



Holy Family Catholic Primary School.

Friday 25th September 2026



Everyone is now back into the familiar routine of school. Our pre-school and Reception children are settling in fantastically!

Attendance & Punctuality:

Year 1 has the best attendance this week with 97.9% and Year 5 has the best punctuality with 99.6%



Attendance & Punctuality:

Leave in term time cannot be authorised unless there are exceptional circumstances. Each case will be reviewed on an individual basis.

A reminder that we have a new dedicated email address for reporting absences. Please contact attendance.hfp@schools.sefton.gov.uk

Leave of Absence Requests:

If you need to request leave during term time please use the form which can be found here:

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/2024-2025-3/>



Our Values of the Week:



Each week in school we focus on Different values.

These are supported with Picture News, Class Worships and discussion. Please click on the links to read what the children have been doing in class.

Religion/ Belief, Rule of Law

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/catholic-social-teaching/>

Care for God's Creation

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/y1-y6/>



All our curriculum maps can now be viewed on the website at:

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/class-pages>

The Religious Life of School:

Our Stay & Prays this term in school at 9am:

Y4 – 29.09.26

Y3 – 13.10.26

Y1 – 24.11.26

Y2 – 26.11.26

EFYS (Reception & Pre-School) – 01.12.26

Also, this half term:

19.10.26: Y5 Celebration of the Word @ 9am. *All Y5 parents are welcome.*

All of our Catholic Life events for this term can be seen at:

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/page/?title=2026%2D2027&pid=337>

Benedict's Law.....

Benedict's Law is a set of mandatory allergy safety standards for schools in England. It requires all state-funded schools to publish a whole-school allergy policy, train all staff to recognize and treat anaphylaxis, maintain individual healthcare plans for allergic pupils, and keep spare, unlocked adrenaline auto-injector pens (like EpiPens) on site. On Monday, Mr Atkinson will be leading a small presentation for the children on this. The law is named after five-year-old Benedict Blythe, who tragically died from a severe allergic reaction to cow's milk at his primary school in December 2021. The campaign has been spearheaded by his family and the [Benedict Blythe Foundation](#) alongside allergy charities to close gaps in how schools handle life-threatening allergies. The DFE have implemented statutory guidance and legal framework starting in September 2026.

It is vital that you keep school updated of any allergies that your child may have. Please ask at the Office if you need a new form



Fran's Little Learners.....

Spaces available

Our wraparound care is open from 7.40am each morning until 5.30pm each evening & currently has spaces available. If you are interested in finding out more either pop into speak to Zoe at the beginning or end of the school day or email school.

Bookings are now being taken for October half term, please pick up a booking form from Zoe or the office.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 28 th September:	10.45-11.30: Relax Kids
	12.30: Y4 Swimming
Tuesday 29 th September:	9.00: Y4 'Stay & Pray' – <i>please wait in the entrance</i>
	1-3.15: Y4 Forest School – Group B. <i>Children will need long trousers & tops, wellingtons & waterproof</i>
Thursday 1 st October:	2.30: Christ the King visit to Y6
	Stanley Open Evening
Monday 5 th October:	World Habitat Day
	10.45-11.30: Relax Kids
	12.30: Y4 Swimming
Tuesday 6 th October:	9.30: Eco-Savers: World Habitat Day assembly
	1-3.15: Y4 Forest School – Group A. <i>Children will need long trousers & tops, wellingtons & waterproof</i>
Thursday 8 th October:	Mental Health Day

Communication from School:

Over the summer our website management changed which means our communications now look different.

Invitations have been resent today to access the Juniper Education App. Please download & follow the instructions to register as messages will be sent through the app going forward.



Payments:

We strongly encourage parents to make payments online using the SchoolGateway app whenever possible, although you are still able to pay by cash or card at the office.



Going for Green!

Good Attitude:

Rosie, Oliwia, Ella, Freddie, Eva & Nico

Good Achievement:

Markas, Phoebe, Emilia, Madison, Conor & Gabriella

Lunchtime:

Markas & Eva

Shining Stars:



Well done Aria who has a swimming certificate.



Well done Alice who has a dance medal.



Well done Gabi who has a trophy & medals for football.



Well done Toby who has a tennis trophy.



Well done Toby who has a football trophy.



Well done William who has a tennis trophy.



Well done Ezra who has a football trophy.



Well done Daisy who has an athletics medal.

School Tours....

If you know of anyone who is looking for a school place a school visit can be booked by scanning the QR code.



You can follow us on our Facebook

pages:

Whole School Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61569084964120>

EYFS Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61576659614686>



PARKING! Just a reminder to be considerate when parking (and driving) on the crescent, we know it can be chaotic at pick up and drop off but please be kind to each other and considerate of the residents.

PLEASE DO NOT PULL INTO THE STAFF CAR PARK.