

St.Margaret's Anfield

Church of England Primary School

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Friday 20th October 2023

Breakfast club is available from 8am every morning. Free of charge

MAKING PAYMENTS

Please download our new App "SchoolComms"



We have sent all parents/carers an invite and a reminder invite this week. Payments are available for dinner money, trips and we will keep you up to date with anything further.

Please ensure that we have your correct email and mobile telephone number so you do not miss out.

EASYFUNDRAISING

Sign up to Easyfundraising to help raise money for school as you shop! Click the logo



easyfundraising

Twitter

Twitter is updated daily with photos and activities happening in school!

Click to go to Twitter and find us @StMargAnfield to follow!

MESSAGE FROM MR GRIFFITHS

What a rainy day to end our week! But the amazing effort from everyone wearing red for our Show Racism the Red Card event today really cheered us on. Thank you to everyone who donated we raised over £100. The Anti-Racism Poster Competition winners were Ella, Habiba and Alexia and their posters will be displayed in school.

Our Space Week competition closed on Monday. Winners will be announced in next Fridays assembly. Good luck to all who entered!

Our Girls Football Team played in a World Cup Tournament this week, they did well and played some excellent football. We are looking forward to cheering them on in future games.

As part of October's Black History Month we have been taking part in activities in school to celebrate diversity. Donna from EMTAS gave us a fantastic Rainbow Smiles assembly session.

All photos are available to view on Twitter.

Our attendance has remained just under 94% for the whole school this week. Let's work together to try and push this higher for the last week of half term next week.

Next Friday (27th October) we finish for half term at normal finishing time of 3.10pm for all year groups.

Have a great weekend

Mr Griffiths

RECEPTION ADMISSIONS

If your child is due to turn 4 before the end of August 2024 you must apply for Reception on the Liverpool City Council website <u>before 15th January 2024</u>

 $\underline{\text{https://liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/how-to-apply/}}$

YEAR 7 ADMISSIONS

Parents of Year 6 children you must apply for Secondary School on the Liverpool City Council website <u>before 31st</u>

<u>October 2023</u>

 $\underline{\text{https://liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/how-to-apply/}}$

UPCOMING EVENTS

MONDAY 23RD OCTOBER

Year 6 Swimming

3.15pm-4.15pm LSC After School Club LSC Dodgeball available to Years 4, 5 and 6

3.15pm-4.10pm Year 2 Lego Club

3.15pm—4.20pm Year 4/5 Walking Club

TUESDAY 24TH OCTOBER

UN Day—Own Clothes and donations 50p-£1

3.15pm—4.10pm Year 4/5/6 Board Game Club

3.15pm-4.10pm Year 5/6 Dodgeball

3.15pm-4.15pm SMA's Young Voices
Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY 25TH OCTOBER 3.15pm-4.15pm Year 3 Lego Club

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3.15pm—4.10pm Cross Stich Club

THURSDAY 26TH OCTOBER
3.15pm-4.15pm Year 1/2 Board Game
Club

3.15pm—4.15pm Football Squad Training

FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER

Finish normal time for half term

MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

Return to school

Please remember all children attending after school clubs must be collected by an adult.

PE DAYS

RECEPTION — MONDAY
YEAR 1 — THURSDAY
YEAR 2 — FRIDAY
YEAR 3 - MONDAY
YEAR 4 - FRIDAY
YEAR 5 - WEDNESDAY
YEAR 6 - TUESDAY

KEEPING IN TOUCH

PARENT CONNECT APP



All messages sent by the school are through our Parent Connect App. If you do not have the app please ensure you download it. You can click the logos below depending on your phone/tablet type to download for free or search "Parent Connect". We send out weekly invites by email to anyone who is not registered. If you do have the app please check your notifications are turned on or you will miss messages from school. If you are unsure please contact Mrs Cave at the school office 0151 260 5522.





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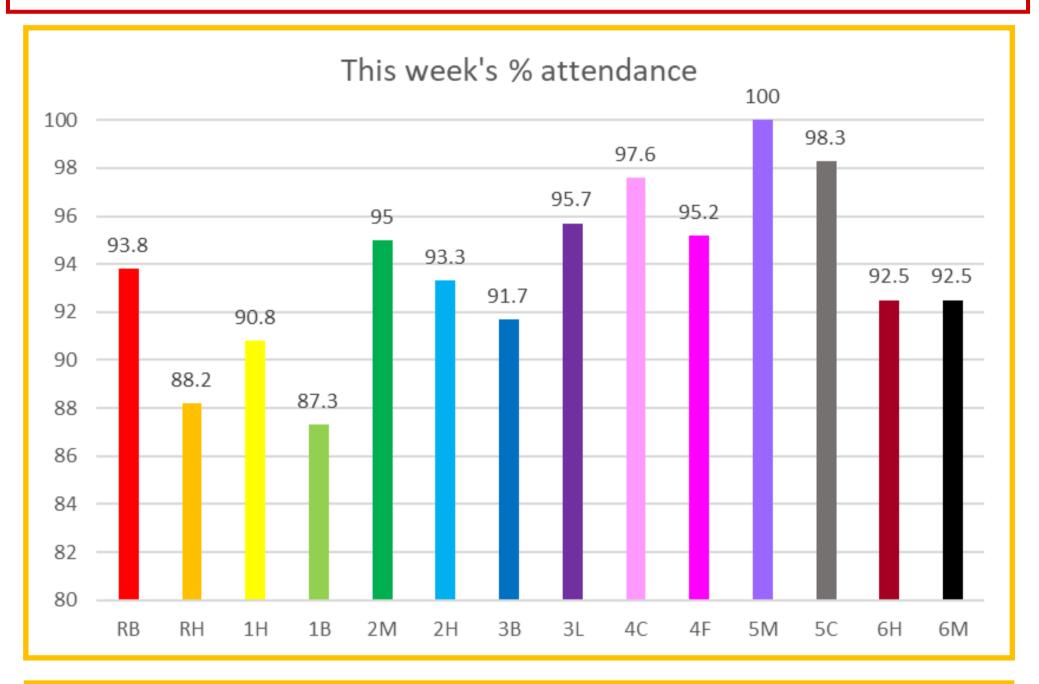


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ATTENDANCE REPORT MONDAY 16TH OCTOBER 2023—FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2023



What happens if your child does not attend school regularly?

- You will be contacted by Ms Cavanagh.
- You may be invited to attend a meeting in school to discuss how we can work together to improve your child's attendance and to set up an attendance support plan.
- As a school, we are responsible by law for reporting poor attendance to the local authority.
- As a parent, you are committing an offence if you fail to make sure that your child attends school regularly.
- You run the risk of being issued with a penalty notice or being taken to court.
 A child who has an attendance figure of 90% or below is now classed by the government as 'a child with persistent absence'.

SMA Attendance Target

There is sometimes a perception that an attendance rate of 90% is good.

This is because an examination score of 90% means excellence. However, as an attendance rate, 90% is unsatisfactory, it equates to missing 20 days per year.

We consider below 92% as approaching persistent absence.

The whole school attendance target this year is 97%.

Parent/Carer Support

We must ask you, our Parents/Carers to support us in improving the attendance of our children.

Every lesson really does count for your child, children can quickly fall behind if even one day is missed, catching up even a little lost time from school can be really difficult. Good attendance is linked to achievement, better relationships with other children and better overall behaviour in school.