



TRINITY NEWS



To be the best you can be: for others, for God and for ourselves

Generosity

Compassion

Perseverance

Courage

Friendship

Truthfulness

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Termly Value

This half term, our value is COURAGE. A Christian Perspective on Courage:

Basic to Christian faith is the claim that God is always present in every situation. This belief has led to great acts of courage that have included facing danger and opposition, overcoming fear, making a stand for what is right and encouraging others to persevere. Through prayer, people have found the strength to help them to be courageous.

Reflecting as a whole school community, some questions to consider:

- How do we help members of our school community who are facing difficult times?
- How do we encourage others to share their fears and worries?
- How does our school deal with incidents of bullying?
- How do we demonstrate our core values to everyone in our school community?
- What strategies do we have in place to encourage children to share friendship?

Message from Mrs Thompson

Spring is definitely in the air this week as the sun has been shining and we are starting to see flowers growing. Our children are now over halfway through this academic year – doesn't time fly? It is a pleasure to see them growing into their own personalities and characters. Year 6 found out which high school they will be going too this week– a huge step for them and we are very proud of each and every one of them as they are getting themselves 'high school ready!' Some of our children have been doing assessments this week and there will be more coming up in the next few weeks so we will be working hard on reassuring and encouraging them to just try their best. As always, if you have any questions about your child's learning, please don't hesitate to contact us – we are always here to support them and you. Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Thompson

Collective Worship

This week, we have been talking about International Women's Day, which is today. International Women's Day is held every year on the 8th of March. We remember those who have done or are doing incredible things to make life fairer for women. It is also a day in which we learn about how we can live in a way that respects the rights of all people and makes the world a fairer place. The aim of International Women's Day is for everyone to be encouraged to follow their dreams and achieve their goals no matter who they are, how they choose to live their life or where they are from. It also aims to encourage us all to treat everyone fairly and with kindness and respect.



Weekly Prayer

Dear Lord,

Let us remember that you made us all in your image and you want us to share love and kindness to others. Help us to treat others equally and have belief in ourselves and other people. We trust that you will be there to guide us, whatever we are doing.

Amen.



Attendance Awards

Here is our class attendance this week. This does not include children who are isolating at home. Whole school attendance this week was **95.48%**. We were very close to our target of **97%** this week. Well done everyone!

Reception	94.02%	Year 3	94.66%
Year 1	94.99%	Year 4	96.07%
Year 2	95.76%	Year 5	96.35%
		Year 6	96.32%

Well Done!

Attendance

The Government has launched a national campaign, aimed at parents and carers, on the importance of school attendance. Our goal is to create a nurturing and affirmative bond between parents and school, emphasising the pivotal role attendance has in enhancing their child's overall wellbeing.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

We will be sharing some interesting information over the coming weeks but to begin with, we would love you to read this manifesto which focuses on the importance of every experience in school. This explains how every moment matters and if your child is in school then these experiences have a positive influence on your child.

Getting Your Child to School Really Matters



Did You Know... ?

In a School Year, If Your Child is Late Every Day By...	Your Child Would Have Lost Approximately...	or They Would Have Missed Approximately...
5 Minutes	3.5 Days from School	20 Lessons
10 Minutes	7 Days from School	41 Lessons
15 Minutes	10 Days from School	55 Lessons
20 Minutes	14.5 Days from School	82 Lessons
30 Minutes	22 Days from School	123 Lessons

Please Encourage Punctuality to Maintain Attendance

Class Awards

Here are the children who have really impressed their teachers this week, either in their learning - **Golden Pupil**, or by keeping our Golden Promises - **Stars of the**

Reception

Golden Pupil: Jayden H
Stars of the week: Louie & Sara

Year 3

Golden Pupil: Stefan
Stars of the week: Harper & Sienna

Year 1

Golden Pupil: Omisha
Stars of the week: Afonso & Faina

Year 4

Golden Pupil: Maja
Stars of the week: Munasir & Sophia

Year 2

Golden Pupil: Brooklyn
Stars of the week: Nati & David

Year 5

Golden Pupil: Cora
Stars of the week: Vilius & Joanna

WELL DONE!

Year 6

Golden Pupil: Rayan
Stars of the week: Julija & Harper

Headteacher Award

Year 5: Amelia W for winning player of the match for her Football team

Year 5: Vilius for doing fantastic independent writing

Year 6: Julija for reading a book beautifully in her own language of Latvian





The following children are all celebrating their birthday. We would like to send you best wishes from your Holy Trinity Family.

Emily Ryder – Year 2

Harper R – Year 3



After School Clubs – Spring 2024

Day	Club	Year Group
Monday	Dodgeball	Year 1
	Netball	Year 5 & Year 6
Wednesday	Tag Rugby	Year 5 & Year 6
Thursday	Tennis	Year 4
Friday	Football	Year 5 & Year 6
	Wake up and Shake up (Mornings)	Key Stage 2





National Spelling competition

WE ARE THROUGH TO THE FINALS!!!!

