ST PAUL'S C.E NEWSLETTER

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CHRISTIAN VALUE

This half term, our Christian value is **Respect.**

HEADTEACHER MESSAGE

What a busy week we've had...

We welcomed our school photographer this week, and it has been wonderful seeing the children looking so smart and proud as they had their photographs taken. 📸

We also welcomed our **Year 3 parents and carers into school for our Reading Workshop**. It was fantastic to see such a brilliant turnout and to have so many of you taking the time to come into school and find out more about how we develop reading with your children.

Thank you for showing up and being involved. Your engagement really does make a huge difference to your child. When home and school work together, children see that their learning matters and that we are all invested in helping them succeed. ❤️

We are already planning **more opportunities for parents and carers to come into school across different year groups this term**, so keep an eye out for dates and further information.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We love having you as part of our St Paul's community!

Together, we can help every child believe and achieve. 🌟

Mrs Walton

ATTENDANCE
Nursery - 86.99%
Reception - 92.51%
Year 1 - 96.21% WINNERS THIS WEEK ⭐
Year 2 - 93.38%
Year 3 - 91.86%
Year 4 - 97.89%
Year 5 - 96.43%
Year 6 - 92.83%
Whole school attendance this week: 93.4%
Class with the lowest number of lates: Year 2

STARS OF THE WEEK

Well done to the following children this week ⭐

Nursery - Shay
Reception - Sofia
Year 1 - Mahour
Year 2 -Zoe
Year 3 - Leo
Year 4 - Jeremy
Year 5 - Daisy
Year 6 - Rudi
Extra - Kelbie

Spectacular pupil: Frankie Y6

SECONDARY PLACES

It's that time of year when our **Year 6 children need to apply for their secondary school place** for September 2027.

Applications can be completed online through Salford City Council by clicking the link below:
Apply for a secondary school place - Salford City Council

📅 **The deadline for applications is 31st October 2026.**
We strongly encourage all Year 6 families to make their application before the deadline.
If you need any support or guidance with completing the application, please contact the **school office**, who will be happy to help.

UNIFORM

Uniform is available free of charge at Pendleton Gateway if you would like to go down and have a look and pick up some items.
We also have plenty of uniform available in school should you be struggling. Please speak to a member of the office team, who will be happy to help.

TA Appreciation day

Today we celebrate National teaching assistant appreciation day. Thank you so much for everything you do. We really appreciate all the time, care and effort you put into making each day special and supporting the children at St Paul's. It truly doesn't go unnoticed. Thank you for all that you do! ❤️

Pupil leaders

We are delighted to introduce our new **Pupil Leadership Team** for this school year! We are incredibly proud of the pupils who have taken on these important roles and are excited to see them make a positive difference across our school.

Our pupil leaders have been chosen to represent the voices, ideas and interests of their fellow pupils. They will work closely with staff and other children to help make our school an even happier, kinder and more inspiring place to learn.

🌟 **Head Boy and Head Girl**

Our Head Boy and Head Girl are ambassadors for our school. They will represent our pupils at special events, welcome visitors, support school celebrations and help to be positive role models for others. They will also have the opportunity to share pupils' ideas and help make sure children's voices are heard.

🗣️ **School Council**

Our School Council leaders will represent the views and ideas of pupils across the school. They will gather suggestions from their classes, discuss ways we can improve school life and work with staff to help turn pupils' ideas into action.

🙏 **Worship Committee**

Our Worship Committee will help to support and develop our collective worship. They will contribute ideas, help prepare and lead worship, and encourage our school community to reflect on our values and how we can live them out each day.

🌱 **Eco Council**

Our Eco Council leaders will help us to become an even more environmentally friendly school. They will promote recycling, caring for our school grounds, reducing waste and looking after our planet. They will encourage everyone to make small changes that can have a big impact.

👋 **Welcome Heroes**

Our Welcome Heroes will help everyone feel happy, safe and included in our school community. They will welcome visitors and new pupils, help others to settle in and look out for children who may need a friendly face or helping hand.

We are very proud of all our pupil leaders and the responsibility they have taken on. We know they will show **kindness, confidence, responsibility and leadership** as they represent our school and make a difference to the lives of others.

Well done to all our new pupil leaders – we can't wait to see what you achieve!

