



# MIDDLETON PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL



## SUMMER 1 NEWSLETTER

*“Excellence, Truth and Grace”*



### ATTENDANCE

Our school gates open:

**8.40am - 8.50am**

**3.20pm - 3.30pm**

You can report your child's absence via this email: [attendance@middletonparishce.rochdale.sch.uk](mailto:attendance@middletonparishce.rochdale.sch.uk)



### CONTACT INFORMATION

If you change contact details/address, please can you inform the school office as soon as possible. It is imperative our records are up to date in case of an emergency.



### KING'S CORONATION

The King's coronation is on Monday 8th May. We will be celebrating as a school on Friday 5th May. Children are welcome to come into school in the Union Jack colours of red, white and blue.

We will be having a garden party from 2 p.m. which parents may also attend.

More information to follow.

### PARKING

Please can we ask that you show consideration for all members of our school community when dropping off or collecting your children.

This includes driving with due caution, not parking on pavements or across resident's driveways, playing loud music whilst waiting, use of language as well as being mindful of parents and children who walk to and from school.



### PARENTS' COMMUNICATION GROUP

**Did you know...We have a parent communication group** working closely with Mrs Cooke & Mrs Briggs to develop and improve communication between home and school? Alison, Daniel, Florence & Jade have attended meetings within school and several actions have now been implemented following these. You may have spoken with our parent communication group as they supported with our last parents' evening, & the completion of the communication survey.

**Our school website is a key source of information** as well as Class Dojo. Key dates can be found on here as well as the current newsletters.

**You can set notifications from Class Dojo?** This means that when the school or Class Dojo pages are updated, your device will notify you so that you can keep up to date with new information added. Use the notifications setting on your device to allow permission for the Class Dojo app to send notifications if you do not have them set up already.

**Staff are now adding events.** This means that Class Dojo will automatically remind you of the dates of these events removing the need to scroll through lots of posted information to find an older post..

**Class Newsletters are sent out at the beginning of each half-term** with all the key dates needed! These are designed to give as much notice as possible for events happening within that half-term.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY FOR SUMMER 1

17th April	Return to school
24th April	St. George's Day. As this falls on a Sunday, children who attend uniformed groups can attend school in their uniform on this day.
24th—27th April	Mock SATs week—Year 6
26th April	Year 4 Creative Art Day
1st May	May Bank Holiday- school closed
3rd May	Year 1 Class Assembly: 1S at 9.00am      1L at 9.30am
8th May	King's Coronation - school closed
9th - 12th May	Year 6 SATs Week
16th May	Class Photo Day
17th May	Maths Week
23rd May	Timetables & Number Challenge @ Park Field Primary School
24th May	Year 2 Class Assembly: 2S at 9.00am      2L at 9.30am
25th May	Year 5 Church Service: 5S at 9.30am      5L at 10.30am
26th May	Finish for half term - normal time
5th June	Return to school

### MATHS WEEK

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May is 'National Numeracy' Day. To celebrate this, we are going to run several activities across this week in celebration of our love for mathematics. Children will be able to come to school dressed as a Rock Star, parents will be invited into classrooms to take part in a maths lesson and information regarding how you can better support your children in maths will also be shared. More information to follow.