

Dates may be subject to change - we will give parents as much notice as possible.



Friday 28th May Break for Half term (usual time)

Tuesday 8th June Return to school (gates open at 9.40 am and close at 8.50 am)

Friday 16th July Break for the Summer Holidays (2pm)

Look out for updates on our school website

stcharlescatholicprimary.com or follow us on Twitter

[@CharlesPrimary](https://twitter.com/CharlesPrimary)

Book Bags

We still have a number of children who are not using Book bags. We have very little storage in school for ruck sacks and other bags. For easy identification of book bags, I know that some children have attached key rings. Please could we just have 1 small keyring attached.

You can purchase these items from the office by using ParentPay.



£6.00



£6.00



£1.20

£6.00



PIC-COLLAGE

Pupil of the Week



We are extremely proud of all our children, however the staff are tasked with choosing just one child each week who has stood out amongst the others to receive a special award.

Well done to all our winners.

Class	Pupil of the Week 28th May
Reception	Lucas
Year 1	Miraj
Year 2	Dottie
Year 3	Jacob
Year 4	Tomasz
Year 5	Liam M
Year 6	Maisie



St Charles' Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

"Love, learn and grow together"

Headteacher Mrs Rebecca Dean

28th May 2021



Big Debate Club

Last week, Year 3 took part in the 'Big Debate Club'.

"How important is it that the houses of Parliament is protected and saved for future generations."

The children learnt about the historic Houses of Parliament building, one of the UNESCO World Heritage Sites. The children debated the importance of restoring it for the future. We were 1 of 38 schools nationwide that took part. The children had to give reasons for their choices.

They even got a tweet direct from the Houses of Parliament. Well done Year 3!



Replies



Houses of Parliament Restoration & Renewal @Parliame... · 21 May

Replying to @CharlesPrimary and @bigdebateclub
@CharlesPrimary it's great to see you getting involved with the @bigdebateclub - we hope you enjoyed the activities.

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Gardening Club

Gardening club have been busy this term, weeding, tidying and creating a lovely garden area. Everything is looking fabulous - thank you!

If you are a keen gardener and have some spare vegetable plants, the gardening club would love to see them grow.



Have you been an Attendance HERO this week?

Class	Attendance & lates for WE 28/05/21
WHOLE SCHOOL	95.48% 25 lates
Reception	98.26% 2 lates
Year 1	96.67% 1 late
Year 2	95.45% 8 lates
Year 3	91.30% 3 lates
Year 4	93.14% 5 lates
Year 5	95.22% 2 lates
Year 6	98.15% 4 lates

Time Keeping

Please note that the school day starts at 8.50am. The school gates are open from 8.40am



Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance is one of the most important areas of school life where parents and carers of our pupils can make the biggest impact to their learning. Here at St. Charles' we pride ourselves in having high expectations of the children and endeavour for them to thrive in our happy, vibrant and nurturing environment.

However, we have, over recent weeks, had to send letters out to some of our families as the children's attendance and time keeping is below expectations. Liverpool City Council are clamping down even more on poor attendance, and punctuality, this may result in you being issued with a fine from the courts. We are working closely with our EWO, Cath Breen, to work with families to improve attendance and punctuality.

Being in school on time is equally as important, we will be closely monitoring those children who are late each day. **Every minute counts!** As our doors are open at **8.40 am** the children start the day with a variety of learning and revisions tasks, including a maths focus 'Fluent in Five', handwriting and spelling practice. Even 5 minutes late when the doors have closed has an impact on your child both academically and socially.



Times Tables Rock Stars

Year Group Leaders



Whole School Leaders

1. Alan	Year 2	548,729
2. Divine	Year 6	139,386
3. Tilly	Year 5	137,006
4. Thomas G	Year 3	121,364
5. Matthew	Year 6	110,580

Year 2	Alan	548,729
Year 3	Thomas G	121,364
Year 4	Selah	74,235
Year 5	Tilly	137,006
Year 6	Divine	139,386

Free Courses for Parents & Grandparents

Support your child's Mental Health and Well-being by dipping your toes in the world of online courses for parents, grandparents & carers - ALL FREE!

There are 7 modules which each take about 5 minutes to complete.

You may also be interested in 'Understanding your child' or 'Understanding your child with additional needs', or other courses in the series.

To access the courses visit www.inourplace.co.uk

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