



Holy Family Catholic Primary School

Friday 12th September 2025



A busy week in school this week. Spanish has started, all of our clubs have started and West Lancs Sports are back for PE!

Attendance & Punctuality:

Year 3 has the best attendance this week with 100% and Year 1 has the best punctuality with 99.04%.



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/>

Remember: Leave in term time can not be authorised unless 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**



Walking home: Y6 are allowed to walk home if you feel that they are mature enough. Please complete the form via the link below. Children will not be allowed home alone without informing school.

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/request-for-permission-to-walk-home-alone/>

Healthy Lunchboxes: Please can we remind you that the children should **limit** sweets and chocolate bars or fizzy/sugary drinks in their packed lunches. All children should bring a water bottle with them every day (containing water not juice) and KS2 can bring a fruit snack or cereal bar with them for playtimes. Tuck is on sale on Friday's but if children want to bring their own it should be similar to what is sold, cereal bars, brioche, dried fruit or small biscuits - no chocolate bars. Children may occasionally be given sweets / a sweet as a reward in class; however, this will only be occasionally not a regular occurrence.

The Religious Life of School:

Our Stay & Prays start in school on the 16th September, all beginning at 9am:

Y6 – 16.09.25 Y3 – 07.10.25

Y5 – 23.09.25 Y2 – 14.10.25

Y4 – 30.09.25 Y1 – 21.10.25

Reception – 18.11.25

Also, this half term:

02.10.25: Y5 & Y6 Class Mass @ 2pm in the School Hall

09.10.25: Harvest Festival with Fr Kevin – *details to follow*

16.10.25: Y3 & Y4 Class Mass @ 2pm in the School Hall

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

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/2025-2026-1/>

We are making the Jubilee Pledge!

As part of the Jubilee Year, we are called to make the Jubilee Pledge this summer. With an invitation that came from Pope Francis to be 'Pilgrims of Hope', we are joining together with all Catholic schools & committing to be a 'sign of hope'. Together with all Catholic schools, we are promising to put faith into

action, be agents of change & work for the good of all.

The Jubilee Pledge: We are pilgrims of hope. We walk in solidarity with our sisters and brothers worldwide, sharing challenges and celebrating joys. We promise to be agents of change, working together for justice, love and peace, locally and globally. We want to build a fairer world, where every person, and the earth, can flourish.



Parish Links: A new Baby and Toddler Group is starting in Holy Family Parish Hall PR8 6AS on Wednesday September 10th from 10am-11.30am. Everyone is welcome. £2 per family.

PARKING! Following last week's reminder to be considerate when parking (and driving) on the crescent, we are having to mention it again already. **Please do not pull into the staff car park. Please do not pull into Norwood's car park.** There was a near miss with a speeding parent in the car park and a traffic jam caused by parents blocking the entrance so delivery vans couldn't exit. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – CLUBS START THIS WEEK

Tuesday 16th September:

9.00: Y6 Stay & Pray -Y6 parents welcome

Y5 Forest School - Children will need long trousers & tops, wellingtons & waterproofs

Wednesday 17th – Friday 19th September:

Y6 residential to Robinwood

**** there will be no Forest School on Thursday or Football on Friday due to the residential ****

Wednesday 17th September:

9.00: Y2: Meet the Teacher

4pm – 5pm: Open Evening

Monday 22nd September – Friday 3rd October: Fairtrade Fortnight

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KS2 SCARF workshops

SCARF parent information session – 8.50am in the school hall

Tuesday 23rd September:

9.00: Y5 Stay & Pray -Y5 parents welcome

Thursday 25th September:

9.30-9.50: SASWT Fair Trade Assembly

1-3.20: Y4 Forest School - Children will need long trousers & tops, wellingtons & waterproofs

Friday 26th September:

2.00: M&M Productions: 'Treasure Island'

Dates up until the end of term can be viewed on our Google Calendar:

<https://www.holyfamilyprimary.com/diary/grid/2025/05/>

Happy Birthday to you.....



Going for Green!

