



# NEWSLETTER

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***Learning and Growing Together in Faith, Hope and Love***

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OUR VALUE THIS HALF  
TERM IS:  
LOVE THROUGH  
COMPASSION

*'Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must  
forgive others.'* Colossians 3.13

## **A message from Mrs Young ....**

**Dear Parents/Carers,**

What a busy first week back we have had!

Mrs Ryder, the previous headteacher of Parish, visited us on Tuesday and she was amazed by our beautiful learning environment and really happy to see that Parish is still full of happy, smiling faces!

Next week, Y1 pupils will begin to carry out the Phonics Screening Check and Y4 will begin their Multiplication Checks - a busy week all round!

Y5 started their swimming sessions this week and Mrs Flanders was so excited to tell me how much the children loved the session. Well done Y5!

I have been blown away by the standard of the Parish University Projects - from football, to space to environmental projects, they have all been utterly outstanding! Well done to everyone. We are busy planning the upcoming graduation ceremony which this year will be held at the Town Hall. As always, it promises to be a wonderful event.

On Thursday we held our Lake District Residential information meeting. If parents have any further queries, please do get in touch.

Finally, well done to the Y5 and Y6 girls who represented Parish at the Y5/Y6 St Helens Football Competition today. You did us proud!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Young



# School Matters!



**Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow**

## Attendance

Whole School	94.2%
Reception	92.5%
Year 1	97.8%
Year 2	93.8%
Year 3	98.1%
Year 4	93.1%
Year 5	90%
Year 6	94.1%

Equates to:



**176 pupils with perfect attendance this week!**



## Attendance Update

We need to try really hard each and every week to make sure every year group is beating our **97% target**— this will help us to succeed!

**Our attendance this week is: 94.2%**

**Our attendance for the year so far is: 94.6%**

## **Summer 2—Important Dates**

12th June – Year Six Leavers Service at Liverpool Cathedral (More information to follow)

14th June – Own clothes day for a donation of unwanted gift sets

14th June – Year Two Pots Of Gold Trip – World of Glass

18th June – Parish University Graduation

20th June – Year 4 Pots Of Gold Trip –Liverpool Museum and Ferry

21st June – Music Coffee morning

21st June – Altru Workshops with Y1 – Y6 for Refugee Week

28th June – Year 2 Class Assembly @ 9am  
Week commencing 1st July – Year 6 Cowley Transition days & Whole School Transition week

2nd July – Awards Evening (More information to follow)

4th July – Parish Summer Fayre

9th July -Sports Day

11th-12th July – Lakes Residential Trip

12th July – Reception Class Assembly @ 9am

18th July – Year 6 Leavers service at Parish Church

18th July – Year Six Prom @ 6pm – 8pm

19th July – School closes for Summer break @ 2pm

## **Headteacher's Award WINNERS**

### **British and Christian Values**

Nursery	<b>Toby Rawsthorne</b>
Reception	<b>Eleanor Potts</b>
YEAR 1	<b>Sashreek Navaneethan</b>
YEAR 2	<b>Harper Mawdsley</b>
YEAR 3	<b>Esmae Ratcliffe</b>
YEAR 4	<b>Reuben Jones</b>
YEAR 5	<b>Angel Burrows</b>
YEAR 6	<b>Mac Huyton</b>

## **PE DAYS Summer 2**

### **Nursery & Reception— Thursday**

### **Year 1– Monday & Friday**

### **Year 2—Wednesday & Friday**

### **Year 3— Wednesday & Tuesday**

### **Year 4— Wednesday & Friday**

### **Year 5— Wednesday and Thursday**

### **Year 6—Monday and Wednesday**

Full PE kit on these days.

Black tracksuit/shorts and plain white T.Shirt (logo optional)

NO SLOGAN/BRANDED T SHIRTS OR BRIGHT COLOURS. THIS IS PART OF SCHOOL UNIFORM AND EXPECTATIONS MUST BE FOLLOWED.



**School of**  
**SANCTUARY AWARD**  
**Welcoming People Seeking Sanctuary**

Parish is now working towards the Schools of Sanctuary Award. This is because we have many families who need a place of safety, and we are proud to provide that. So far, we have celebrated Global Diversity and we will be learning lots about empathy during Refugee Week coming up soon. Thank you to those families who celebrated with us by providing some delicious cooking.

You can find out more about our Global Welcome Offer by visiting the website here <https://www.parish.st-helens.sch.uk/page/global-welcome/143892>





Refugee  
Resettlement Service  
SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITIES

## Community Activities

### Help & Advice Session

**Monday**

1.00am-4.00pm

Parish Church WA10 1AF

Support with a range of issues and signposting to services around the borough

### Conversational English

**Tuesday**

1.30pm-3.00pm

St Anne & Blessed Dominic Parish Centre WA10 1BX

ESOL English Lessons

### Womens Group

**Wednesday**

10.00am-12.30

*Asylum Seekers/Refugees*

Park Farm Community Centre WA11 7PG

ESOL English Lessons  
Yoga

### Family Session

**Thursday**

3.00pm-5.00pm

All saints Church WA9 3PY

The Vision Inner Spark programme is about empowering people to achieve their full potential. A space for everyone to learn new social and emotional skills in a fun engaging way.

### Family Session

**Thursday**

3.15pm-5.00pm

Park Farm Community Centre WA11 7PG

The Vision Inner Spark programme is about empowering people to achieve their full potential. A space for everyone to learn new social and emotional skills in a fun engaging way.

### Help & Advice Session

**Thursday**

10.00am-1.00pm

World of Glass, Sankey Suite WA10 1BX

Support with a range of issues and signposting to services around the borough

### Mens Group

**Friday**

10.30am-12.00 noon

All saints Church WA9 3PY

We all have different lived experiences to be able to relate and empower each other and learn new social and emotional skills.

For more information - [monicapowell@sthelens.gov.uk](mailto:monicapowell@sthelens.gov.uk)



# School Uniform Reminders

Please see below a few reminders about our school uniform.

## Our Uniform

The uniform is as follows:

- Grey v-necked jumper, grey tank top or grey cardigan (with or without the school logo)
- White polo shirt
- White shirt with green tie (KS2 only)
- Black trousers/Black Shorts
- Black skirt/pinafore (in summer, a green and white summer dress may be worn)
- Black, sensible shoes (not trainers)
- Grey, black or white socks (green frill permitted)
- Grey or black tights
- Green back bag (with or without the school logo)

Trainers, open-toed sandals and large, thick boots are not considered suitable footwear for school.

Sensible, plain black shoes must be worn by both boys and girls.

## Our PE Kit

Children are asked to come into school on the day of their PE lesson wearing their PE kit. They can wear it for the full school day.

Parents/carers are responsible for ensuring their child is dressed appropriately for PE.

The PE kit is as follows:

- Plain white T-shirt (with or without the school logo)
- Black zipped hoody or sweatshirt or normal school jumper (with or without school logo)
- Black tracksuit bottoms or leggings
- Black shorts (in summer)
- Plain, suitable trainers or black pumps

## Jewellery

The only permitted jewellery that may be worn is:

- One pair of stud earrings (no other piercings are permitted)
- A sensible wristwatch (not a smartwatch)

## School Bag

Pupils must use an appropriately sized green back bag. These can be with or without the school logo.

Large bags / large rucksacks are not permitted

