



NEWSLETTER



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w/e Friday 6th September, 2024

Welcome, Ласкаво просимо, добро пожаловать, Witamy, Sveiki, Bienvenido, Bienvenue, ยินดีต้อนรับ to our weekly newsletter.



Welcome Back

We hope families have had a lovely Summer! It's been wonderful to have the children back in school this week.

We would particularly like to welcome children and families who have just joined Holy Family School and Nursery. We are really looking forward to sharing this academic year with everyone.

Holy Family Nursery

As our wonderful nursery approaches it's 1st Birthday, please take a look at the lovely video below for a glimpse into just some of the learning adventures our nursery children experience. We are incredibly lucky to be part of the children's early years education.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wrzFC6pMtWw>

We are accepting applications for places for 2025, 2026 and 2027. Further information and an application form is available on our website or from the school office. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or to arrange a visit.

New Term, New Uniform!

Please remember to add your child's name to all their clothing, coats, footwear, accessories and PE kit. We understand these items are expensive and it will help us return belongings to your child.

Term Dates

School closes for October half term on **Thursday 24th October, 2024** and reopens on **Monday 4th November, 2024**

Click the calendar icon or see the documents in My Child At School for details of all term dates.



After School Interest Clubs

Below are the after school interest clubs for this term. Please book places for all children via the Clubs section in My Child At School.

Children who qualify for pupil premium funding may be eligible for a part subsidised place on some of the clubs, see below.

Year 5 & Year 6 Football Club

Monday 9/9/24 to Monday 21/10/24

3.30 pm to 4.30 pm

£15.00 per child

£10.00 per child using pupil premium funding
Each week, please collect children from the playground gate near church.

Year 1 & Year 2 Sports Club

with Sporting Futures

Tuesday 10/9/24 to Tuesday 22/10/24

3.30 pm to 4.30 pm

£25.00 per child

£20.00 per child using pupil premium funding

Year 3 & Year 4 Sports Club

with Primary Stars

Wednesday 11/9/24 to Wednesday 23/10/24

3.30 pm to 4.30 pm

£25.00 per child

£20.00 per child using pupil premium funding

Year 2, Year 3 & Year 4 Pop Choir

Thursday 12/9/24 to Thursday 24/10/24

3.30 pm to 4.30 pm

£15.00 per child

£10.00 per child using pupil premium funding



Happy Birthday

to pupils celebrating their birthday this week and next week.

Willow C Oscar H Aidan P Finley G Isaac H
Gabrielle B Penelope B Sienna M Edie P

Reading Books

We have some incredible new reading books in school that the children are really going to enjoy.

Please could we ask that the books are not carried in bags next to water bottles. In previous terms, we have had a high number of water damaged books, which then had to be disposed of. Thank you!



Share Your Views!

We would be very grateful if parents and carers could take a moment to complete a short questionnaire, link below.

We would really like your views and feedback.

<https://forms.office.com/e/ag8FJtcVVvi>

Thank you for your support!

IMPORTANT REMINDER!

Packed Lunch & Break Time Snacks

As we have children in school with **serious allergies to nuts and nut products**, please can we ask families not to send any food items that contain nut products in a packed lunch or as a break time snack.

Please check the ingredients carefully. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Drinks Bottles

In association with guidance provided by the Government and Dentists, to help oral/overall health and the prevention of tooth decay, please can we ask that children only bring water to school in their drinking bottles.

Wraparound Care Club Bookings

Important Notice

To ensure your child is guaranteed a place at the wraparound care clubs, please ensure that children are booked in via My Child At School. We can accommodate on the day bookings occasionally due to last minute requirements, but this should not be on a regular basis as these places can't be guaranteed.

Please could you make sure that regular payments are made to your child's accounts for sessions taken.

Thank you

Tax Free Childcare Voucher Payments

If you would like to make a payment for your child's wrap around care from your tax free child care account, please remember to email the details below to the school office. We need to know name of child, amount paid, reference number and which club(s) the payment is for. Please contact us with any questions.



My Child At School Accounts

Please could we ask that accounts for school meals, wrap around care and nursery are kept up to date. Thank you.

Attendance Stars

The Class with the best weekly attendance will be rewarded with an additional activity.

This week's Attendance Stars
are

Year 1 & Year 2
Congratulations!

Carmel College Open Evening

Full details have been emailed to Year 6 parents and carers.



Carmel College

OPEN EVENING

ADMISSION SEPTEMBER 2025

MONDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2024, 6.00PM



The staff of Carmel College invite you to come and see the College facilities, meet relevant staff and have an opportunity to discuss the admission criteria.

SHAPING FUTURES, FULFILLING DREAMS