

St Mary & St Paul's CE Primary School

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Headteacher's Message



A new year has started and it is great to be back. The children and staff have settled into the school routine brilliantly. We are still pushing our vision for all of "Life in all its fullness through learning and love." I am delighted that the children continue to see this as a positive and our aim as a school is to make a difference to all stakeholders at St Mary and St Paul's. We have had a number of exciting events already including our visit from a theatre group performing Pinocchio, and we have had our first school football tournament where the children in year 4 and 5 did school proud getting 4 out of 9 points in their first three games.

As ever, if you have any concerns or we can help in any way don't hesitate to get in touch or visit. We are here to help.

Diary Dates



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Thurs 3rd Oct – Census Day
Mon 7th Oct – Harvest Festival
Wed 16th Oct – Parents Evening
Thurs 17th Oct – Parents Evening
Thurs 17th Oct – Mindfulness Day
Thurs 24th Oct – Film Night
Fri 25th Oct – Finish for Half term 3.15pm
Mon 4th Nov – School re opens after half term

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Monday – Football (Y5,6), Book Builder (Y3,4)
Tuesday – Multi-Skills (Y1,2), Tag Rugby (Y5, 6)
Wednesday – Sewing (Y4,5)
Thursday – Multi-Skills (Y3-6), Arts and Craft (Y1,2)



Whole School – Pinocchio Performance

Fabulous to welcome @MandMTheatrical back to SMSP today and the children really enjoyed Pinocchio! Our year 6 pupils also participated in a workshop.
[#lifeinallitsfullness](#) [#joy](#) [#aspire](#)



Craft Day

Fabulous craft workshop with @FaceKnowsley @Faceforwardmh today in St Paul's church. The aim was to get parents and children being creative at home and we know lots of great ideas have gone home. Thank you all for your brilliant attendance. [#hope](#) [#aspire](#) [#joy](#)

Assembly Theme – Love

We are continuing our learning around our vision statement – Life in all its fullness through learning and love. This half term we are concentrating on Love and the responsibilities we all have to love one another.



Did you know that children can have 15 hours a week **FREE** nursery provision in our school Nursery once they are 3 years old?



At St Mary & St Paul's, our teaching is underpinned by Christian values, as we aim to help all of our children to become both successful and thoughtful citizens.

This begins in Nursery Class, where we help our youngest children to learn how to be a good friend, help others and be kind. Learning is through fun play activities – most of the time the children are having so much fun they don't realise that they are learning at all!

Our Foundation Stage is really well equipped with resources that make learning fun – both inside and outside – and our children really enjoy all of the learning that they do.

Headteacher's Awards

Kaizer (1) – Super Spelling
 Kairo (1) – Super Spelling
 Aaron (4) – Counting in 25s
 Libby (4) – Counting in 25s
 Duru (3) – Lovely letter writing
 Sylvia (1) – Delightful description
 Abigail (1) – Number Sentences
 Evie (4) – Great GPS



After School Clubs

Lovely to start After School Clubs today. These will now run for the next 8 school weeks! Great turn outs and excellent attitudes shown. It's all about taking advantage of 'Life in all its fullness through Learning and Love.' #aspire #joy #hope #serve

Knowsley Family Learning SHARE COURSE



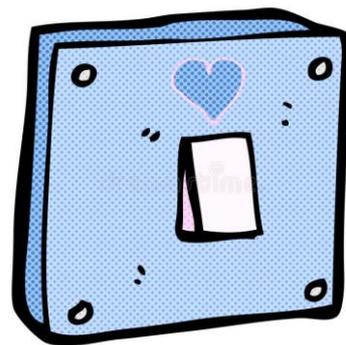
SHARE is a 5 week course for parents/carers of children in Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1. Each week in the Share course, parents are helped to plan and create learning activities that are fun for both themselves and their child. Activities are carried out once a week at home. You then come back the following week to discuss how that activity went and to plan a new one.

Share is an opportunity for parents/carers to support their children's learning and to build positive relationships, through activities that they can enjoy with their child at any time - after school, at weekends, or in the holidays.

If you would like to book a place on one of our courses, or would just like to get more information, please ring the number next to the course that you are interested in. Alternatively, you can ring our office number on 0151 443 4503 or email us at Family.Learning@knowsley.gov.uk

| Start Date and time | Venue | Address | Contact Number |
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| Monday 23 rd September, 9.30-11am | Jubilee Children's Centre | Twig Lane, Huyton, L36 2LF | Sharon Fitzgerald 07825 117 499 |
| Monday 23 rd September, 1.45-3.15pm | Halshead Primary School | Pennywood Drive, Whiston, L35 3TX | Vicky Powell 07825 117 487 |
| Tuesday 24 th September, 9.30-11am | St Aidan's Primary School | 90 Adswood Road, Liverpool L36 7XR | Sharon Lee 07825 117 504 |
| Tuesday 24 th September, 1.30-3pm | Northwood Primary School | Roughwood Drive, Northwood, Kirkby, L33 8XD | Sharon Lee 07825 117 504 |
| Wednesday 25 th September, 9.30-11am | The Hub | Unit 2, The Croft, Stockbridge Village, L28 1NR | AnnMaria Miller 07825 117 500 |
| Friday 27 th September, 9-10.30am | St Mary's and St Paul's Primary | Bryer Road, Prescott, L35 5DN | Vicky Powell 07825 117 487 |

Learning with Us.....this month



As we do each year we challenge all families to turn off your lights when you aren't in the room. This is something we are trying to do in school and thinking about the wider impacts on our world.