



Newall Green Primary School

Aiming High To Reach Our Goals

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Autumn 2 week 7 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

We can confirm that our Holiday club will be running again in December, on the following dates ONLY:

- Monday 23rd December
- Friday 27th December
- Monday 30th December
- Tuesday 31st December
- Thursday 2nd January
- Friday 3rd January

If your child is aged 5 and over, you will need to go to the MCR Active website to register your child and to book spaces. If you click on find your activity and provider (Search for Newall Green Primary School) and select your preferred days.

If your child is under 5, unfortunately they are not eligible for the funded holiday club but we are still able to care for your children on those days but there is a charge of £20.00 per day, during the hours of 9.00am–2.00pm each day and this is booked on School Spider.

Spring 1 Sports Clubs

The sports clubs have gone live for Spring 1 now. All clubs are booked through School Spider so please let us know if you have any issues with your account.

Spring	EYFS/KS1 3.15-4	KS2 3.15-4.15
Monday	KS1 multi skills	Basketball
Tuesday	KS1 gymnastics	Dodgeball
Wednesday		Boys football Gymnastics
Thursday		Tag rugby Cross country running
Friday	EYFS motor skills	Girls football





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Acorn Stay & Play

What a wonderful turn out of parents, carers, grandparents, uncles, aunts and siblings we had for our Acorn Stay and Play session! Thank you to all who joined us; the children loved showing their grown ups their classrooms, their work and having a play! If you couldn't make it this time, we are hoping to plan regular Acorn Stay and Play sessions over the year.



Prepare for peace campaign

Newall Green Primary would like to present The Rights Champions.



The Rights Champions are a newly formed group that will replace the Charity champions. With Children's rights at the forefront of our mission, look out for fund raising and campaigns that we will be advertising to get children's voices heard! We will be working alongside UNICEF and working through an Outright programme to become 'Changemakers'. As part of our first mission, we have created posters for a prepare for peace campaign to remind world leaders to prepare for peace and not war. Our posters will be sent to Liverpool Beatles museum to be put on exhibition and then compiled into a book which will be sent to every world leader during 2025. Keep an eye out for more of our amazing work!





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Bowling Competition

Two teams from our school recently achieved outstanding success at a bowling competition, with one team securing 1st place and the other taking home 2nd place out of 24 teams! Their hard work, determination, and accuracy paid off, earning them well-deserved recognition for their exceptional performance. In addition to the team's achievements, Ted was also celebrated for his individual accomplishments, receiving the "100 Club certificate" for scoring 100+ points in one frame. Ted's award is a testament to his hard work and determination, contributing to the team's success



KS2 Panto

KS2 were lucky enough to be gifted tickets from Manchester Airport to the Wythenshawe Forum pantomime and so, on Tuesday 3rd December, we all walked over for an afternoon of fun! The children had a fantastic time and really got into the pantomime spirit by joining in with the singing and dancing.



Attendance for week 6

This week was a challenging one for attendance with whole school at 91.4%.

Well done to the following classes for winning the attendance awards last week:

1MD – 97.9%

3KH – 95.6%

5MP – 97.1%

These 3 classes have now won 2 weeks in a row. Let's see if another class can improve their attendance and win for





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week 7.

House points for week 6

Well done to all of our houses for an amazing amount of House Points.

This week, the winners were House Barnardo with 2,422. House Parks were a close second with 2,406 and just behind were House Frank with 2,289.

The running totals now, with just two weeks left are:

House parks: 16, 672

House Barnardo: 16,088

House Frank: 15,078

Christmas Hamper Raffle

Every year, the staff at Newall Green Primary School donate food to make two amazing Christmas food hampers. There will also be a chocolate hamper. Raffle tickets will be on sale throughout December at events in school and will also be available from Tuck Shop and the main office. Tickets cost £1 and will be on sale from Monday.

The lucky winners will be drawn on the last day of term.

Festive Fun Run

Another year has passed and Christmas will soon be upon us. We rely strongly on our termly events to boost our school fund and have lots more planned for next year, so to raise money for school funds we are planning a SPONSORED 'FESTIVE FUN RUN' for all the children and staff to take part in.

