



Newsletter – 6th June 2025



CELEBRATING GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Overall whole school attendance this week:	96.65%
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Well done to class Reception 2 for achieving the highest attendance this week.	
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Welcome back to Summer 2, I hope you all had an enjoyable half term break.

This is an incredibly busy half term so please do keep an eye on the calendar overview which shows upcoming events and key dates. You can also access the school calendar, on the website, along with the term dates for next year.

Kayaking got off to a fab start on Monday and we are keeping our fingers crossed for good weather next week as Tuesday's group had to stay on land due to the conditions. Despite being disappointed, they still managed to enjoy the session learning about water safety, the dangers associated with high winds and also learning to tie different knots.



Archery club started again this week for pupils in Years 5 & 6. We are so fortunate to be able to offer this as an extra-curricular club and want you to know, if your child is interested and hasn't yet signed up, we still have a few spaces. Places can be booked via Parentpay.



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Does your child have a mobile phone?

Please, please check your child's device settings so that they are not able to access inappropriate materials.

If your child has a mobile phone, please ensure you are aware of what they are messaging and sharing (in terms of content and images), to ensure they are keeping themselves and others safe.

Does your child go to the park before and/or after school?

Please can you talk to your child about what to do if they are ever in a situation which does not feel right or makes them feel worried, when playing at the park. We are hearing of an increasing number of unsavoury incidents which are occurring, outside of school hours, at the park. This is both really upsetting for the children involved and is causing considerable and unnecessary disruption to learning. Please help us by ensuring your child is aware of your expectations of their behaviour and that they know what they should do, who to tell and where to go, if anything happens. Your support with this is very much appreciated.



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Arthur C's (Rec 1) solar system work



Nursery places for September

If you would like a nursery place for your child in September, please ensure you let the school office know asap. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Please email: nursery@merseaschool.org

Wraparound Care

As you will be aware, we always try to offer provision where there is an identified need and endeavour to respond to changes in circumstances. For this reason we are seeking feedback from parents regarding the demand for wraparound care, before and after school.

Thank you to those that have responded to the wraparound questionnaire, we will let you know as soon as we are able, next steps. We are also trying to explore options for extending any provision so that it is available for children of 3yrs and up and will be asking for parents of nursery aged children for their feedback in due course.



Hot and Changeable Weather!

With the current changing weather, please can you ensure that your child comes to school equipped with a water bottle and a light jacket for cooler days, and a hat, with sun cream, already applied for hotter days (fingers crossed!).

All items which are named can be returned to you if lost so please do pop your child's name on all of their belongings.



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Stars of the Week



Nursery	Reuben D has been a shining star in Nursery this week. He has been asking and answering lots of questions during class carpet time. Also, he has made beautiful pictures using paints and stickers and has talked about the sounds he can hear at the start of words, super listening ears Reuben!
Rec 1	Arthur C has really enjoyed finding out about our solar system and amazed me with his cutting skills to put the planets in the right order. Well done Arthur.
Rec 2	This week Reception 2 are celebrating Sofia L. She is an amazing reader and we are SO proud of her confidence and hard work in school and at home. It has been a pleasure sharing your reading book with you. Well done.
1M	Darcy M for her amazing attitude towards learning since coming back to school and trying her hardest in all of her subjects. Well done Darcy!
1P	1P would like to celebrate Flori S for returning to school with such a positive attitude towards her learning, especially in English. Flori has made all of the adults in 1P extremely proud with her independent work this week. Well done Flori!
2E	Luna H for her super effort in all areas in class this week. She has worked hard on her story writing and has done some excellent addition and subtraction in maths, proving her answers carefully. Well done Luna.
2S	2S star of the week is Tanner for his fabulous efforts in maths this week. Tanner has shown us all his super mathematical skills when adding and subtracting numbers and has been keen to get lots of calculations done each lesson.
3D	Elodie H for really embracing and encompassing our school values. She is always a good friend, notices when others are upset and tries to cheer them up. She demonstrates a responsible and respectful attitude when working with a talk partner. Elodie always tries her best and helps others to do the same.
3E	Sienna C has impressed us so much this week! She has put in lots of extra effort, particularly in English and then she completed her times table award which she has been working so hard for. Really well done Sienna, all your effort is really paying off. Keep it up!
4W	Clara-Grace L for always going above and beyond with her work and striving to do the absolute best that she can, including doing extra homework!
4B	4B star of the week is Lilia H for always listening, putting her hand up in class and giving thoughtful contributions to the lessons.
5F	5F would love to celebrate Harlei H for writing a detailed character description of Tom in Tom's Midnight Garden. Well done Harlei.
5T	Layla is a fantastic role model in class, she is polite, hardworking and up for a challenge. Layla has gone from strength to strength with her Maths work recently and her inquiry skills are great for getting everyone thinking - even the adults! Keep up the great work, Layla!
5W	Mrs. Wyatt would like to celebrate Woody G for his fantastic learning attitude and for being really attentive. His contributions in English have demonstrated a remarkable understanding of our textbook, <i>Tom's Midnight Garden</i> , and have helped everyone grasp some complex inferences. Well done, Woody!
6H	Christopher has come back to School after the half term with a positive 'can do' attitude. He worked extremely well in our science investigation and produced a quality piece of work. Well done Christopher.
6Y	Summer L for a fantastically enthusiastic and smiley start to the half term and for showing great awareness of others this week.