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Debate Academy

Members of Debate Academy club had a great time on Monday at the Debate Academy Competition at the Mansion House, Calderstones Park, where they were able to showcase their debating skills.

Well done everyone!



World Cup – England vs Mexico



ENGLAND vs MEXICO



Monday 6th July at 1.00am

We understand many of our children will want to enjoy the next **World Cup England Match**, and that parents may feel uncertain how to handle the **1.00am kick-off!**

To ensure our children can still share in the excitement of the match while arriving at school refreshed and ready to learn, we will be showing a **replay in their classrooms.**

Monday 6th July at 9.00am promptly



Special match replay: In their classrooms at 9:00am.



Results: Please keep them a secret!



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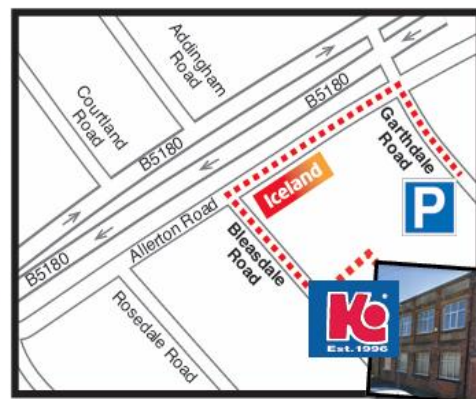
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Diary Dates

City Athletics Championships @ Wavertree Athletics Centre – Monday 6th July 1 – 4pm

Y5 Parents/carers Robinwood meeting via Zoom – Tuesday 7th July @ 4pm

Rocksteady Concert – Thursday 9th July @ 2.15pm

Rocksteady Concert – Friday 10th July @ 2.15pm

Y4 First Holy Communion Celebration Mass & Party – Monday 13th July

Y4 Trip Liverpool World Museum – Tuesday 14th July

Y6 Leavers' Assembly – Tuesday 14th July @ 9.15am – Mr Gallagher's class

Y6 Leavers' Assembly – Tuesday 14th July @ 2pm – Miss Thompson's class

Y6 Prom – Wednesday 15th July 6.30pm – 8.30pm

School closes for Summer break – Friday 17th July @ 1.30pm

Activities

Day	Club/Activity	Year Group	Time
Monday	Jay Woods Football From 13.04.26 to 13.07.26	EYFS	7.45am – 8.30am
Monday	Choir	Y3-Y6	3pm – 4pm
Monday	Jay Woods Football From 13.04.26 to 13.07.26	Y1	3.05pm – 4.05pm
Tuesday	LLS Multi-sports From 02.06.26	Y1 & Y2	3pm – 4pm
Monday	Computer Club	Y4	3.05pm – 4pm
Tuesday	Jay Woods Football From 14.04.26 to 14.07.26	Y5/Y6	7.45am – 8.30am
Wednesday	Jay Woods Football From 15.04.26 to 15.07.26	Y2	3.05pm – 4.05pm
Thursday	Jay Woods Football From 16.04.26 to 16.07.26	Y3 & Y4	7.45am – 8.30am
Thursday	Re-Action Group	Y4, Y5 & Y6	3pm-4pm
Friday	Dance	EYFS – Y6	8am – 8.30am

GeneralBeautiful New Beginnings Newsletter – July 2026

Please click the links below to read the latest Beautiful New Beginnings newsletter and discover fully funded community events during July. Information is also available on our school website, please just head to the 'News' tab.

[Beautiful New Beginnings – Fully Funded Community Events July 2026](#)

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Liverpool City Council – ASD Team

Social Communication & Social Behaviour Workshop

Date: 23rd and 24th July 2026

Time: 9.30am – 12 noon

Venue: Virtual Zoom

Dear Parent/Carer,

If you have early concerns about social communication and interaction or your child is awaiting assessment from the ASD pathway, we would like to offer you the opportunity to attend the above workshop on Social Communication and Social Behaviour (**Both session dates need to be attended**).

If you wish to attend, please contact the team on the email below.

Email: asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk

If the above dates for the workshop are not suitable, please view the Liverpool Local offer Page / Liverpool ASD training team for future training and workshops.

[Liverpool ASD Training Team | Liverpool Family Information & SEND Directory](#)

ASD Course

Date: 27th, 28th and 29th July 2026

Time: 9.30am till 12pm

Venue: Virtual Zoom sessions.

Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to offer you the opportunity to attend a course on Autistic Spectrum Disorder (Your child must have an ASD diagnosis) The course will allow you to build your knowledge on autism and meet / share information with other parents. (**All three sessions need to be attended to complete the course**).

If you wish to attend, please contact the team on the email below.

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Social Communication & Social Behaviour Workshop

Date: 4th and 5th August 2026

Time: 9.30am – 12 noon

Venue: Virtual Zoom

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WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK?

EYFS:

What an absolute treasure trove of a week we've had! The children were immersed in our pirate theme, showing incredible creativity by building LEGO ships, designing "X marks the spot" treasure maps, and using creative materials including googly eyes to bring Captain Patch from *The Night Pirates* to life. They tackled literacy by labelling pirate features and writing descriptive sentences, while over in the maths area, they reinforced their counting and subitising skills through interactive numeral-matching and cut-and-stick activities. Alongside our usual bustling pirate board games, jigsaws, and imaginative dress-up play, we also took a huge step forward with a transition visit to the Year One classroom, where the children loved exploring their new learning environment and meeting the Year One teaching team. To round out our busy week, our RE lesson focused on how we are all part of our parish family; we looked closely at the church, discussed how the parish gathers for Mass, and even had wonderful fun re-enacting parts of the service together. It has been another incredibly busy and rewarding week, and we truly cannot believe that next week is already our penultimate week in Reception! Have a lovely weekend!

