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Dear Parent / Carers
Our Christian Value this term is Respect.

Our Ethos Statement this week is: "So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets" (Matthew 7:12).

Autumn Term

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new Headteacher at Holy Trinity Primary School. It has been an absolute pleasure to begin this term, meeting our wonderful children, staff, and wider school community. I have been so impressed by the enthusiasm, kindness, and curiosity our children have shown – they have made a fantastic start to the term.

I am very much looking forward to working with you, our families, to ensure that Holy Trinity continues to be a place where every child feels valued, safe, and inspired to learn. I am committed to supporting our staff, nurturing our pupils' talents, and building strong partnerships with you so that together we can help every child flourish.

I would also like to take a moment to apologise for the delay in opening the kitchen. This was due to unforeseen delays with the building work. Thank you to all our families for your patience, understanding, and flexibility at short notice, and a special thank you to our staff for working tirelessly to ensure that this issue is resolved as quickly as possible.

Start of the school day:

The gates will open from 8:40am. Mr Osborne will be manning the gate from this time. Teachers will be collecting the children at 8:50.

On the top playground (nearest to the gates) we will have a drop off zone where parents can come onto the school playground (if they need to) so that water bottles, book bags etc can be handed over and then your child will go straight to their lining up point. This system has really encouraged our children to develop independence and resilience – it has also enabled parents/carers to have a quick drop off and get off to work/start your day.

Years 1, 2 and 3 will line up on the middle playground; Years 4,5,6 will line up on the bottom playground;





























Training Days for 2025/26
Fri 24 October
Mon 1 June
Mon/Tue 20/21 July

Pupil of the Week

1T

1T's pupil of the week is Summaya. Summaya has had a fantastic first week in Year 1. She has been working hard in our lessons so far, showing enthusiasm and answering some questions. Summaya is a lovely and kind member of our class who has set a super example following our golden rules. Well done (3)

1RC

Well done to all of 1RC for settling into school routines so brilliantly. We have chosen Mia as our pupil of the of week for her fantastic reading and phonics skills. She has shown great resilience in her learning, and is working hard in every lesson. She is a polite, kind and helpful friend to everyone. Well done Mia.

2J

I am so pleased with how the whole of 2J have settled into the new school year. They've all impressed me with how sensible they've been and how much effort they've put in to their work. I think we're going to have a great year!! My pupil of the week though is Lucas for showing fabulous manners, being kind and helpful, doing beautiful neat work and having a really positive attitude towards the new school year. Well done Lucas, keep it up!

2S

Well done to all of 2S for making such a super start to Year 2! We're so proud of how well you've all settled in and can't wait to get started with all the fantastic things we'll be doing this year.

This week we've chosen Harry Faulkner as our first pupil of the week. He's shown so much enthusiasm for everything we've done this week and contributed some brilliant answers. Each morning he's started the day with a smile on his face and this has continued throughout the day. Keep up the fabulous effort Harry, I think you're going to be an absolute superstar this year! Well done!

3R

Well done to all of 3R for a fantastic first week back in school; they have all made a super start to KS2! This week we have chosen Sienna Forrest as 3R's pupil of the week for her superb behaviour and effort. Sienna has shown excellent listening skills and has set a brilliant example with her behaviour. She has already produced some wonderful work and has been putting maximum effort into all her tasks. Well done Sienna - keep it up! 😥

3W

This week in 3W we have chosen Marnie as our pupil of the week. Marnie has made a fantastic start to year 3 and it has been lovely to see her engagement and enthusiasm in each lesson. She is consistently putting up her hand and contributing across a number of subjects, which is fantastic to see. Additionally, she is working hard in each lesson to ensure that she produces her best work. Well done Marnie, keep up the good work.

4W

Well done to all of 4W for a fantastic first week back in school! This week, our Pupil of the Week is Leonard Macgregor. Leonard has had an absolutely brilliant week, he is an extremely kind and polite member of the class who has demonstrated great enthusiasm in all that he has done this week. His hand has been up in lessons, asking and answering questions as well as this he has had a smile on his face all week. Well done, Leonard!

4S

This week in 4S, our pupil of the week is Frankie! Frankie has had an absolutely amazing start to Year 4 and we have been so impressed with his attitude. He has been incredibly mature and has put lots of effort into everything we have done so far, being a super role model for the rest of the class and school. Frankie has demonstrated lovely manners and has shown lots of respect around the classroom, proving to be a very helpful individual. Well done Frankie, keep up the amazing work! ③

5L

My 5L Pupil of the Week is Robyn Heels for a wonderful start to her time in year 5! Robyn has begun to settle in well to all of our new routines and has come into school with a big smile on her face each day, which is so lovely to see! Robyn has shown great enthusiasm for our new class text, Holes, and has contributed well to our class discussions. Here's to a brilliant year, Robyn! Well done!

5K

I have chosen Vinny Wetherill for his brilliant effort this first week back at school! He has really settled in well into year 5 and has shown a really mature attitude in lessons. He has worked hard and presented his work beautifully. Well done for a fantastic start to the school year Vinny! (3)

6C

Layla Tawfiq for her fantastic start to life in Year 6. Throughout the week, she has worked hard, with care, thought and perseverance. This was particularly seen when working on some maths problems, where she was willing to go into the learning pit and attempt different strategies to solve. Well done Layla, keep up the great efforts throughout Year 6 ③

6E

Matilda is our pupil of the week this week. It has been a really positive beginning for 6E and I have noticed how Matilda has been involved in all our work: asking the right questions, making improvements, re-evaluating, showing care and giving attention. Well done so far and keep it up.



Dates for your diary

Tue 16 Sep – Nasal flu immunisations (consents close on 12th September)
Fri 19 Sep – School Photographs (individual)
w/c 22 Sep Wellbeing week (incl outdoor climbing wall)
Wed 1 Oct – start of Black History month
Fri 24 Oct - training day before half term

Outstanding Achievement

Well done to Maddison Crossley (5K) who has raised a HUGE £166 for St Paul's church. Maddison made bracelets and sold them in various different places to raise the money. Well done Maddison!



