

# Sylvester Primary Academy

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## SYLVESTER NEWS

Dear parents & carers,  
 Welcome back after the Easter break. Hope that you all had a lovely Easter and are all raring to go for the Summer Term.  
 Don't forget that we are closed on Monday for the bank holiday, so let's hope that the sun keeps shining.  
 Have a lovely long weekend,  
 Ms Harrison

Principal


Please inform us if your child is unwell and can't attend school on their first day of absence. It is really important that you *contact the school office* and that you provide a reason for their absence.

You can call us on :  
**0151 477 8320**

Or email [Sylvester@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:Sylvester@knowsley.gov.uk)



**TO PERFECT ATTENDANCE AND BEYOND!!!!**


**Our whole school attendance target is: 96%** 

**Our whole school attendance this week is: 93.1%**

|                   |               |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Reception: 93.2%  | Year 3: 87.2% |
| Year 1: 93.8 %    | Year 4: 94.4% |
| Year 1 / 2: 94.5% | Year 5: 93.5% |
| Year 2: 94.5%     | Year 6: 95.5% |

**Year 1 Parents Phonics Workshop**

Year 1 Parents should have received information on Class Dojo and a letter regarding a Phonics Workshop taking place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May at 9am. This meeting will explain what the Phonics Screening Check will look like and how you can support your child with their Phonics and Reading at home. We would love to see as many parents as possible attend this.



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 29th April 2022



| Summer Term Dates |  |
|-------------------|--|
| Date              | Event                                      |
| 2.5.22            | Bank Holiday                               |
| 3.5.22            | Fire Brigade visiting school               |
| 5.5.22            | Mad Science Assembly                       |
| 6.5.22            | Cake sales in school                       |
| 6.5.22            | Year 1 Phonics Workshop for Parents at 9am |
| 9.5.22-12.5.22    | Key Stage 2 SATs                           |
| 11.5.22           | Governors meeting at 4pm                   |
| 18.5.22           | EYFS Stay and Play at 9.45am               |
| 20.5.22           | Street Party in school for Queen's Jubilee |
| 20.5.22           | Fiinish for half-term at 3.15pm            |
| 6.5.22            | Return to school at 8.50am                 |

**Wellbeing message of the week**

You are never too old to set another goal or dream a new dream



## Class Superstars this week

Reception: Teddy J

Year 1: Heidi J-B

Year 1/2: Harlow A

Year 2: Luke E-J

Year 3: Lilliana K-S

Year 4: Shaun R

Year 5: Connie R

Year 6:



## Dojo Champions this week

Reception: Elsie L

Year 1: Isla M

Year 1/2: Lily M

Year 2: Nancy K

Year 3: Amelia A

Year 4: Joseph C

Year 5: Holly H

Year 6:



### Happy 'April' Birthdays

Mrs Hooson – Myah – Esmee – Teddy –  
Mrs Fitzgerald – Esther – Ethan – Harry –  
Asi – Kyle – Isla – Teddy – Mrs Lewis –  
Bella – Elsie – Rose – Darcie – Scott – Miss  
Vernon – Ito – Lola – Rosie – Imogen –  
Amelia – Anna

## The Role of the Parent Governor

We are looking to strengthen our Local Governing body by recruiting two parent governors. ***'Parent governors play a vital role on governing bodies, holding the unique position of having a parental viewpoint of the school. Through their children, they have a first-hand experience of the delivery of the curriculum, and how the school is perceived from the 'consumers' point of view. This allows parent governors to bring a different perspective to the management of the school.'***

You do not need a background in education to become a governor and there is training available for anybody who wishes to access it – but this is not a requirement. There are other parent governors already part of our Local Governing body and we are always ready to support new members. We believe that Sylvester Primary Academy is at the heart of our local community and by joining us you will get the chance to meet with people who care hugely about the future of the your child/children.

As a Local Governing body we meet six times during the academic year (two dates per term), alongside further opportunities to visit the school during the school day and see the curriculum, policies, staff and children in action! If you would be interested in joining, please look out for further information or speak with a member of staff to express your interest.

Best Wishes – The Governors of Sylvester Primary Academy

## Cake Sale

We will be holding a cake sale in school on Friday 6th May to raise funds for resources for all year groups across school. Cakes will be sold at playtimes. Please look out for more information on Class Dojo.



Thank you



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**@sylvesterschool**