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Friday 27th June 2025

Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

The Feast of Corpus Christi – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

In assemblies today we have reflected on last Sunday's Feast of Corpus Christi. The Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ reminds us of the importance of the Eucharist and how central this is to the life of the church, our faith and our relationship with God.

We listened to the Gospel reading from Sunday. A very familiar one that tells the story of Jesus 'Feeding the Five Thousand' one of many miraculous stories from the Gospel that describes the multiplying of food. Jesus can see that the people are hungry and He feeds them. It is a familiar theme. Jesus encounters people in distress and has compassion for them. He heals them, He feeds them, He restores them and gives life.

This important and familiar Gospel reading reminds us of the importance of the Eucharist and what it means. The Eucharist is a celebration in which God nourishes us with God's own life. It is a holy and perfect invitation and one which we are all invited to partake in. The Eucharist is our food for life; it nourishes us, providing the sustenance we need in our lives. The Eucharist is our food for life on our journey through life. We give thanks for this and the special invitation that we all have, particularly as we celebrate our children making their First Holy Communion. May they and their families find spiritual sustenance and nourishment through the power of the Holy Eucharist.



"Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing over them."

Luke 9: 11-17

Class Photo Day

Yesterday pupils across the school had their class photograph taken as part of our preparations for the end of the year. It was a lovely opportunity to celebrate and commemorate their journeys together this year. We will be forwarding details of how and when you can purchase these shortly.



Sports Days

A special word of thanks for your patience and understanding with the Sports Days that we held this week. Unfortunately, the poor weather and playground conditions resulted in some of these being adjusted, moved indoors and resulting in parents being unable to attend.

Nevertheless, what shone through was the fantastic way in which all of children worked together in such a supporting manner, whilst having fun and competing.

Well done children!



EYFS Trips to The Sea Life Centre Trafford

A reminder of the dates of the EYFS trips to The Sea Life Centre Trafford, for Reception.

Reception Trip: Tuesday 1st July 2025



Summer Fayre

A reminder our Summer Fayre will take place today after school from 3.15 p.m.

We look forward to seeing you all there and thank you in advance for all your generosity and support.



Year 6 Residential

The first group of our Year 6 children will set off on their Residential on Monday 30th June, with the second group heading to the Lake District on Wednesday 2nd July. We will keep our parents/carers updated with photographs via our X account of all the enjoyable and exciting activities the children will experience. We wish our Year 6 children a fabulous time on their Residential.



Year 6 Transition Days

Not only do our Year 6 children have the excitement of their Residential to look forward to, they will also be spending time next week at their new high schools. We are sure the children will enjoy the experience of spending time in their new school ... Good luck to our Year 6!



Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

On Thursday 17th July we invite our Year 6 parents/carers to attend a special Leavers' Assembly at 6:00pm. This will be followed by a celebration in the hall for all pupils.

