



NEWSLETTER

7th November 2025

We hope all our families had a lovely half term break, it is lovely to see the children back in school and letting us know all the things they have been doing over the break.

During assembly this morning we were delighted to welcome our Reception class, who will now attend each week and they will be able to show their Star of the Week certificates along with the other classes.

This term is the 'magical' term with all the activities the children will do leading up to Christmas. The whole school pantomimes are already booked and we will be looking at the dates for the diary with all the other lovely events that will take place and let you know as soon as these are finalised.

After School Clubs

We have had a fantastic uptake for the hip hop after school club this half term. Both clubs are full. The club will run for 4 weeks this term, finishing on the 24th and 26th November.

Eco Club, Board Games and Recorder Club will start in week 3, identified children will be notified.

Photographs

The school photographer will be on site on Monday to take the school photographs. The children will have a family picture or an individual picture if they have no siblings. Any parent who wishes to have an individual picture of a child in Nursery, Reception or year 6 please let the office know. This year the proof photographs will be sent directly to your registered email address and you can order online and have the photos delivered to school free of charge. Please inform school if your email address has changed.

CHILDREN IN NEED

School will be taking part in Children in Need next Friday 14th November.

We would like the children to come to school in their Pudsey t-shirts or PJs, accessories or anything spotty to join in with the fundraising activities. We are asking for donations of £1.

Y1 and Y6 have PE on Friday so they need to wear suitable Pudsey related outfits for PE and training shoes.

Teachers2Parents Texting Service

The texting service platform school uses to communicate to parents had a full upgrade over the half term break and school went live this week.

Unfortunately on Monday a text was sent to the whole school which should have been isolated to an individual, which caused some concern and we apologise for this and have taken steps to ensure this does not happen again.

As the service has been refreshed the mobile number has changed, please look for the number ending **9297** and save this to your contacts (the number ending 5344 is now obsolete, we will not receive any replies to this number).

Previously the T2P app has been unreliable we cannot say at the moment whether this has been rectified with the upgrade so would encourage families to continue to use normal SMS and for those using the app any update on reliability would be appreciated. Thanks.

Poppies

We have had a great response for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal, thank you to our families who have sent in donations. Subject to availability, these will still be available until Tuesday next week.

Thank you to Mrs Allen and Miss Bradley for setting up our commemoration at the front of school.

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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 2

After School Clubs

Mon KS1 Hip Hop
Wed KS2 Hip Hop

Autumn 2 PE Days

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

Dates for your diary

10th November 2025	School photographer on site to take individual or sibling photos
12th November 2025	Packed Lunch children invited to have school meal (only those who have already booked)
14th November 2025	BBC Children in Need non uniform day
19th November 2025	Y5/6 5-a-side Football PE Cluster event (selected children)
25th November 2025	Y6 Trip 'Meet a Judge'
26th November 2025	Y1/2 Benchball PE Cluster event (selected children)

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

Stars of the Week

Nursery	Arham, Jamie-Lou	Year 3	Samuel, Sameer
Reception	Emmanuel, Yusuf	Year 4	Rafaela, Leon
Year 1	Vincent, Jaxon	Year 5	Zayaam, Lucas
Year 2	Gabriella, Rachel	Year 6	Arham, Clara

UNIFORM

OLOL 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: OLOL 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	92.6%
Year 1	91.0%
Year 2	93.1%
Year 3	98.9%
Year 4	96.1%
Year 5	92.0%
Year 6	99.4%
School	94.8%



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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