From over 800 schools, we are down to the last 28!!!

The National Finals are next week on Wednesday 13th March at 9am until Thursday 14th March at 3pm. A massive well done to everyone, you have all worked so hard.

Emile

2024

National Spelling Competition

Holy Trinity Primary

2nd Place

Date: 7th March 2024

On behalf of Emile Education by Glen Jones, Managing Director

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Headlice

Dear Parents,

It has come to our attention that there are a couple of cases of head lice in our school. It is imperative that you check your child's hair **tonight** and treat them and the rest of the family immediately if needed. I appreciate that this can be inconvenient, however if we are going to deal with the problem effectively it needs the co-operation of all.

Head lice is not a reason to keep your child off school, so can you please treat your child's hair and bring them into school.

Should you require any advice or medication please contact the school or the school nurse on 01704 385 125 who can provide you with a prescription.

Thank you for your help on this matter.



REMEMBER
ONCE A WEEK,
TAKE A PEEK

Southport Stars Award

We are really proud to tell you all that have been nominated for a Southport Stars Award!!

This event is organised by Southport BID and there are nominations under different categories. We are under the **'Public Service Business of the Year'** section - how amazing!!

Please can you vote asap and tell all your friends and family.

To vote, click the link below:

<https://southportbid.com/stars/>





HISTORY MAKERS

The Believe Awards are open to nominations of young people aged 7-17 living in Merseyside. Our theme this year is 'History Makers' and our awards are focussed on some of the key history makers in Liverpool's history and the lasting impact they left on this city. Nominees are shortlisted to 10 young winners who will be invited to a spectacular event at the Titanic Hotel on the 21st June 2024 where they and their family will receive VIP treatment, an honoured award and the recognition they deserve.

THE AWARDS

Noel Chavasse Award

Josephine Butler Award

Duncan, Newlands and Fresh Award

Kitty Wilkinson Award

Edward Rushton Award

Roscoe and Horrocks Award

Frank Hornby Award

Father James Nugent Award

Joseph Williamson Award

Eleanor Rathbone Award

All nominations must be received by 13th May



Nominate online:
www.thebelieveawards.co.uk

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Our Week in Pictures

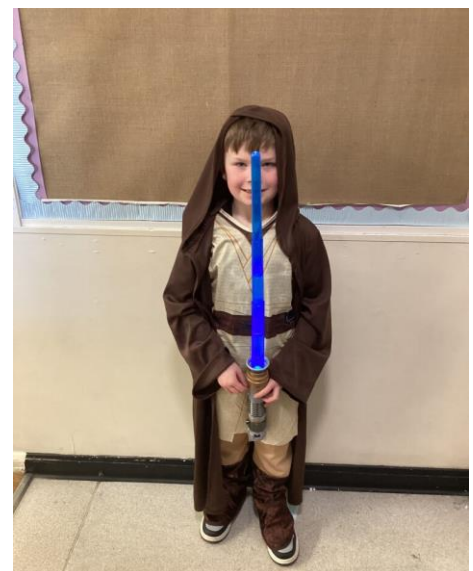
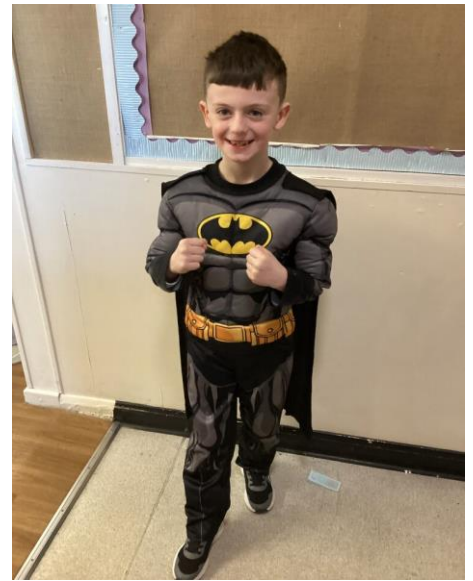
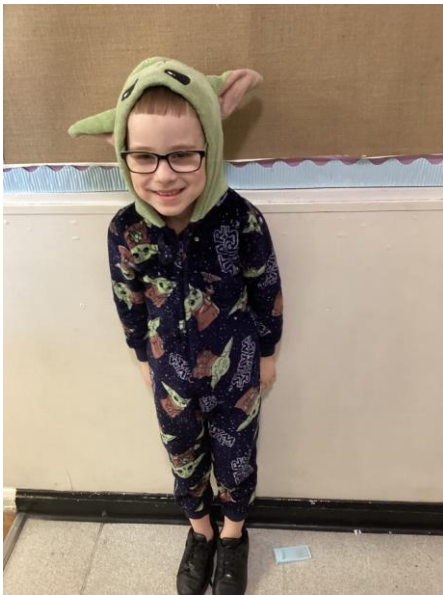
This week the children in Years 1 & 2 had a visit from the dog's trust. They learned about the 5 happy dog rules....

