



27th September 2024

A note from the Head...

We have had a lovely week celebrating European Languages Day throughout school. Our Nursery children loved learning about Spain.



Thank you so much for your donations of cakes today, we have been inundated and the children had a lot to choose from. The Mini Vinnies will have a stall on Monday at breaktime to sell the rest of the cakes and bump up our total.

If your child has earned a certificate, badge or qualification outside of school, please encourage them to bring them to celebration assembly on a Friday to share with our school family.

Finally, please could I remind you that if you need to contact school, this should be done by telephone 0161 921 1945, email stcharles.rcprimaryschool@salford.gov.uk or dropping into the school office.

Mrs Drake

Year 4 prayer service



Year 4 celebrated their first prayer service on Wednesday, creating an altar and celebrating through singing the liturgy.

Uniform

We already have a huge pile of unnamed cardigans and sweaters. Please check that names are written inside, we cannot be responsible for your children's lost clothing.

PE Days

Please make a note of the PE days for the Autumn term.

Reception – Friday

Year 1 – Tuesday

Year 2 – Thursday & Friday

Year 3 – Tuesday

Year 4 – Wednesday

Year 5 – Wednesday & Friday

Year 6 – Thursday

Attendance

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Attendance really does matter and impact the life outcomes of your child. We will be celebrating attendance in many ways this year. I hope that sharing this data will reflect the importance of daily attendance. Our attendance target is 96%, this week we managed 96.1%.

All children who have 100% attendance at the end of each half term will be added to our termly prize draw. Our Summer term prize winners Noah and Ruby told us that they had treated themselves to some books and a new toy.



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Class	Weekly attendance
Nursery	96%
Reception	93%
Year 1	98%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	97%
Year 4	97%
Year 5	97%
Year 6	91%



BULGARIA



PIC-COLLAGES



ITALY



PIC-COLLAGES

European Languages Day

Year 3's assembly opened our cultural celebration event on Thursday with an assembly about European countries. Did you know that we have staff from all over Europe, Wales, Ireland, Bulgaria, Poland, Italy and Germany? The children travelled around Europe on Thursday, learning about new countries and their traditions and sampling delicious delights from each country.





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Shoe box appeal



The Beavers and Cubs are collecting items to create shoe boxes to send to Eastern Europe. They are asking for donations of toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo (max 400 ml), bars of soap, nail scissors or clippers, reading glasses, travel size draughts or dominoes, playing cards, new soft toy/teddy, tape measure, DIY tool, solar powered calculator, wind-up radio or torch, mug, cooking utensils, cutlery, sweets and chocolates, lavender bag, stress ball, small hot water bottle, new socks for adults, ladies tights, candle holders, small writing pads, A5 colouring pads, hotel toiletries.

Items can be loose or placed in a shoebox but please don't wrap it.

A donation box is available in the school entrance hall until Friday 1st November.

Asda cash pot

CURRENT POT VALUE £183.59



Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024 – every time you shop with Asda using your Asda Rewards app, Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to

your chosen Primary school. Also, every time somebody opts-in to support our Primary school, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school Cashpot.

If you shop in Asda, please download the Asda Rewards app and use our post code **M27 9PD** to find us and boost our school cashpot. 64 days left!

Charlies - before school club



Charlies has officially opened. Sessions run from 7.45am until 8.50am. Breakfast is served until 8.30am. We have secured some funding to support us as we grow, buying extra storage and resources. If you would like to sign up for a place, please complete the application form [here](#) and send it to the office. Each session costs £5, this can be reduced to £4 by paying through the Government Tax free childcare system.

Invoices have been sent home today.

After school clubs

Clubs run from 3.30 – 4.30pm

Monday – Cherry Pips Drama (R-Y6)

Tuesday – Reflections Dance (R-Y6)

Wednesday – Multisports (R-Y6) and KS2 football

Thursday – Premier Sports Basketball (KS2)

Please contact the office if you would like to sign your child up for an after school club.

We work closely with Playkidds and also have a couple of childminders who look after the children before and after school. Details are available from the school office.



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SPORTSHALL Competition



Children from Year 5 and Year 6 joined other children from 6 local primary schools in Salford at a Sportshall Competition (indoor athletics) on Wednesday. They competed in activities such as highest jump, shotput, chest throw, running, longjump and the best of all, relays. Well done to all of those children who took part, we finished third. A special thank you to all of the GCSE students at Irlam and Cadishead High School for arranging the event.

Letters

Copies of letters sent from school can be found [here](#) on the school website.

End of the school day

Nursery 3:15pm

Reception 3:20pm

Year 1 3:25pm

Year 2 – Year 6 3:30pm

Dates for your diary

OCTOBER THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY AND BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Week 5

Weds 2nd

Rosary Whole school Prayer service led by Y6 (9.05am in school - All welcome)

Thurs 3rd (National Poetry Day)

Y1 Grandparents assembly

Week 6

Mon 7th

Parent Drop in – after school in classrooms

Thurs 10th (Children’s Mental Health Day)

Mrs Starkie Day – All wear yellow

Fri 11th

Non uniform for Harvest donation

Week 7

Weds 16th

Mini Vinnie Harvest Assembly (9.05am in hall - All welcome)

Thurs 17th

Author visit – Matt Oldfield

HALF TERM 18th OCT – 28th OCT



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