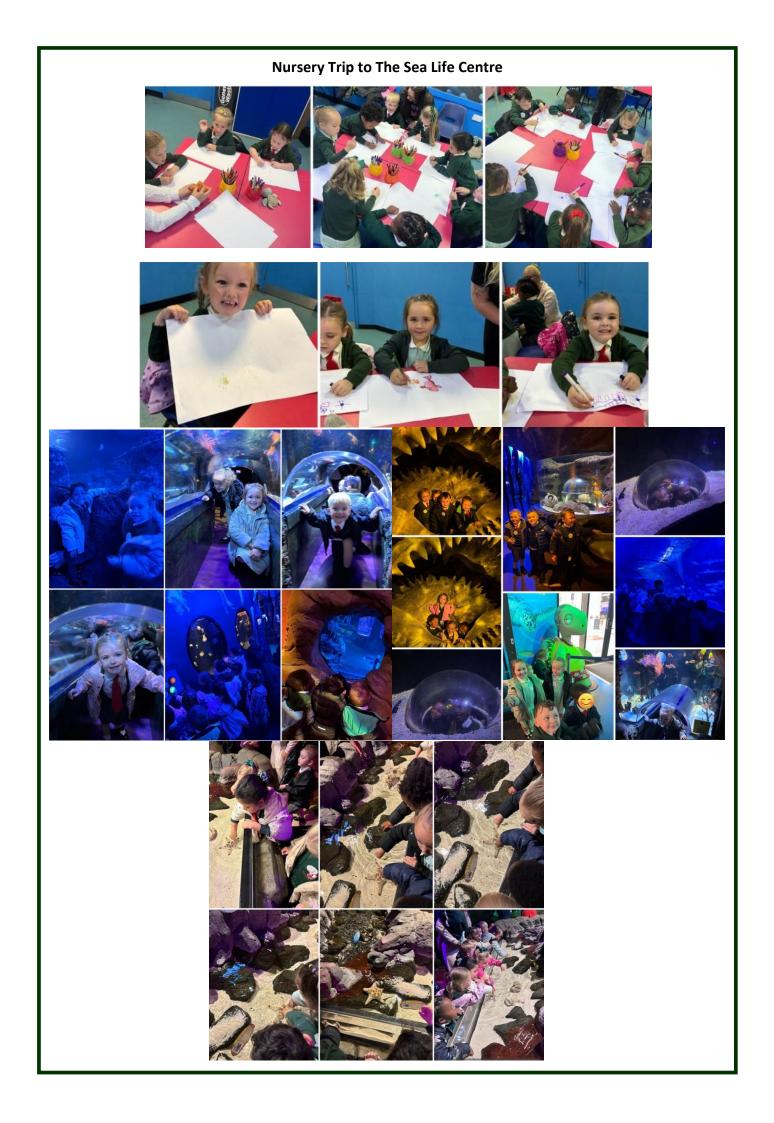


School Messages and Communication

We would like to inform all parents/carers that we send all our messages, emails and communication via our school app, School Gateway. We know that the vast majority of parents/carers are signed up to the app or at least one parent per family is, but we ask that you ensure you are signed up as we will no longer be sending text messages. We will only be sending messages via the School Gateway app and so it is extremely important that you are signed up to make sure you receive all our methods of communication.

Thank you for your continued support.





Sports Days











































In Sign Language Club, KS1 asked each other questions and signed their names ...







4C worked really hard in their English lesson ... they watched the short film 'La Luna' and have begun to write their own voiceovers for the film ...









The children in 5J took part in Christian contemplation ...





Year 5 loved their transition experience at St Matthew's with lots of positive feedback about the Science and PE lesson ...





6W used Scratch to code their own pong game during Computing ...







Well done to this week's 'Stars of the Week' ...





Curious and Active



Well done to all of our pupils who demonstrated our school virtues – 'curious and active' this week ...







Congratulations to our Times Table Rock Stars and Numbots winners this week. Keep up the good work!





1T are this week's class attendance winners with a fantastic 99% attendance!

| Nur W 94.3% | Nur/RecW 92% | RecK 94.3% | 1T 99% | 1/2H 91% | 2M 94.3% |
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| 3S 96.5% | 3/4D 95.9% | 4C 98.7% | 5C 96.8% | 5J 96.5% | 6G 92% |
| 6W 92.3% | | | | | |

Dates to remember

Monday 30th June 2025—Year 6 Residential

Monday 30th June 2025—Year 6 to Year 7 Transition week

Tuesday 1st July 2025—Reception trip to The Sea Life Centre

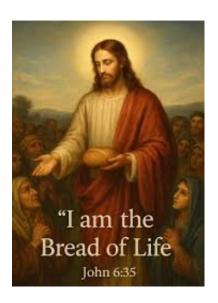
Tuesday 22nd July 2025—School closes for summer at 1.00 p.m.



Thank-you for your continued support this week. I hope that you all have a lovely weekend.

Take care and God Bless!

Mr Sutton



"Lord you nourish us with the Bread of Life
On the road of life.
Help us to share that love with
Those who need it most. Amen."