- 1. If a dog is resting, we should leave it alone.*
- 2. If a dog is eating, we should leave it alone*
- 3. We should always stay quiet around dogs*
- 4. Dogs do not like to be hugged. Instead give them gentle strokes.*
- 5. If a dog takes your toy, tell a grown up.*

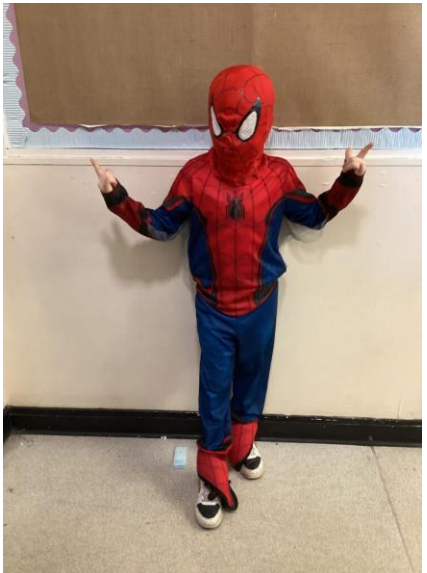




World Book Day



All of the children took part in World Book Day on Thursday. I think that you will agree from the photographs that they all a wonderful day and looked amazing!!



dates to Remember

Important Dates



Date	Event
Tuesday 5th – Thursday 7th March	Spelling Competition
TBC	Disco
Tuesday 26th March	Easter Bonnet Parade
Friday 29th March – Monday 15th April	Easter Holiday
Tuesday 16th April	New Term Begins
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday (School Closed)
Monday 13th May – Friday 17th May	Year 6 SATS
Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May	Half Term
Monday 3rd June	New Term Begins
Friday 5th July	Inset Day (School closed)
Tuesday 23rd July	End of Year Service. Last Day of Term



School Term Dates and Holidays 2024-2025



	School Opens On	School Closes On
AUTUMN TERM 1 AUTUMN TERM 2	Wednesday 4 th September 24 Monday 4 th November	Friday 25 th October Friday 20 th December (1.15pm)
SPRING TERM 1 SPRING TERM 2	Tuesday 7 th January 2025 Monday 24 th February	Friday 14 th February Friday 4 th April (1.15)
SUMMER TERM 1 SUMMER TERM 2	Wednesday 23 rd April Monday 2 nd June	Friday 23 rd May Tuesday 22 nd July (1.15pm)

INSET DAYS

Monday 2nd September 24
Tuesday 3rd September 24
Monday 6th January 25
Tuesday 22nd April 25
Friday 4th July 25

May Day

Monday 5th May 25

Half Term Dates

28th Oct – 1st Nov 24
17th – 21st February 2025
26th to 30th May 2025



Tuesday 26th March

Get creative this Easter and have fun making your own Easter bonnet!

On Tuesday 26th March at 2pm, we will be having an Easter bonnet parade, where all children are welcome to bring in and show off their amazing designs.

More information on this event will follow shortly.



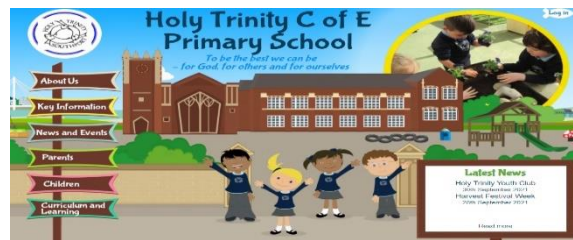


There are many ways to contact us at school. Please let us know if you have any any worries, concerns, or questions – there is no such thing as a silly question! We would also love to hear about any positive news you have, that we can share about your child.



ClassDojo

If you would like to pass any messages to your child's class teacher, you can pop a message on Class Dojo.



Visit our school website here:
<https://www.holytrinityprimary.co.uk/>



Contact our office on:
01704 538366



Email us:

office@holytrinityprimary.co.uk

School Contacts

• **School Nurse:**

Our School Nurse is Mrs Liz Keighley. You can contact her or the other nurses directly at Merseycare on 0151 247 6354 or you can contact the school nurse directly at: mcn-tr.hoghton0-19team@nhs.net or speak to the office.

• **Learning Mentor/Safeguarding Coordinator:**

Our Learning Mentor is Mrs Jude Rankin and she is available to speak to most mornings and afternoons on the Junior Yard Gate. Mrs Rankin works closely with families that require support and oversees our attendance. If you find yourself struggling or have any issues or concerns, please speak to Mrs Rankin or the school office so that school can support you. You can call on 07970 389 365 or email Judith.Rankin@ldst.org.uk. You can also speak to the office to arrange a meeting. *If there is an urgent or safeguarding issue please make sure to contact to school office if you cannot speak to Mrs Rankin*

