

Newsletter

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Message from Mr McCoy

Welcome back to all our families as we begin another exciting academic year at Bleak Hill Primary School. It has been wonderful to see everyone return to school looking exceptionally smart and ready for the challenges ahead.

I would particularly like to extend a warm welcome to all our new Reception children who have joined us this term. They have made a brilliant start to their school life, settling in remarkably well and demonstrating the enthusiasm and curiosity that we value so highly at Bleak Hill. Their positive attitude and eagerness have been truly impressive to witness during these first few days.

We are also pleased to introduce several new members of staff who have joined our team this academic year. Mr Boulton has taken on the role of class teacher for 5B and has already begun establishing excellent relationships with the children. Mrs Bowes has joined us as a Learning Support Assistant in 1ME, bringing valuable experience and expertise to support our youngest learners. Additionally, Mrs Hodson has become part of our team in 2A and brings a wealth of experience. All three colleagues have integrated seamlessly into our school community and are making significant contributions to our educational provision.

I would like to remind all parents and carers about the importance of regularly checking our school website calendar and reading the School Bulletin and Newsletter. These resources contain information about all upcoming events, activities, and important dates throughout the academic year. Staying informed about these events will ensure that you and your children do not miss any valuable opportunities or essential school activities.

Please note that on Tuesday, 9th September, children will be having their individual school photographs taken. If Tuesday happens to be your child's designated PE day, please ensure they come to school wearing their standard school uniform rather than their PE kit. We will make appropriate adjustments to the PE lessons on this day to accommodate the photography schedule and ensure minimal disruption to the children's lessons.

KEY DATES AUTUMN A TERM 2025

WEEK	DATES	DAY	ACTIVITY	
2	08.09-12.09	TUESDAY	Individual Photos	
3	15.09-19.09	ALL WEEK	Y5 Bikeability	
		TUESDAY	FOBH AGM	
		WEDNESDAY	Playgroup Starts Back	
		FRIDAY	Democracy Day	
4	22.09-26.09	ALL WEEK	Y5 Bikeability	
		TUES-THURS	Book Fair	
		TUESDAY	YR & Y6 Height & Weight Screening	
		THURSDAY	Meet The Teacher Parents Drop In Evening	
5	29.09-03.10	TUESDAY	New Intake 2026 Open Evening	
6	06.10-10.10	WEDNESDAY	Y2 Trip—Imagine That	
7	13.10-17.10	TUESDAY	Y4 Class Assemblies	
		FRIDAY	Flu Immunisations	
8	20.10-24.10	ALL WEEK	Art Week	
		WEDNESDAY	Y4 Trip—Eureka & Ferry / FOBH EYFS & KS1 Film Night	
		THURSDAY	FOBH KS2 Film Night	
		FRIDAY	Break Up For Half Term—Return Tuesday 04.11.25	

What's on w/c 08.09.25						
08.09.2025	Before School	During School	After School			
Monday		Y3 Y4 & Y6 PE				
Tuesday		YR Y1 & Y2 PE Individual Photos—Uniform to be worn				
Wednesday		Y5 PE				
Thursday		YR, Y1, Y3 & Y5 PE				
Friday		Y2 , Y4 & Y6 PE				



Neurodevelopment pathway drop ins

NHS Mersey Care

Come along to one of our drop in sessions in St Helens.

Our team will answer questions you have about the neurodevelopment pathway process.

You don't need to be using our service, you can drop in if you have any questions to ask about this.

We look forward to meeting you.

Second Tuesday of the month at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon

(with the exception of October, see alternative dates below)

Fourth Tuesday of the month at Central Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm

(with the exception of Oct/Nov/Dec, see alternative dates below)

12 August at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon.

26 August at Central Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm.

9 September at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon. 23 September at Central Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm.

7 October at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon.

21 October at Central Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm.

18 November at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon. 25 November at Central Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm.

9 December at Parr Children's Centre, 9am to 12 noon.

Link Family Hub, 1pm to 4pm.

Sutton Family Hub, Ellamsbridge Road, Sutton, St Helens, WA9 3PY

Central Link Family Hub, Westfield Street, (off Peter Street), St Helens, WA10 1QF