SS PAPK PRIMAPY SCHOOL

Information & dates for parents and carers 22nd September 2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all who attended our 'welcome to' meetings last night. It was lovely to see the children so relaxed and confident moving around school and wanting to show you around. We hope the sessions were informative. Parents Evening is on Thursday 16th October this year and that's your chance to talk about your child's achievements and look at their work - booking out soon!

Autumn Clubs - We still have spaces on lots of our clubs especially those for Y5/6 - have a look on ParentPay and sign up! We offer a large variety of clubs, from different sports, cooking and crafts.

Please remember that if your child is in a sporty club, but doesn't have PE that day, then they wear uniform and bring a kit in a bag. Boys and girls change separately in KS2.

Sports day carousel - with all good intentions, we had planned to go out on the big field in the wonderful September sun and have an afternoon per key stage but unfortunately the weather has not been kind and the ground is just too wet. So instead, we will be competing within our classes in our team point groups with our wonderful sports coaches and teachers (inside or out!).

Morning Snacks - just to remind you that crisps, chocolate and chocolate covered/sugar covered snacks are not allowed in school for morning break. Teachers will ask pupils to put these away in bags. Also, only water in water bottles please - not cordial either sugar or 'sugar free' (artificial sweeteners). These will be replaced with water.

MacMillan Coffee Morning - this is our first BIG social event of the year and a great opportunity to mix and mingle, especially for families new to Moss Park. We usually do a smaller event in the staffroom in the morning and it is nice to catch up over drinks and cakes. In the afternoon we have the big event which is our Coffee Afternoon with drinks, refreshments and our older pupils serving. Then It's our end of the day Bake Sale and then the Bake Off Competition and Charity Auction just before 4pm! Poster out on Monday. We need your help to make this our best yet!

- Donations of cakes (home made and shop bought) are welcome all week
- Entries to the Bake Off are brought into school on Friday
- Lots of coins and pocket money and even notes to spend on cakes!
- Come and join for us our social events morning or afternoon
- Please list ingredients on all home made cakes so we can support pupils and parents with allergies

SEN Twilight Splash

Please click on the link: six relaxed evening sessions for children and young people with SEND. Try kayaking, canoeing and paddleboarding in small groups with friendly, qualified instructors. Sessions are calm, structured and sensory-aware, with adaptive kit available. Expect smiles, confidence and real water skills - supported and part-funded by Access Sport. Equipment included. Limited places. 18th and 25th September 2025 / 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd October 2025, 4:00pm till 5:30pm. Trafford Watersports Centre, Rifle Road, M33 2LX

Thank you for your support, as always, Mrs Nunwick and all the staff & governors at MoPPS

Save the Date Our Open Day for our Nursery and Reception intake 2026 - 27 will be on Saturday 8th November from 9.30am to 11.30am.

| Date | EVENT | DETAILS |
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| Monday 22nd September | No PE for Y5 and Y6 today | Mr Jordan is not in school today, so this PE slot for Y5 and Y6 will now be on Thursday . |
| | Class 4N swimming lessons | Please send your child with their swimsuits and a towel. |
| | Autumn clubs start | Our Autumn clubs start this week. Please ensure you collect your child at the correct time. If your child cannot attend a club please notify the school office. |
| Tuesday 23rd September | Year 6 Lacrosse | Children will need to come into school dressed in their PE kit. |
| Wednesday 24th September | 1W Forest School | Please can you ensure your child comes to school in outdoor clothes and ready for the weather. We will be outside come rain, sun shine or snow! |
| | Year 1 Walk to Urmston Meadows | Our Year 1 classes will be going on a walk to Urmston Meadows. Please can you ensure they have suitable clothes on for the weather? |
| Thursday 25th September | A quiet day | Salm |
| Friday 26th September | Celebration Assembly 9.00am | The only way to watch our live streamed assemblies and other events is to belong to our PRIVATE Facebook Group. Here is the link to Moss Park Primary School Facebook Please be assured that those children without permission are off-screen. I check all requests to join personally. Mrs N. |
| | Macmillan Coffee morning and Afternoon | 9.00 am - 10.00 am (staffroom) and 2.00pm - 4.00 pm (junior hall) see above |

Regular reminders - remember that PE days are outlined below

Breakfast and After school club - Please can parents book their breakfast and after school club slots on ParentPay. We can still assist if you have an emergency. We now have two after school club sessions, one ending at 5.00pm and one ending at 6.00pm. Please ensure children are collected and off the premises during the time slot you booked them into. Regular late pick-ups risk losing their place.

Collecting children - Please can parents ring the office to notify staff if their child has an appointment. You will need to show the office staff a copy of the appointment card or text message. If someone else is collecting your child, please contact the school office before 3.00pm.

If your child is unwell (pupils should only be off for something that needs more than 'calpol and tissues' as this helps them develop good habits) **or is absent from school for an exceptional circumstance** - It is very important that you either please ring the school office and either speak to a member of staff or leave a voicemail on the absence line giving the specific reason/illness **(Option 1)** by 9.30am.

Inhalers - please can you make sure you have sent your child with an in date, named inhaler if they require one. The school officer also has forms for use of the emergency inhaler if it is required.

PE Weekly Timetable Autumn Term 1

PE kit - grey or black or navy blue plain leggings/jogging bottoms or shorts, white t-shirt, with a red cardigan/jumper over the top to look smart all day. Long hair is tied up & No earrings/items of religious significance to be worn in PE for safety reasons. Other items to be covered. Please see my video explaining our 'jewellery'policy.

https://youtu.be/sQJD6PyNSz4?si=PcnwOOFuyLX2vQiv

| Reception | Thursday | |
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| Year 1 | Tuesday, Thursday | |
| Year 2 | Thursday, Friday | |
| Year 3 | Wednesday, Friday | |
| Class 4C | Wednesday, Friday (4C only) | |
| Class 4N | Wednesday + Swimming on Mondays | |
| Year 5 | Monday, Thursday only | |
| Year 6 | Monday, Tuesday, Thursday | |