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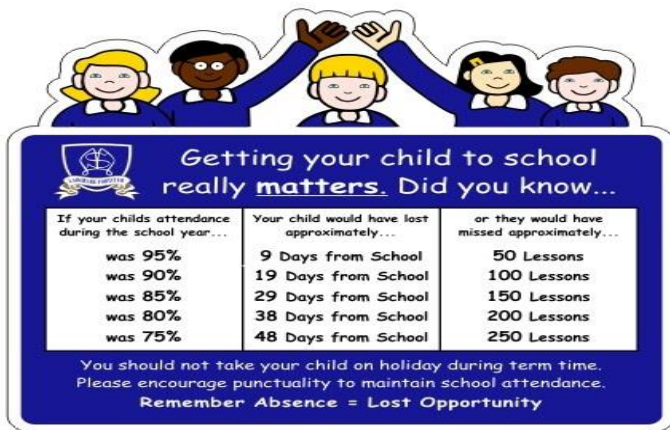
Friday 30th June 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We enjoyed a lovely Stay and Play session with our new starters for Reception and their parents yesterday. It is always a pleasure to welcome new pupils and families to our school and those who were siblings were also very excited to come into Big School. Our coffee morning on Monday was also a great success as usual so thank you to all the grown ups who came along to support staff and children in the classrooms.

Unfortunately, we have had intruders in the school grounds this week. Several young people were seen in the Reception play area one evening after everyone had left school and it was all locked up. We believe that the intruders were female with long hair and were wearing pink/black shorts. We do not know who these young people were although children in school have been sharing information that they have. Items were taken from the play area but more importantly these young people were putting themselves at risk as we think they must have scaled fences/gates to get into the grounds. Please let us know if you have any information regarding this matter. If you suspect that one of your children may have been involved, please speak to them about the dangers involved in climbing up over the fence and also about antisocial behaviour. Thank you for your support.

Attendance



Getting your child to school really matters. Did you know...

If your child's attendance during the school year...	Your child would have lost approximately...	or they would have missed approximately...
was 95%	9 Days from School	50 Lessons
was 90%	19 Days from School	100 Lessons
was 85%	29 Days from School	150 Lessons
was 80%	38 Days from School	200 Lessons
was 75%	48 Days from School	250 Lessons

You should not take your child on holiday during term time. Please encourage punctuality to maintain school attendance.
Remember Absence = Lost Opportunity



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If in a school year, 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

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ATTENDANCE 2023 Week ending 29/06/23	
Group	% Attendance
Cherry - Reception	78.5
Willow - Year 1	91.3
Willow - Year 2	92.3
Beech - Year 3	94.6
Beech - Year 4	88.5
Oak - Year 5	93.5
Oak - Year 6	96.7
Whole School	90.9

Well done Year and Year 6!!!



STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Frankie	Warren	Melissa	Stan	Lacey	All Dearne Valley Children	All Dearne Valley Children

Lunchtime Awards – Top Table

Cherry Class		Willow Class		Beech Class		Oak Class	
Jack	Bobby	Rosa Mai	Dotty	Lyla	Lily	Ruby	Kodie Leigh



READING CHAMPIONS



Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
Darcie-Leigh	Alice	Gracie	Max

WRITING CHAMPIONS

Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
Phoebe	Jessica	Lily	Elsie May

MATHEMATICS CHAMPIONS

Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
Bobby	Billy	Georgia	Louie H

Cleanest class award goes to Willow Class so treats are coming your way from Mr and Mrs Boon.



July 3rd – 4th Saint Peter and Paul and OCA transition days for Year 6 Halebank School transition

July 5th STRIKE day

July 6th Poetry Buzz

July 7th STRIKE day

July 10&11th New starter transition days in Reception

July 12-14th Home Visits for New Starters

July 13&14th Halebank Vision – end of year show

July 14th Year 6 Drumming Assembly – parents invited

July 17th Sports Day

July 18th Beech Class Music Extravaganza – parents invited to assembly at 9.10am

July 18th Leavers Party

July 18th Leaver's Service – parents invited

July 19th School Finishes for summer 1.30pm

Dear Lord,

Thank You for seeing us through another work week and bringing us to the weekend. Father, we pray that this weekend will be filled with rest, refreshment, and quiet time with You. Our lives can seem so overwhelming and confusing, but we know that You are there by our side always. Lord, thank You for guiding our path.

Amen

Parent Information



Year 6 New Intake
Sept 2023 - Key Date

FAO parents of Y6 pupils moving transferring to Saints Peter and Paul Catholic High School September 2023 (Click the PDF document file to open)



ACTC Summer
Camp.pdf



Household Support
Leaflet.pdf

<https://www.merseycare.nhs.uk/our-services/warrington/mental-health-support-teams-1>

5th and 7th July 2023 are strike days for teachers across England. Halebank C E Primary will be closed to pupils on both these days.

**SUMMER
COMMANDO
CAMP AGES 5-12**

LOCATION, DATES & TIMES:

Halebank C of E Primary School
Heathview Road, Halebank,
Widnes, Cheshire WA8 8UZ

**JUST
£20
PER DAY**

Monday 21st - Thursday 24th August
2023 inclusive
REGISTRATION: 8.30am - 9.00am
PICK UP: 3.00pm

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