



Newall Green Primary School

Aiming High To Reach Our Goals

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Autumn 2 Week 1 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we welcome our children back after the half-term break, I hope you've all had a restful and enjoyable time. It's wonderful to see our school buzzing with energy once again, filled with the eager faces of our young learners ready to embark on new adventures in education.

With Halloween just around the corner, we've taken the opportunity to remind our children about staying safe during this exciting time. In a special assembly, we discussed important safety rules for trick-or-treating. We emphasised the importance of not venturing out alone, instead encouraging our children to walk in groups or with a trusted adult. We also talked about being extra careful when walking in the dark and suggested using reflective tape on costumes and bags to enhance visibility for drivers. The children were reminded to be cautious when crossing streets and to only enter homes of people they know or when accompanied by a trusted adult. These simple yet crucial guidelines will help ensure our children have a fun and safe Halloween experience.

Harvest Assembly



HARVEST APPEAL

Help by donating an item or two from our shopping list to support people facing hardship.

SHOPPING LIST TOP TEN ITEMS

- Tinned fruit
- Juice/Cordial
- Instant mash potato
- Tinned Meat
- Tinned Vegetables
- Instant Coffee
- Custards/Desserts/Jelly
- Biscuits/Snacks
- Cooking Sauces
- Long Life Milk

*Don't forget...
You can help transform more lives with a financial donation too.*



Wythenshawe Foodbank
Wythenshawe.foodbank.org.uk
Registered Charity in England & Wales (1165044)

I'm delighted to share that we'll be celebrating Harvest on Friday, 1st November this is two days later than we previously said because we would like the children to be able to have an 'own clothes day', offering them a chance to express themselves while contributing to our community. We're asking each child to bring one of three things: an item that our local food bank can use, a financial contribution, or an item of school uniform for our reuse/recycle swap shop. This initiative not only teaches our children about the importance of harvest but also instils values of community support and sustainability.

Looking ahead, I'd like to remind parents of our Year 2 children about the phonics meeting scheduled for tomorrow morning. This session will provide valuable insights into our phonics programme and how you can support your child's reading journey at home. This will take place in the 2CM classroom.

As always, I'm immensely proud of our school community. The way our children, staff, and families come together to support one another and embrace new learning opportunities is truly heartwarming. Your continued engagement and support play a crucial role in making Newall Green Primary





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School a vibrant and nurturing environment for our children to grow and thrive.

After School Sports Clubs for next half term have gone live on School Spider this morning. Please log on to School Spider to book your child a place. The full list of After School Sports Clubs are on our website but this is the overview for this half term.

Autumn	EYFS/KS1 3.15-4	KS2 3.15-4.15
Monday	KS1 multi skills	Basketball
Tuesday	KS1 gymnastics	Dodgeball
Wednesday		Boys football Gymnastics
Thursday	KS1 mixed football	Girls football
Friday		Lacrosse Netball

Attendance in the last week of term and also today has been affected by chicken pox and illness. Please be mindful that we may have to cover classes if a member of staff is off sick. Whilst we aim to have the same people cover the class for the children this may not always be possible.

A big well done to our attendance winners this week:

1RB 94.4%
 3JE 96%
 6LE 97%

As a reward for their commitment, these classes will enjoy some extra break time. Well done to all our pupils for their dedication to learning!

House Points – the house who earned the most house points last week is House Barnardo so congratulations to every single member of House Barnardo for all of your hard work!

Here's to another exciting term filled with learning, laughter, and new achievements. Let's continue to work together to make this academic year a memorable one for all the right reasons.





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Lastly, I'd like to remind everyone once again about the importance of the School Spider app. This essential tool keeps you informed about school events, allows you to make payments for trips and enables you to book breakfast and after-school clubs.

As we work hard to encourage parents to download this app, we are happy to announce that we will be randomly selecting one name from the list of parents, who have downloaded and logged in to the app, to win this fantastic hamper!!! The draw will take place on Monday 2nd December and the lucky winner will be announced. Please note, this will be selected on parents and not children, so if both parents are on the app, you will have double the chance to win.

If you're experiencing any difficulties with the app, please don't hesitate to speak with our helpful office staff who are always ready to assist.



Date	Event
OCTOBER	
29 th October 2024	Year 2 phonics meeting in the 2CM classroom
1 st November 2024	Harvest Assembly and own clothes day – Please send your child to school with a donation for Harvest
6 th November 2024	Year 6 to Quarry Bank Mill
8 th November 2024	Nursery Individual School Photo Catch Up
13 th November 2024	Year 2 to the Mosque
14 th November 2024	4HJ to Manchester Museum
21 st November 2024	4AG to Manchester Museum
28 th November 2024	4DC to Manchester Museum