🛡️ **Keeping Our Children Safe**

This week, we also sent home our half-termly Safeguarding Newsletter.

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility, and we want to make sure our families are kept informed about how we work together to keep children safe, both in school and beyond.

Our newsletter provides regular reminders, advice and updates for parents and carers about important safeguarding topics, including online safety, attendance, keeping children safe in the community, and who to speak to if you have a concern.

We send this information because keeping children safe works best when home and school work together. We want our parents and carers to feel informed, confident and able to talk to us if they have a worry about their child or another child.

Please take a few minutes to read the newsletter when you can. Your awareness and involvement really does make a difference.

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility – together, we keep our children safe. 💙

Diary dates

Our **yearly school calendar** was sent out last week and includes all of the important dates and events for this academic year. Please keep this somewhere safe and refer back to it throughout the year.

As a reminder, here are the **key dates for this half term:**

5th – Dyslexia awareness day
6th – Y6 Lledr Hall meeting
9th – Mental health awareness day
15th – Black history day – wear a colour
16th – School closed - INSET
21st – Y6 Class assembly 9am
22nd Harvest service (TBC)

St Paul's CE Primary

Believe and Achieve

Introducing Our New Pupil Leaders!

Our pupil leaders are here to make a difference, represent their peers and help our school shine!

School Council

- Y1 – Reva, Sanuella
- Y2 – Diogo, Willow
- Y3 – Kia and Yousef Y
- Y4 – Jaylen, Scarlette
- Y5 – Rajli/Nobel
- Y6 – Ivy & Zainab

Worship Committee

- Y1 – Loyisa, Esmae
- Y2 – Roman, Kayla
- Y3 – Charlotte and Felicity
- Y4 – Maisie, Alex
- Y5 – Nehemiah/Mya
- Y6 – Kendra & Peggy

Eco Warrior

- Y1 – Tima, Solihom
- Y2 – Louis, Maryam
- Y3 – Lucas and Jacob
- Y4 – Jeremy, Maya
- Y5 – Cash/Reece
- Y6 – Frankie & Keira

Welcome Hero

- Y1 – Mahoor, Rifqah
- Y2 – Emad, Lindh
- Y3 – Kane and Poppy
- Y4 – Jasmy, Yusef
- Y5 – Ellis/Alfie
- Y6 – Tillie & Keelam

Y6 Head Girl – Lola

Y6 Head Boy – Bambam

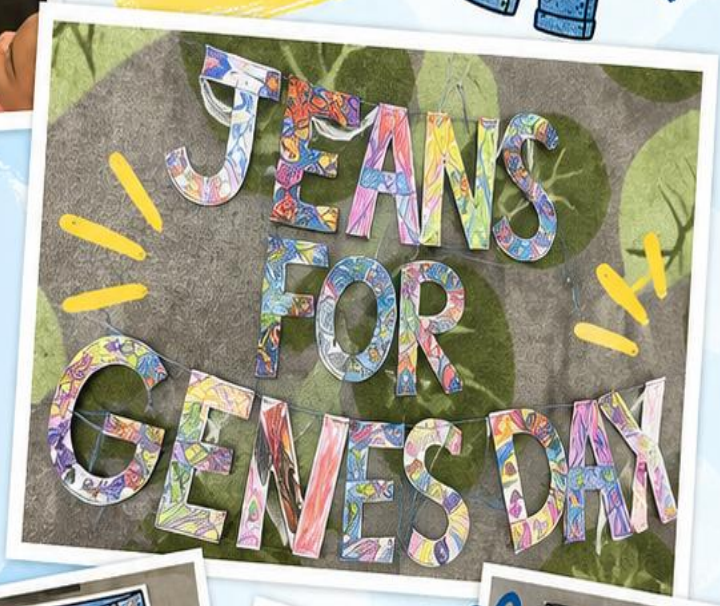
Ready ★ Respectful ★ Responsible

St Paul's Way:
Ready Respectful Responsible

JEANS FOR GENES DAY



What a fantastic day!



A huge thank you to all of our children and families for supporting Jeans for Genes Day! The children looked amazing in their jeans and blue outfits, and they were engaged and enthusiastic throughout the day. They took part in lots of activities to learn about what makes us all unique and to celebrate our differences.

Together we raised an incredible **£151!**

Thank you for your support!





Celebrating differences and what makes us unique!