YEAR ONE:

Year 1 have had a busy week this week. In English, we have been exploring recipes to help us prepare to write our own. We wrote lists of ingredients that a hungry wolf might like, using bullet points and adjectives. We also looked at an example recipes and identified all the good features. We then practised writing instruction sentences using imperative verbs. In Maths, we used our knowledge of numbers to 100, to comparing an order of numbers, identifying the 10s and 1s to help us. We also completed number patterns, counting in 1s, 2s, 5s, and 10s. In Art, we designed our own nature artwork, inspired by Andy Goldsworthy, ready to create it next week. In RSHE, we discussed how we look after our Physical, Mental and Spiritual Health and how our families help us with this, through keep us safe and teaching us. In Computing, we learnt about how computers use labels to find the correct things to show when a human searches something on the internet. We used the same skills, to group, count and sort objects, just like a computer does. The children also had a brilliant morning in Year 2, learning the new routines, showing off their skills.

YEAR TWO:

We have had an absolute whirlwind of a week packed with exciting learning! In Maths, the children worked incredibly hard to cross the finish line and complete their whole workbooks for Year 2. Our theme of the week took us to the beach: in History, we traveled back in time to compare how the Victorians enjoyed the seaside to how we do today. This inspired our Art Day, where we looked at the vibrant work of textile artist Jayne Huskisson and experimented with creating our own textured seaside scenes. We also got a little glimpse into Year 3 during our Transition Morning, where the children showed such maturity and readiness. On Thursday, we turned into mini-scientists, investigating different materials and putting them to the test to see which ones were truly waterproof. Finally, we rounded off the week with our Journey in Love sessions, reflecting beautifully on our relationships and community.

YEAR THREE:

This week in English, Year 3 are in their writing phase. They have used their plans to write a fantastic 'Lost Narrative' using adverbs, prepositions, conjunctions and inverted commas for speech. We have been so impressed by the quality of their work! In Maths they have completed their work on Perimeter and are now revisiting and revising learning from throughout the year. The children have enjoyed our Science lessons this week focusing on our topic of 'Light'. On Monday the children learned the meaning of opaque, translucent and transparent. They created their own table in their books and identified objects from around the classroom which fit into each category. On Thursday, the children practised their enquiry skills when asked to investigate: 'Which materials create shadows?' They gathered their own materials, created their own record of results and also ensured they made a fair test. The highlight of the week came on Wednesday when the children experienced Year 4 for the first time! They were very excited to meet Mr Gowans and Mrs Carr and to see their new classrooms for the first time. Both teachers were impressed with the children's enthusiasm and are looking forward to a wonderful time in September!

YEAR FOUR:

What a wonderful week we have had in Year 4! In Maths, we have been exploring area and perimeter. The children have been developing their understanding of how to calculate the area and perimeter of different shapes, using their problem-solving skills to tackle a range of challenges. In English, we have been immersed in the beautiful picture book: Flotsam. We have spent time carefully unpicking the many detailed illustrations, making predictions, asking thoughtful questions, and using the images to inspire our discussions and writing. It has been fantastic to see the children's imagination and inference skills flourish. The highlight of the week was our D&T lesson! We made delicious banana muffins, each with one healthy added ingredient. The children confidently followed the recipe, demonstrating excellent teamwork, measuring skills and independence throughout the process. On Friday, everyone enjoyed tasting their homemade muffins as a well-earned treat snack, and they were a great success!

YEAR FIVE:

Year 5 have had a busy and exciting week of learning. The children thoroughly enjoyed their transition morning to Year 6 on Wednesday. In English, they honed their balanced argument skills by debating animal captivity in preparation for upcoming writing. Maths focused on finding missing sides in compound shapes to calculate perimeter. In History, they explored the lasting legacy of the Ancient Greeks, while RE centred on how we can all care for God's creation, supported by an engaging climate change quiz. We were also lucky to be visited by former pupils, now in Y7 at S.F.X, who delivered a Spanish lesson linked to the current FIFA World Cup. To top it off, we had a brilliant cricket lesson on Thursday too! A busy but wonderful week.

YEAR SIX:

Year 6 have enjoyed another busy and memorable week. Our end-of-year celebration trip to Ninja Warrior was a huge success, with everyone showing determination, resilience and teamwork as they tackled a variety of challenging obstacles. It was a wonderful way to celebrate all of their hard work. This week, year 6 pupils also took part in Transition Day, spending the day at their new secondary schools. They embraced the experience with confidence and enthusiasm, enjoying the chance to meet new teachers, make new friends and explore their new surroundings. We have also been developing our artistic skills by practising our seaside landscape paintings. The children have focused on using foreground, middle ground and background to create depth and perspective in their artwork, producing some impressive pieces. We are incredibly proud of everything Year 6 have achieved and look forward to making the most of our final days together.

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