



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

- Friday 22nd October Break for half term
- Monday 1st November Return to school
- Monday 1st November Year 6 parents evening - hall
- Tuesday 2nd November Year 2 & Year 4 parents evening - hall
- Wednesday 3rd November Year 1 & Year 5 parents evening - hall
- Thursday 4th November Mass at Church - Feast of St Charles'
- Thursday 4th November Year Reception & Year 3 parents evening - hall
- Wednesday 10th November Year 4 Class Mass - Church
- Wednesday 1st December Year 6 Mass - Church

Look out for updates on our school website stcharlescatholicprimary.com or follow us on Twitter [@CharlesPrimary](https://twitter.com/CharlesPrimary)



St Charles' Catholic Primary School Newsletter



"Love, learn and grow together"

Headteacher Mrs Rebecca Dean

15th October 2021

Empire Theatre Trip

Once again, St Charles' is working with the Liverpool Empire as a partner school with the Lets Play Festival. This year, we are working with our Drama Club which has children from different year groups who will be working towards a production being performed on stage at the Liverpool Empire Theatre.



This week the drama club watched *Beauty and the Beast*. The children had a wonderful time and were really enthralled by the performance

Child anxiety workshops for parents /carers

There have been requests around supporting children with anxiety. MYA have put on some additional bitesize training for parents/carers to attend. Sessions are only 30-45 minutes long, free of charge and can be booked using the following link:

<https://www.liverpoolcamhs.com/events/managing-child-worry-bite-size-via-zoom-9/>

Year 5 Class Assembly

Year 5 will be starting our cycle of class assemblies again this week. Parents and Carers of children in Year 5 are welcome to join us on Tuesday 19th October 9.15am in the school hall.



We look forward to seeing you.

Attendance and Punctuality

If your child is unwell, ***you must contact school on the first day of your child's absence. Do not send messages via Class Dojo.*** Please ring the school office which is open from 8 am each morning. Please do not ring before this time as there is nobody to take your call.

Each week, Cath Breen our EWO, audits the registers, unfortunately we have already identified children who are classed as persistently absent or late. You may receive a letter from Mrs Breen if your child becomes a concern.

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

Class	Attendance & lates for the WHOLE school year
WHOLE SCHOOL	94.70% 18 lates
Reception	94.78% 1 late
Year 1	90.00% 2 lates
Year 2	95.52% 3 lates
Year 3	98.85% 4 lates
Year 4	94.90% 2 lates
Year 5	97.76% 3 lates
Year 6	91.54% 3 lates

Parking around school

Please be considerate when parking around school, particularly as St Michael are using one of the gates closest to our school. As a result there is more congestion than normal.

Remember DO NOT PARK on the yellow zig zag lines or in front of our neighbours' driveways.



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 15th October
Reception	<i>Teddy</i>
Year 1	<i>Kyle</i>
Year 2	<i>Jake</i>
Year 3	<i>Thomas</i>
Year 4	<i>Iyla</i>
Year 5	<i>Isla</i>
Year 6	<i>Jake</i>



We have our fingers crossed that ParentPay is now up and running as it should and meals are being correctly recorded. Please ensure you keep your child's account up to date with payments for dinner money. If you experience any problems, please email the school office charles-ao@stcharlesliverpool.co.uk.

If your child's account is not kept up to date we may have to ask you to provide a packed lunch for your child until the account is cleared.

After School Clubs

Next week we will send details of clubs for after half term.

I have had a couple of parents asking about provision for children to stay in school until 6pm. Whilst I have worked out basic costings, I need to know what the uptake would be. Please look out for a questionnaire via Class Dojo next week.



Online Safety Information for Parents

Last week I made parents aware of a game children have been playing. There are a couple of apps parents can download for free. These provide updates for parents as well as useful information about how you can keep your child safe on line.

Safer Schools App. The app is designed to support parents with information about how to keep children safe on the internet, as well of lots of helpful information and videos about some of the latest internet concerns. There is also a specific section for KS2 children

Download the app / Search for our school

Enter the code: KS2 pupils - 9342

Parents/carers - 7440