



Information & dates for parents and carers 29th September 2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

Macmillan Coffee morning/afternoon Today our school community came together for our Macmillan Coffee Morning/Afternoon, and what a special occasion it was. The hall, as always, was filled with laughter, chatter, and the delicious smell of cakes! Well done to Sienna Coyne for winning the **Moss Park 2025 Bake Off Spoon** and this year our runner up was **Aaminah Belim**. Thank you to all the children who entered and the adults who made it happen. A huge thank you also goes to everyone involved with organising and our families whose generosity and warmth has helped contribute to the incredible work that Macmillan does. Events like today remind us just how strong and caring our school community is. Thank you to everyone who played a part, big or small. ❤️

Only a few people stayed for our charity cake auction this year (I might move the time next year), so we are splitting up our wonderful entries into big slices and selling them outside the office for £1 each at the end of the day on Monday.

PE Team Competitions this week - We are delighted to announce **Parks** as the overall Team Point Sports Winners, scoring the highest total points across all classes. Their consistent effort and teamwork truly set them apart, demonstrating the spirit of *"Achieving Excellence Together."* In addition to the team competition, individual class performances were celebrated, with the following classes emerging as Class Winners in their phases: Reception B with 1140 points; Year 2CB with 1140 points; and Year 6J with 1145 points. Our PE competitions were designed to be inclusive and engaging for all pupils and they showcased their skills, teamwork and determination!

	Hawking	Mandela	Pankhurst	Parks
Reception B	295	285	225	335
Reception D	195	370	235	315
1S	285	235	345	250
1W	260	250	235	320
2CB	290	240	260	350
2K	350	265	250	220
3G	290	260	270	245
3W	300	220	265	280
4C	170	190	365	340
4N	280	230	215	370
5C	260	260	205	350
5R	260	225	350	210
6J	270	350	260	265
6L	250	170	375	270

Stay and Play Week (EYFS) and Open Week (Key Stage 1) w/c 6th October - We take real pleasure in welcoming parents into school. This half term, we're especially excited to invite you to step into your child's world of learning and experience the buzz of a *real* maths lesson in action. Did you know your child will take part in around **190 maths lessons every single year**? That's an incredible amount of learning, problem-solving and discovery, before we even count the many other times maths weaves its way into everyday learning! Letters are coming your way, and KS2 Open Week is in November. Letters have gone out to Early Years and Key Stage 1 parents with the time slots and more details.

***SAVE THE DATE* Parents Evening for all classes is on Thursday 16th October**

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

Date	EVENT	DETAILS
Monday 29th September	Class 4N swimming lessons	Please send your child with their swimsuits and a towel.
Tuesday 30th September	Year 6 Lacrosse	Children will need to come into school dressed in their PE kit.
	SEND Coffee Morning 9-11am	Our SEND coffee morning offers a supportive environment for parents or carers of children with SEND to relax and ask questions as well as meet with others. There will be information regarding referrals and general Trafford Services so please come along for a while or the whole time! See you there.
Wednesday 1st October	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 5 Local Area walk	Our Year 5 class will be going for a walk around Stretford as part of our Geography work. Please send your child with appropriate footwear and a coat.
Thursday 2nd October	Individual, sibling & family photographs	FYI - We do family groups with babies and pre-school children from 8.30 am - they always make nice presents!
Friday 3rd October	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 <i>Please be assured that those children without permission are off-screen. I check all requests to join personally. Mrs N.</i>

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
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
Year 6	Monday, Tuesday

