friday, 26th September - Final date
to hand in logo designs for
competition.

Attachments

Attached to this email are two documents -

- 1) Courses for parents to support your children's education.
- 2) Courses for parents to support your children's emotional development and keeping your children safe online.

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Logo Design Instructions: Cardinal Primary School

School Overview

The logo should reflect the school's identity, values, and connection to the local area.

Design Requirements

- **Shape:** The design must fit within the circle logo shape provided.
- **Size:** Keep sizes balanced and suitable for use on uniforms, signs, and digital platforms.
- **Text:** Include the initials C P S clearly. These stand for **Cardinal Primary School**.
- **Style:**
 - **Bold and simple** — easily recognizable by all.
 - **Clear lines with not too much detail** — suitable for printing and embroidery.
 - **Child-friendly** — do not use anything too complicated or abstract.

Make sure the logo is clear when made smaller or printed in black and white.

Local Inspiration

Perhaps include elements that reflect the school's **local environment and community**:

- **River Longford** – maybe flowing lines or water symbols.
- **Railway** – simple train tracks or train images to reflect local transport links.
- **Diversity** – celebrating the different cultures and ethnicities.

These elements should be **subtle and symbolic**, with not too much detail.

Materials to Use

Designers may use:

- **Pencil crayons or fine felt tips**
- **Computer art program digital tools**
- **Bold colours with high contrast to stand out. Only use 3–4 colours.**
- **Include Maroon and Blue as these are the school colours.**

Handing in Details

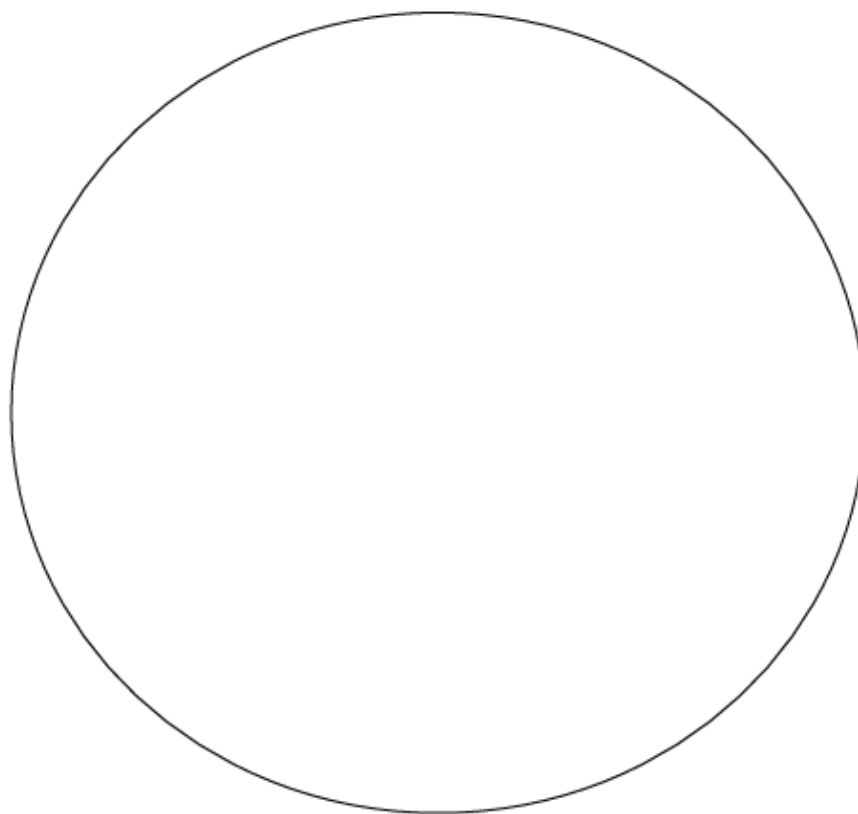
- **Deadline:** All designs must be handed in by **Friday, 27th September 2025**.
- **Format:** If you have made a digital design please send to the office as a **high-resolution PNG or PDF**. If you have made a paper design, please hand in to your class teacher.
- Include a brief description of your design choices.

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Brief description of your design choices:



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IT Issues

Thank you for your continued patience as we work through the recent technology issues. We sincerely apologise for the inconvenience caused by the difficulties in accessing lunchtime meal orders for your children. We're actively addressing the problem and hope to have everything running smoothly as soon as possible.

Website

Cardinal Primary School is in the process of developing a website! It will take some time to shape it into our preferred layout. We're committed to keeping you informed with events and dates. We'll continue to upload letters, update the school calendar with key events, maintain staff information, and share policies and other relevant updates to keep you connected.
<https://www.cardinalprimaryschool.co.uk>

School Telephones

 Our telephone system has been updated to better serve our Primary School community. Whether you call 020 8890 6306 or 020 8890 9624, you'll be directed to the same destination. Please listen carefully to the menu options and choose the one that best matches your enquiry.

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VICTORIA JUNIOR SCHOOL CALENDAR 2025-2026



School open



Holidays and Bank Holidays – school closed



INSET day (staff training) – school closed for pupils

SEPTEMBER

School opens for the Autumn Term on Wednesday 3 September 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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OCTOBER '25

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OCTOBER

School Closed on Friday 24 October 2025 for an inset day
School closed for Half Term on Monday 27 October to Friday 31 October 2025

NOVEMBER

Second half of the Autumn Term begins on Monday 3 November 2025

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DECEMBER '25

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DECEMBER

School closes at 2pm on Friday 19 December 2025

JANUARY

School opens for the Spring Term on Monday 5 January 2026

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FEBRUARY '26

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FEBRUARY

School closed for Half Term on Monday 16 February to Friday 20 February 2026.
School Closed on Monday 23 February 2026 for an Inset Day
Second half of the Spring Term begins on Tuesday 24 February 2026

MARCH

School closes at 2pm on Friday 27 March 2026

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APRIL '26

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APRIL

School opens for the Summer Term on Monday 13 April 2026

MAY

School Closed for Bank Holiday on Monday 4 May 2026
School closed for Half Term Monday 25 May to Friday 29 May 2026

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JUNE '26

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JUNE

Second half of the Summer Term begins on Monday 1 June 2026

JULY

School closes at 2pm on Friday 17 July 2026

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AUGUST '26

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AUGUST