The children will walk (and sing) around the perimeter of the school on **WEDNESDAY 18th DECEMBER**. Children can dress up in their Christmas Jumpers, Christmas Hats and all things festive.

We are asking all the children to collect money for the occasion by asking their friends and family to sponsor them.

Also, on this day we will also holding a FESTIVE CAKE SALE after school for you to buy some delicious treats. We would really appreciate any donations for this. Donations can be shop bought or why not have a go at making your own festive goodies. Thank you for your continued support, we really do appreciate it.





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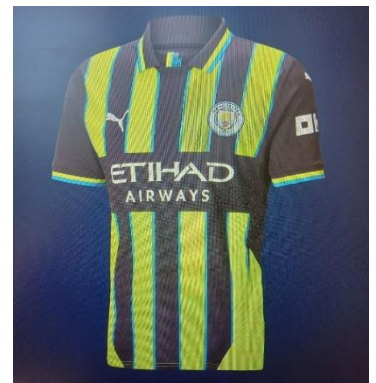
Christmas Jumper Donation

We are asking all parents / carers to please donate any pre-loved (washed) Christmas Jumpers to our main school office, by Friday 13th December.

On Monday 16th December (KS1 & KS2) & Tuesday 17th December (EYFS), when all parents / carers will be joining their children for the Christmas Bauble activity mornings, we will hopefully have enough jumpers to allow parents to help themselves to a donated jumper for their children (or themselves), should they need one. At our swap, you can either give donations, take donations or both.

Manchester City Kit Raffle

We have very kindly been given this New Manchester City Away kit to raffle. It is size 12-13 years old or a size 28" chest. Raffle tickets will be on sale throughout December at events in school and will also be available from Tuck Shop and the main office. Tickets cost £1.



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School Spider Hamper

Thank you to everyone who downloaded the School Spider app. As promised, we have randomly selected one name from the list of parents, who had downloaded and logged in to the app, to win this fantastic hamper just in time for Christmas. The lucky winner was Annette Richardson, congratulations!





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CHRISTMAS DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas!!
Here are some dates for your diaries so that you don't miss out.
For further information on each one, please check our website or the School Spider App

- Tue 3rd - Year 1 visit to Christ Church
- Tues 3rd - Key Stage 2 - Pantomime at Wythenshawe Forum
- Thu 5th - 4HJ Family Assembly - 9am - KS2 hall
- Thu 6th - Year 4 Egyptian Day
- Thu 6th - 4DC Family Assembly - 9am - KS2 hall
- Mon 9th - Year 5 visit to Manchester Cathedral
- Thu 12th - 3JE Family Assembly - 9am - KS2 hall
- Thu 12th - Nursery Sing-a-Long (NEB and NDL) - 2:45 - KS2 hall
- Fri 13th - 4AG Family Assembly - 9am - KS2 hall
- Fri 13th - Nursery Sing-a-Long (NOT and NSL) - 2:45pm - KS2 hall
- Mon 16th - Christmas Activity Morning for Year 1 - Year 6 - 9am in class
- Tues 17th - Christmas Activity Morning for Nursery and Reception - 9am in class
- Tues 17th - Coffee Morning for Nursery and Reception parents - 10am—KS1 hall
- Tues 17th - Year 2 Sing-A-Long - 2:45pm - KS2 hall
- Wed 18th - Sponsored Walk/ Christmas Jumper Day & Cake Sale after school
- Wed 18th - Christmas Dinner Day
- Wed 18th - Year 1 Sing-A-Long - 2:45pm - KS2 hall
- Thu 19th - Reception Nativity - 2:30pm - KS2 hall
- Fri 20th - Party Day including Party Lunch

(On Party Days children can come to school in their party clothes if they wish, but please make sure that they wear coats and sensible shoes for playing out)

We break up for the Christmas Holidays on **FRIDAY 20th DECEMBER** at the normal time.
We return to school on **TUES 7th JAN 2025**.
HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a **HAPPY NEW YEAR**.

