

NEWSLETTER

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Welcome Back !

We hope everyone had a wonderful Easter break and is refreshed and ready for the last term of the school year.

We have some exciting things planned for this term and we cannot wait for the warmer days!

Can I remind all parents/carers that as we are coming into the warmer months, can you please supply your child with a summer hat (with their name clearly labelled) and sunscreen.

You can either apply sunscreen at home in the morning before school or you can send your child in with some (clearly labelled with their name) but they must be able to apply this themselves as staff are not able to apply this for them.

Mrs Harding

Pastoral Support

We are delighted to warmly welcome Miss Traverse to our staff team in her new role as Pastoral Manager.

Miss Traverse will play an important role in supporting the wellbeing of our pupils and their families, ensuring that everyone feels safe, supported and listened to within our school community.

She will be available on the school playground each morning, where parents and carers are encouraged to speak with her informally if they have any questions, worries or concerns.

As the main point of contact for pastoral matters, Miss Traverse will work closely with staff and families to provide guidance, support and early help where needed. We are confident that she will be a valuable addition to our team and look forward to the positive impact she will have across the school.

Musical Theatre Success

Well done to our talented Musical Theatre group, who were formally invited by the Mayor of Warrington to perform at the annual St George's Day Flag Raising Ceremony on Thursday.

This was a fantastic honour and a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to showcase their skills in such a special community event.

As always, they represented Sacred Heart incredibly well, demonstrating confidence, professionalism and enthusiasm throughout their performance.

We are extremely proud of each and every one of them for their hard work and dedication—what a brilliant achievement!

Online Safety & Use of Social Media

We would like to remind parents and carers about the use of WhatsApp, social media, and messaging apps among primary school-aged children.

While we understand that many children may have access to devices and apps at home, it is important to note that the school is unable to monitor or police what takes place outside of school hours. However, we are committed to supporting families by sharing guidance to help keep children safe online.

Key reminders and recommendations:

- Most social media platforms, including WhatsApp, have a minimum age requirement of 13 years. Primary-aged children should not be using these services independently.

- If your child does have access to a phone or tablet, we strongly encourage you to:

- Regularly check your child's device and messages
- Talk openly with your child about how they communicate online
- Ensure they understand what is appropriate to share and what to do if they feel uncomfortable
- Make use of parental controls and privacy settings to help manage access to apps, content, and contacts.
- Be aware of group chats, as these can sometimes lead to misunderstandings or inappropriate communication between children.

In school:

Mobile phones and smart devices are not permitted for use during the school day. If a child brings a phone into school, it will be collected on arrival and safely stored. It will be returned to the child at the end of the school day.

Further support and guidance:

We recommend the following trusted resources for advice on keeping children safe online:

NSPCC: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

Childnet: <https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/>

UK Safer Internet Centre: <https://saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers>

Internet Matters: <https://www.internetmatters.org/>

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep all children safe, both in school and online.

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What's On This Week!

Reception

- ◆ Nothing for this week!

Year 3

- ◆ Y3 Museum 'Ancient Egypt' Trip—Thursday 14th May (AM).

Year 1

- ◆ Y1 Museum 'Seaside Holidays' Trip—Tuesday 12th May (AM).

Year 4

- ◆ Y4 Museum 'Bite and Grind' Trip— Tuesday 28th April.

Year 2

- ◆ Nothing for this week!

Year 6

- ◆ Y6 Gospel Sessions—Every Wednesday.
- ◆ Y6 Museum 'Bridge Street' Trip—Thursday 30th April.
- ◆ Guardian Y6 Leavers Photos—Friday 8th May.
- ◆ SATS Week—W/B Monday 11th May.

Year 5

- ◆ Nothing for this week!

Summer Uniform

If you need a reminder of our uniform list then please head over to our website.

Summer uniform is a **light blue polo t-shirt (no tie) with either grey shorts/skirt.**

Girls summer dresses can be worn as long as they are **light blue** and grey pinafores can be worn over blue polo shirts.

Reminder that **only black school shoes are to be worn** please, no trainers or sandals.

Can all hair accessories or bobbles please be in **school colours (navy blue).**

Diary Dates

Diary dates will soon be shared – please make a note of the dates in your diary as it promises to be a busy lead up to the Summer holidays!

All school term dates are on the school website or available from the school office.

Sports Day 2026

Sports Day is being held on **Friday 26th June** in the afternoon. More information will be sent via ping when we know the full details and arrangements for Sports Day. Please save this date in your diary!

ATTENDANCE

Attendance for this week:

Reception-	96.3%
Year 1-	98.2%
Year 2-	99.6%
Year 3-	93.7%
Year 4-	94.8%
Year 5-	100 %
Year 6-	99.7%
TOTAL-	97.6%



Dinner Menu W/B 27th April

WEEK 2 DINNER MENU (w/b 27th April)

MONDAY: Margarita pizza with jacket wedges and veg OR jacket potato

TUESDAY: Roast Turkey (or veggie option) with mash or roast potato with veg OR jacket potato

WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti Bolognese with veg OR jacket potato

THURSDAY: Brunch lunch (sausage (or veggie option), beans, hash browns and omelette) OR jacket potato

FRIDAY: Oven baked battered fish with chips and peas/beans OR Oven baked chicken with chips and peas/beans OR jacket potato

Whole School

- ◆ **Wednesday 29th April**—International Dance Day.
- ◆ **Friday 1st May 3:15PM** —PTA Tuckshop.
- ◆ **Friday 8th May**—VE/British Values Day.
- ◆ **W/B Monday 11th—Friday 15th**—Mental Health Awareness Week.
- ◆ **Saturday 16th May**—Holy Communion.

Looking after our Neighbours

We have had some concerned neighbours in regards to the litter around school, mostly in the corner at the end of the street near the grass verge.

Our neighbours understand that this isn't just our families and that there are other pedestrians, cars etc. We kindly ask that if you have any rubbish, that this is kept in your vehicle/in your pocket until you can dispose of this properly.

Thankyou for your continued support with this!