



Newsletter

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Summer Term

SUMMER HOLIDAY:
We break up today for the summer holiday. School will start again on Wednesday 6th September 2017 at 8.50am.

With God's Love
we enjoy and excel
together

Expectation Certificates

This week's expectation is...

Be kind to others.

Nursery	Everyone
Reception	Everyone
Year 1	Jase Cox
Year 2	Leo Barlow
Year 3	Erin Byrne
Year 4	Ethan Mangwiro
Year 5	Calum Moores
Year 6	Amelia Venables

21.07.2017

The Headteacher

This will be the final newsletter of the year. We would like to say a huge thank you for all the support that you have given to the school over the year. The children have been working very hard all year and deserve a good break over the summer. Hopefully, there will be some summer sunshine to help them enjoy it. We will be sad to be saying goodbye to our Y6 children. They finished the year in style with their wonderful Y6 Leaver's Show of 'Robin Hood and the Sherwood Hoodies.' It was brilliant! We wish them all the very best for the future. We also wish Miss Walsh all the very best as she takes up her new post in September. I hope you all have a super summer and we look forward to seeing everyone back for the start of the new academic year on Wednesday 6th September.

Attendance The school's attendance target for all the children is 96.1%. At the moment our attendance figure from the start of this academic year is 94.9%. We held the final end of year prize draw for the children with good attendance. The winner of our tablet prize was Jorge Weston. We have seen a big increase in term time holiday requests this year and it is important that parents and carers understand that we will not authorise any term time holiday unless there are exceptional circumstances for it. We will make a referral for a fixed penalty notice for any unauthorised term time holidays which could lead to a fine.

Class	Attendance since September	Attendance last week	Class	Attendance since September	Attendance last week
Nursery	93.8%	99.2%	Year 4	94.0%	95.9%
Reception	94.3%	91.7%	Year 5	96.4%	95.4%
Year 1	95.4%	86.4%	Year 6	95.3%	91.3%
Year 2	94.3%	94.3%	School	94.9%	93.8%
Year 3	95.8%	95.7%	Target	96.1%	96.1%

Giant Hogweed Plant

We have been asked to pass on this important health and safety warning by United Utilities and Salford City Council. Giant Hogweed is a large toxic plant that has been identified growing in many areas along the River Irwell valley. The plant can cause severe blisters and burns and even blindness if it comes into contact with the skin or eyes. Skin can remain sensitive to sunlight for years after it has been affected. The advice is to avoid touching the plant. If you do touch Giant Hogweed the best course of action is to cover the affected area from sunlight and wash it with soap and water as soon as possible. We have shown the children a picture of the plant in assembly today and more information can be found at <https://www.salford.gov.uk/parks-and-open-spaces/maintaining-the-green-space/giant-hogweed/>

Before/after school clubs

School club will open again on Wednesday 6 September at 7.30am. Please make sure payments are made in advance via the gateway before the beginning of September.

Handwriting Stars



Year 1	Scarlett Taylor	Year 4	Gabrielle Smith
Year 2	Stan Venables	Year 5	Mia Cotterill
Year 3	Ruby Miller	Year 6	Charlotte Halliday

The class with the best overall average in times tables (%)

Class 5 with 94.04%



The class with the best overall average in spelling (/10)

Class 2 with 90.37%



When we return, it will be week 2 on the dinner menu

Dinner money – September

Dinner money for 6 September – 8 September will be £6. This can be paid via the school gateway

Universal free meals

Children in Reception – Year 2 will be entitled to **Universal free school** meals. If your child is eligible for free school meals, it is worth registering them even if they are not going to have the school lunch. School will receive a 'pupil premium' – an extra payment for each eligible child which they can spend on useful services. Children on free meals will also be entitled to free milk.

Children in Nursery and Y3 – Y6 will need to pay for their meals. The cost will be £10 payable on a Monday morning via the school gateway or sent into school in a clearly marked envelope.