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Holy Family News

Hello everyone,

Wow, well the sun has definitely been out this week. Thank you for making sure the children bring hats to school and sun cream. The weather is set to change next week so please make sure the children bring a coat to school in case it rains at playtime.

Staffing update

Mrs Marson our Reception teacher will be leaving us in July. She will be taking on a new role supporting a number of schools in Salford Authority. This is an exciting opportunity for her and we wish her well and thank for all the amazing work she has contributed to at Holy Family. We have appointed Miss Davies as our new Reception teacher for September. Miss Davies is currently an Early Years Lead in Liverpool and is relocating to Trafford. I am sure you will all make her feel welcome.

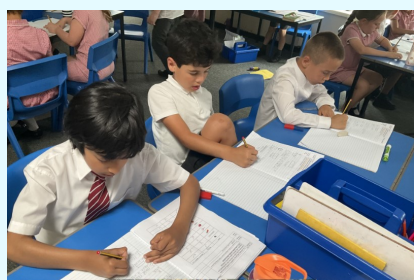
Mrs Burke, an Assistant Headteacher at St Vincent's Catholic Primary School in Altrincham has been seconded to Holy Family as our Acting Deputy Headteacher for the next academic year. We are excited to have Mrs Burke on board to work alongside Mrs Sharvin as part of our new Leadership team from September.

We will announce who is teaching which class in next week's newsletter before the children spend some time in their new classes.



Life at Holy Family this week ...

On Monday, seven girls from Years 5 and 6 took part in a Girls football tournament at Moorlands Junior School with other local schools. It was the first time for some of the girls had played in a football match and they were amazing! They are back next week to play for third or fourth place. A big thank you to Mr Keane, one of our parents who arrived and went straight into coach mode and gathered the girls together, gave them a pep talk and even refereed one of the matches.



Handwashing

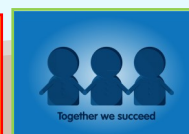
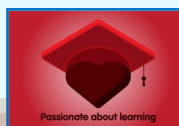
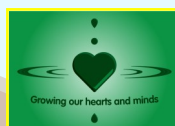
It is imperative that the children wash their hands after they have been to the toilet. We are always reminding the children and have posters to remind them. We would appreciate if you as parents can also remind the children of the importance of handwashing to prevent the spread of germs.



ATTENDANCE

	This week's attendance W/E 20/06/2025	Attendance for W/E 13/06/2025
Reception	99.1%	95.5%
Year 1	91.3%	87%
Year 2	92.8%	91.6%
Year 3	99.3%	93.7%
Year 4	94.8%	95.2%
Year 5	97.4%	96.1%
Year 6	97%	94.3%
Whole School	95.9%	93.4%

Great to see some classes hitting the green this week!



Altar Servers

Once a child has made their First Holy Communion they can become an altar server at the Sunday mass and also at school masses.

Father Stephen will be holding a meeting on Sunday 30th June at 4pm at St Joseph's Church for anyone who would like to become an altar server. This would be lovely opportunity for children to be involved in the mass.



Summer Fair—Friday 27th June

5pm—7pm

The Summer Fair will be on Friday 27th June. If you are able to help, please let the office know of any members of the Friends of Holy Family.

Thank you for your donations so far.

To continue to prepare for the fair we have some more theme days where the children can wear their own clothes:

27th June—cakes and small lucky dip prize



Dates for the Summer term —dates are subject to change

JUNE

- 24th 9am Year 3 class assembly
- 25th Sports Day:
9.15am Foundation Stage 10.30 am Key Stage 1 1.30pm Key Stage 2
- 26th 9.30am Year 4 at mass
6.30pm Summer Music Concert
- 27th 5pm—7pm Summer Fair
- 1st Moving up morning
- 3rd 9.30am Year 3 at mass
- 9th Moving up afternoon
7pm Year 6 play

JULY

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- 9th Moving up afternoon
7pm Year 6 play
- 10th 9.30am Year 6 at mass

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- 11th BREAK THE RULES DAY—details to follow
- 16th 3.20pm—4pm Meet the Teacher—*chance to meet your child's new teacher*
- 17th 9.30am Mass for the whole school in church
- 18th 2.30pm Parents invited to Values Assembly
- 21st 6.30pm Leavers Mass in church. Refreshments will be served in the Parish Centre
- 22nd 1.30pm Break up for the Summer holidays