



Middleforth Church of England Primary School

Our Christian Value this half term is Friendship



Friday 13th May 2022

Headteacher's Message

Where do I start? What a week at Middleforth!
All our Year 6 children have gone above and beyond to ensure they shine brightly this week during their SATS. They have made our school family incredibly proud and I am sure you are too.

We have continued our Deaf Awareness fortnight, and the children have learnt a new sign each day and the whole school performed 'I can sing a rainbow' with the correct signing. They were amazing.

In reception this week I had the pleasure of watching our future mathematicians in action.

They were learning to add two numbers together and even challenging themselves to some two-digit numbers.

Next week our marvellous Year 2 children will be sitting their SATS in class. Please can you make sure the children are in time and in each school each day.

Finally, I hope you all have a wonderful weekend and enjoy making memories as a family. See you on Monday!

Key Dates

Monday 16th May - Y3 & Y4 Trip to Anderton Centre

Monday 23rd May 2.15pm – PTFA meeting

Wednesday 25th May – Young Voices Concert, Manchester Y5 and Y6 (*only for those attending the Young Voices Club*)

Thursday 26th May – Y5 Trip to Anderton Centre

Friday 27th May – Class group photos

June – KS1 SATS are taking place.

Friday 10th June – Phonics Check Y1 and Y2, and Jubilee celebration day

Tuesday 14th June – EYFS Trip 'Imagine That!'

Mon 11th to Weds 13th July – Y6 Trip to Robinwood

Collective Worship

Our new half term Christian value is **Friendship**. Our focus for this week was 'Making Time For Each Other'. The children looked at the story of when Jesus Visits Martha and Mary. You can watch a clip of it [here](#). Where do you like to go and be quiet?

We have also introduced secret friends in school for pupils and staff. This will enable children and staff to share random acts of kindness with each other.

Platinum Jubilee Celebration Day

Friday 10th June

We are planning a special day in school on Friday 10th June, to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Children are invited to come to school dressed in Red, White & Blue theme.

A reminder to please book your school dinner on Scopay by Monday 16th – below is the party menu!

Parent Governors

We are pleased to confirm that our two new parent governors are Luke Bateson and Paul Chadwick. They are welcomed by Nina Tomlinson, Chair and the full Governing Body.

Stars of the week

Minis: Paloma

Reception: Ivan & Isla M

Year 1: Charlie & Sophia

Year 2: Eva & Thomas

Year 3: Chloe & Tia

Year 4: Freya & Oliver

Year 5: Riley & Ava

Year 6: Whole Class!



TAKEHOME 16-22 May

Should you always be allowed to choose your own breakfast?



In the news this week

Cereal company, Kellogg's, is taking the UK government to court over new rules that would stop some of its cereals being put at the forefront of supermarket shelves, as they have high amounts of sugar. It is challenging rules that are set to come into effect in England in October and would restrict the promotion of food and drink that is high in fat, salt and sugar. Kellogg's has said the new rules don't take into account the nutritional value of milk, which is usually added to the product. The government's new rules, which follow other restrictions previously put in place, aim to encourage people to make healthier food choices.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Share some of the things you eat for breakfast. Do you often have cereal? Do you have it with milk? How about others in your home?
- Do you always choose your own breakfast? Share some of your favourite choices and why you choose the things you do.

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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QUEEN ELIZABETH II

Platinum Jubilee Street Party

Friday 10th June

Choice of Filled Sandwiches

Buffet Sausage Rolls

Tea Party Crudites

Crisps

Juice

Jam and Cream Butterfly Buns

Lancashire
County Council

LEYLAND PLAY SCHEME

Mon 1st to Fri 5th August
At BTR Cricket Field, Centurion Way, Leyland

Infants
ages 5-7

Our youngest Playschemers enjoy the smallest groups with their own dedicated leaders and onsite activities such as Trampolines, Bouncy Castles, Sports, Messy Play and Arts & Crafts and trips offsite like Soft Play, Outdoor Adventures and Nature experience.

Major League
ages 8-11

Come and join the big leagues in MML and participate in activities such as Onsite: Laser Tag, Trampolines, Pottery, Music, Dancing, CaviBus & The Big Show and trips like: Swimming, Bowling and Party Barge.

TEENZ
ages 12-14

Join the older end of Playscheme with our Teenz division. Join in the bigger trips and enjoy your own activities with that bit more freedom such as Onsite: Teenz Laser Tag, Bungee Trampolines, Neon Disco and trips like: Swimming, Bowling, Teenz Cinema and Party Barge.

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School Term and Holiday Patterns 2021/2022

SUMMER TERM 2022

School closes on	Friday 27 th May 2022 at 3.15pm
Mid Term Closure	Monday 30 th May–Thursday 9th June 2022 (Inc. Jubilee bank holiday)
School re-opens on	Friday 10 th June 2022
School closes on	Friday 22 nd July 2022 at 2.00pm

School term and holiday patterns 2022/2023

Autumn Term 2022

Re-open on	Monday 5 th September 2022
School closes on	Friday 21 st October 2022
Mid-term closure	Monday 24 th October - Friday 28 October 2022
School re-opens on	Monday 31 st October 2022
School closes on	Friday 16 th December 2022

Spring Term 2023

Re-open on	Tuesday 3 rd January 2023
School closes on	Friday 10 th February 2023
Mid-term closure	Monday 13 th February - Friday 17 th February 2023
School re-opens on	Monday 20 th February 2023
School closes on	Friday 31 st March 2023

Summer Term 2023

Starts	Monday 17 th April 2023
May Day	Monday 1 st May 2023
School closes on	Friday 26 th May 2023
Mid-term closure	Monday 29 th May – Wednesday 7 th June 2023
School re-opens on	Thursday 8 th June 2023
School closes on	Friday 21 st July 2023