



St Edward's C of E Primary

Newsletter



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of St. Martin's

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Welcome Back

Welcome back to all the children and parents and welcome to all our new children who have now started fulltime in Reception. We would also like to welcome some new staff members, Miss Thorp (Year 2 teacher); Mrs Jabeen, Mr Smith and Mrs Umoh (new Teaching Assistants) and Mr Zelanyj and Miss Holmes (Apprentices)

Barnardo's and Rochdale SENDiass

Want to know more about our service - come and join us at Matthew Moss Youth Centre 11-2 on 15th September. We will have activities throughout the day and you can meet the team – there are 2 leaflets in the window at the front of school with more information.

Polite Notices

Children are not allowed earrings in school, including studs & plastic studs or earrings covered with plasters – this is a health & safety issue. Please do not send children in with nail varnish, jewellery or make-up on or have very extreme haircuts. Please make sure all children's clothing has their name in. Children are only allowed to drink water throughout the day but juice is allowed in packed lunches. Thank you for your co-operation.

New Contact Forms

Please send new contact forms back in as soon as possible. Each child needs a new one, even if there are no changes. Thank you.

After School Sports Clubs

These clubs are now full for this half term. You will have had a text if your child has a place. Children who have not got on will go on a waiting list.

KS2 Dinner Money (Years 3-6)

Lunches are now £2.70 per day, £13.50 per week, payable online either daily or weekly. Reception, Years 1 and 2 do not pay for school lunches – they are on Universal Free School Meals.

If you think your child is eligible for free meals, please apply online to Rochdale Council – there is a quick link on our website.

Next week we are on Week 3 Menus which can be found on our website under the parents section – newsletters.

Outstanding Debts

Please check all online accounts and make sure all payments are up-to-date – if there are any debts over 2 weeks, you will not be able to access any of the school services, including school lunches. Please contact the school office if you need another link to School Money/Eduspot.

Online Payments

We are now completely cashless – all payments needs to be paid online. If you have any problems with payments, you can call into the office or phone with your card details and we can take the payment. Thank you.

Music Fees

Music fees have gone up to £3.40 per lesson and are now online @ Eduspot.

Earn Cash for School with Asda

If you download the Asda App, Cash Pot for Schools and choose St Edwards by postcode OL11 3AR, each time you shop at Asda, they will donate a small percentage to school.

Year 6 Open Days

Applications are now open online for applications for Year 6 transitions to High School for Sept 2025. Applications close on 31st October 2024.

Oulder Hill – Wed 18th September 5-7pm.

Matthew Moss – Thurs 19th September 5-8pm.

Newhouse Academy – Thurs 21st Sept 5-8pm

Bury Church – Wed 25th Sept 3.30pm to 6.30pm

St Cuthbert's – Thurs 26th Sept 2024 - 5:30-8:00pm

Cardinal Langley – Tues 1st Oct 5:00pm.

Kingsway Park – Thurs 3rd Oct 2024 at 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Holy Family – Thurs 3rd Oct 4.30-7.30pm

Holy Family – Thurs 5th Oct 4.30-7.30pm

PE Days

Reception–Tues & Thurs
Year 1 – Wed & Thurs
Year 2 – Wed & Friday
Year 3 – Wed & Friday
Year 4 – Thurs PE & Swimming Friday
Year 5 – Tues & Thursday
Year 6 – Mon & Friday