



NEWSLETTER

26th September 2025

We are half way through the Autumn 1 term and all the children have settled beautifully in to their classes. We have welcomed all our new starters in Nursery and Reception and some new children in all our other year groups. Thank you for your support in helping the children settle.

Attendance for the whole school has been very good for the start of the academic year at 97% year to date. We cannot stress the importance of children turning up for school every day and appreciate your support with this. We are approaching the time of year where the children start with coughs and sniffles, we encourage you to give the children some medication i.e. cough syrup or paracetamol and send them in to school if this is a mild cold. You should note that if a child is absent from school due to illness they should remain in the home unless attending medical appointments (local authority attendance officers and police will check why a child is not in school if out and about).

Y4 Sacramental Programme

Some families of our year 4 children have enquired about this year's Sacramental Programme. Father David is meeting with Mrs Chadwick soon to finalise the details, as soon as we have these we will send them home.

Tapestry

Families of children in Nursery and Reception class will shortly receive an email invite to join Tapestry.

We encourage our families to create accounts for this as you will then have access to updates on what the children have been doing during their time in school. You will also be able to share activities that you have done with the children at home.

End of Day Collection

Please can we request prompt collection at the end of the day: Nursery finish at 2.50pm, Reception at 2.55pm and all the other classes at 3pm.

Y3 are taken outside at 2.55pm to avoid the area becoming too congested.

Y1 and Y2 classroom doors will be opened at 3pm.

Please avoid crowding the door areas, teachers need this to be clear to ensure the safe release of the children.

The older children are released from the blue gate area.

Y4 Trip

Our Y4 children will embark on the first school trip of this academic year on Wednesday next week.

They are attending Bolton Environmental Resources Centre to enhance their geography topic.

We look forward to hearing all about this next week.

Once the trips have been arranged for our other classes we will let you know.

The flu vaccines took place yesterday, thank you to the families who returned the consent forms. Unfortunately, a few of the children whose forms were returned within the last week did not have the vaccine and will be booked in when the nurses return in a couple of weeks.

Forms have been sent home for children who the immunisation team did not receive a completed form for. Please return this to school as soon as possible, if you choose for your child not to have the vaccine please complete the back of the form and return.

Meals

The children are now settled and we would ask families to refrain from switching from school meals to packed lunches or vice versa until the start of a new term.

Should you wish to change you **MUST** inform the school office.

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Reminders

Please can we remind parents/carers:

- ◆ Earrings must be removed on PE Days
- ◆ Outdoor coat to be brought to school every day
- ◆ Standard size water bottle brought to school every day (only water, no juices)
- ◆ School reading folders should be brought to school everyday unless instructed otherwise
- ◆ Please check reading folders each night for any information sent home from school
- ◆ Names are written in all school uniform
- ◆ We are a NUT FREE school

Autumn 1 PE Days

Monday	Reception
Tuesday	Nursery
Wednesday	Y3 and Y4
Thursday	Y2 and Y5
Friday	Y1 and Y6

Secondary School Applications

Families of children in year 6 can now apply for their secondary school place through the Citizen Portal, using this link:

[Bolton Citizen Portal Secondary School Applications](#)

Closing date is 31st October 2025

Primary School Applications

Families of children due to start Reception in September 2026 can start to apply for places through the Citizen Portal, using this link:

[Bolton Citizen Portal Reception Places Applications](#)

Closing date is 15th January 2026

Dates for your diary

1st October 2025	Y4 trip to Bolton Environmental Resource Centre
8th October 2025	Y6 Height & Weight checks in school (information sent out via email)
17th October 2025	Harvest Foodbank collection day (details to follow)
23rd October 2025	Y5 #FarnworthMatters event in school School closes for October half term
24th—31st October 2025	School closed for October half-term (6 days)
31st October 2025	Closing date for Y6 secondary school applications

Stars of the Week

Nursery	Patrick, Jaroslaw	Year 3	Shahamed, Kaira
Reception	Helsby, Roman	Year 4	Jasmine, Sultan
Year 1	Edie, Michael	Year 5	Komal, Zillay
Year 2	Elena, Larson	Year 6	Jacob, Layla

UNIFORM

LOLO blue sweatshirt or cardigan, grey skirt/pinafore or trousers, yellow polo shirt.
Girls: white socks or grey tights

Boys: grey socks

Black shoes (no boots or trainers)

PE Kit: LOLO PE hoodie, white t-shirt (plain no writing or pictures), black joggers or leggings, trainers

**** CHILDREN SHOULD COME TO SCHOOL IN THEIR PE KITS ON THEIR ALLOCATED PE DAY ****

Weekly Attendance

Reception	95.8%
Year 1	98.0%
Year 2	98.0%
Year 3	97.9%
Year 4	96.8%
Year 5	93.2%
Year 6	94.4%
School	96.3%



Attendance Trophy Winner



Absence Reporting

You should call the school office before 9 a.m. each day of your child's absence

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USEFUL LINKS

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[School Website](#)

[Term Dates](#)

[School Facebook](#)

[Free School Meals Applications](#)

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HARVEST FESTIVAL

COLLECTING FOOD DONATIONS
FOR



Please bring donations into
school by
Thursday 16th October



HARVEST FESTIVAL

ITEMS WE NEED MOST

Tinned Tomatoes

Tinned Fruit

Tinned meats

UHT Milk

Deodorant

Shower gel

Shampoo and Conditioner

Tea

Coffee

Custard

Rice Pudding

biscuits

jam

UHT fruit juice

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THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER