



# St Albert's Catholic Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter Friday, 03 October 2025

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### First Holy Communion

All application forms for the Sacramental programme must be handed into Fr David today! After this no application forms will be accepted. A mass of Enrolment will be held on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 10am in St. Alberts church, which attendance is compulsory, with the first preparation meeting for both children and parents will follow. Preparation meetings for both children and parents/guardians will be held on:

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2026

The meetings will be held after 10am Mass and its compulsory for the children as well as parents/ guardians to attend.

### PGL

On Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2026, Year 5 are offered the exciting opportunity to attend a 3 day residential trip to PGL, Boreatton Park. The cost of the trip is £130 per child.

Payment is required as per below:

£30 Deposit by Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

£50 by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Final payment of £50 by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026. If any families who would prefer to pay on a weekly basis, please pop into the school office to discuss a payment plan.

Unfortunately, we will only book for the number of children signed up as school cannot meet the cost of cancelled places.

### London

Year 6 children have the opportunity to visit London on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February to Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

The cost of this trip is £250 per child.

Payment is required as per below:

£50 Deposit by Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

£100 by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Final payment of £100 by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>

January 2026.



### Flu Vaccination

It's that time of year again, Flu season!

Please visit the link below

<https://econsent.merseyscare.nhs.uk/>

and complete your child's flu form with a consent or decline as soon as possible. You can select the nasal spray for the best protection or the alternative injectable flu, if required via this link. If you require any further support, please contact the school immunisation team on 0151 351 8805 who will be happy to help.

### Bible Tales

Year 3 had a wonderful visit from Bible Tales on Wednesday. They learned about the Miracles of Jesus in the Bible. Thank you to parents and guardians for coming to watch their performance at the end of the day. Well done Y3 you were fantastic!



### Y6 Assembly

Today Year 6 performed their assembly on their latest RE topic. This topic was all about unconditional love and involved Year 6 recreating Bible stories such as The Parable of the Prodigal Son and The Sermon on the Mount. Well done Year 6!

### Y6 Geography Trip

On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October, Year 6 will be partaking in a Geography field trip. As part of their 'Rivers and Coasts' topic, they will be visiting numerous locations along the River Alt. A letter has gone home today, please complete and return your child's permission slip.

### Week's Attendance

Rec	100%
Y1	94.4%
Y2	94.4%
Y3	94.0%
Y4	95.9%
Y5	94.8%
Y6	89.3%

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### Secondary School Admissions

Parents of Year 6 children can now apply for Secondary school places. You can apply online between 12<sup>th</sup> September and 31<sup>st</sup> October by completing the application form of the Local Authority in which you live.

#### Liverpool (purple bin)

[www.liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/](http://www.liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/)

#### Knowsley (blue bin)

[www.knowsley.gov.uk/education-and-schools/school-admissions](http://www.knowsley.gov.uk/education-and-schools/school-admissions)

### Reception Class Admissions

If your child's date of birth falls on or between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021 and 31 August 2022, now is the time to apply for a reception class place in school for September 2026. You can apply online by completing the application form from the Local Authority in which you live. Please see above for links.

Closing date is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026

### Half Term

We break up for Half Term on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at the usual time. And return on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 8.55am.

### Rags 2 Riches 4 Schools

We will be raising money for school by collecting reusable clothes. Please help us by donating your unwanted items. It will also help the environment too since they won't be going to landfills. Collection date is the 3<sup>rd</sup>

December 2025, Bags will be sent home nearer the time. Due to lack of storage in school, please keep hold of your donations till then.

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Meatball Pasta Garlic Bread	BBQ Chicken Burrito with Potato Wedges	Chicken Korma Brown Rice & Naan Bread	Roast Gammon, Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding Vegetables & & Gravy	Fish Stars, Wedges & Peas
	Baked Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans	Baked Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans	Baked Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans	Baked Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans	Baked Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans
	Deli Bar Made to Order	Deli Bar Made to Order	Deli Bar Made to Order	Deli Bar Made to Order	Deli Bar Made to Order
Dessert	Lolly Ice Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Ice Cream Pot Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt
Drinks	Milk Water	Milk Water	Milk Water	Milk Water	Milk Water

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# Is your child experiencing anxiety?



# NHS

**Knowsley MHST are excited to offer a parent led group intervention that will aim to support parents to manage their child's worries and anxious expectations. These groups will take place in local community centres, register your interest below.**

**DOES YOUR CHILD COMPLAIN ABOUT FEELING SICK WHEN THEY ARE WORRIED ABOUT SOMETHING?**

**DOES YOUR CHILD SEEK REASSURANCE FROM YOU BEFORE CERTAIN SITUATIONS?**

**DOES YOUR CHILD NOT WANT TO GO TO SCHOOL DUE TO FEELING WORRIED?**

**DO THEY STRUGGLE TO GO TO SLEEP AS THEY FEEL ANXIOUS?**



**Then register your interest by clicking or scanning the QR code below**



**KNOWSLEY MHST:**

**OFFICE: 01925 664 120**

**OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY TO FRIDAY:  
9.00AM – 5.00PM**

*It takes less  
than 5 minutes!*

**<https://forms.office.com/e/N2agUhuvsA>**





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**2025/26 TERM DATES**

	OPEN ON:	CLOSE ON:
<b><u>Autumn Term 2025</u></b>	Tuesday 2 September Monday 3 November	Thursday 23 October Friday 19 December
<b><u>Occasional Holiday</u></b>	<b><i>Friday 5 December</i></b>	
<b><u>Spring Term 2026</u></b>	Monday 5 January Monday 23 February	Friday 13 February Friday 27 March
<b><u>Parent/Carer &amp; Teacher Day</u></b>	<b><i>To be confirmed</i></b>	
<b><u>Summer Term 2026</u></b>	Monday 13 April Monday 8 June	Friday 22 May Thursday 23 July
<b><u>Occasional Holidays</u></b>	<b>Monday 4 May – Bank Holiday</b>	

*These dates are subject to change*

**Teachers' In-service Days**

Teachers are contracted to work an additional 5 days, in each academic year, at times when children are not in school. These days are for in-service training and have been arranged for the following dates: -

Monday 1 September 2025  
Friday 24 October 2025  
Tuesday 26 May 2026  
4 x Twilights (tbc)

**Year 6 End of Key Stage Exams**

These will take place during the week of: **To be confirmed**

Any child absent during this week will miss these very important exams and will not be allowed to take them at a future date.

**Please make sure for the sake of your child's education that all family holidays are taken during the official holiday dates.**