GOOD ACHIEVEMENT:

Markus, Cobie-Jay, Lenny, Noah, Bianka, Emilija & Emilie

GOOD ATTITUDE:

Rosie, Ravenna, Amelia, Alice, Kaunahore, Oliver & Connah

LUNCHTIME AWARD:

Olivier & Max

Forest School

The Mayor of Sefton came to officially open our Forest School last week. It was a special afternoon.

Dates of class times to Forest School are on our Google calendar.



Shining Stars

Well done to Alice & Olivier who both have swimming certificates.



Well done to Oliver who has a football trophy.



Well done Dylan who has a medal for a duathlon when he ran and cycled.



Well done Lillie who has a dance certificate.



NAME	CLUB	YEAR GROUP	DAY AND TIME
Autumn 1			
Miss Loveless	Choir	Y1 & 2	Monday lunchtime
Miss Veevers & Mrs Carey	Ambassadors & Mini Vinnies	Children are nominated in class, parents will be notified	Monday 3:30-4:15 <i>start date to be confirmed</i>
Mrs Jackson-Dawson	Dance	Y4, 5 & 6	Monday 3:30-4:30
Miss Hilton	Debate Club	Y3 & 4 (max 15)	Tuesday lunchtime
Miss Crouch	Lego Club	Y2	Tuesday time & start date to be confirmed
Mrs Appleton	Hub Club	KS1 & KS2 (identified children & extras)	Wednesday lunchtime
WLSSP - West Lancs Sports Partnership	Invasion Games	KS2 (max 20)	Wednesday 3:30-4:30
Miss Ashe-Wright	Girls' Football	Y4, 5 & 6	Thursday 3:30-4:30
Mr Atkinson and Mr Hassall	Forest School	Y1 & 2 (max 15)	Thursday 3:30-5
Mr Davies and Mr Hassall	Mixed Football	Y4, 5 & 6	Friday 3:30-4:30
Autumn 2			
Miss Loveless	Choir	Y1 & 2	Monday lunchtime
Miss Veevers	Ambassadors	-	Monday 3:30-4:15
Mrs Jackson-Dawson	Dance	Y4, 5 & 6	Monday 3:30-4:30
Miss Hilton	Debate Club	Y5 & 6 (max 15)	Tuesday lunchtime
Miss Crouch	Lego Club	Y1	Tuesday time to be confirmed
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Children's University: Texts have now been sent for all the clubs. If you have not received a text then your child has not been given a place this time. *We have waiting lists for several of the clubs so if you child does not attend for 2 weeks without a valid reason their place may be given to someone else.*

Forest school club had almost 80 children sign up and we could only offer 30 places. We will run a session every half term and continue to pick names out of a hat.



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Living, loving and learning as followers of Jesus Christ'

Do you have a child born between September 2021 and August 2022?

Come to our open evening and take a look at what we can offer.

Wednesday 17th September
Tours at 4pm and 4.30pm with
the headteacher

Scan the QR code to book



Holy Family Catholic Primary School is a warm, welcoming and inclusive one form entry Catholic Primary in Southport. We nurture children's talents and passions from Reception through to Y6 offering challenge, support and a rich exciting curriculum on their educational journey with us.

Everyone is welcome, come and look round our classrooms, chat to our teachers, view our sensory room and learn about our forest school - we can't wait to meet you.

WE OFFER:

- Dedicated, caring supportive staff
- A rich exciting curriculum
- Children's University after school activity programme
- A spacious calm stimulating environment inside and out
- Aspirational academic achievements



Wraparound care from 7.40am at breakfast club and from 3.30pm to 5.30pm at The Frantastic Club run on site.

Holy Family Catholic Primary School, Norwood Crescent, Southport, PR9 7DU

Telephone: 01704 213084

Email: admin.holyfamilyprimary@schools.sefton.gov.uk

www.holyfamilyprimary.com

Photo permission & contact information

It is important we have up to date information in school for your child.

Please complete the google form at the link below with any changes to the photo permissions we have

[photo permissions](#)

If you need to amend contact details please email us at

admin.holyfamilyprimary@schools.sefton.gov.uk

*** Just a reminder to send any changes in please ***

The Frantastic Club!

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.