

# Sylvester Primary Academy

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## SYLVESTER NEWS

Dear parents & carers,  
I can't believe it's the end of another week already and it's October this weekend. Lots have children have been coming to school without coats, as the weather has been so mild. Could you please make sure that your child brings a coat to school and is wearing appropriate footwear, as we will be playing outside as the weather turns colder. Have a lovely weekend,

Ms Harrison  
Principal

### Autumn Term Dates 2023

Date	Event
2.10.23	Black History Month begins
4.10.23	Flu Nasal Spray—Nursery to Year 6
4.10.23 (3.30-5pm)	Open Evening
5.10.23, 19.10.23 (pm)	Huyton School Football Tournament
10.10.23	World Mental Health Day
12.10.23	School Promises Assembly—Year 4 & 5
17.10.22 & 18.10.22	Parents' Evening
27.10.23	School Photograph Day
27.10.23	Finish for half-term
6.11.23	Children Return to school
6.11.23— 10.11.23	Year 4 swimming
8.11.23 (pm)	Altru drama group—anti-bullying play
9.11.13	Neon discos after school
10.11.23	Whole school science day

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: **92.9%**

Reception B:	93.1%	Year 2:	96.7%
Reception T :	94.3%	Year 3:	89.1%
Year 1:	96.9%	Year 4:	87.6%
Year 1 / 2:	90.1 %	Year 5:	97.7%
		Year 6:	93%



Thank you so much to everyone who came along to our Macmillan Coffee morning this morning. We raised an amazing £398.82 for Macmillan Cancer Support.



**Wellbeing tip of the week**  
Sleep is important for your wellbeing—try to get 8 hours per night

SLEEP TIME



### Class Superstars this week

Year 1: Leon Mc  
Year 1/2: Vlad P  
Year 2: Harley F  
Year 3: Teddy D  
Year 4: Nathan O  
Year 5: Ava H



### Dojo Champions this week

Year 1: Charlie G  
Year 1/2: James E-J  
Year 2: Robyn O'H  
Year 3: Elijah K  
Year 4: Lukas W-J  
Year 5: Benny H-A



### Happy 'September' Birthdays

Miss Brenchley – Myla – Charlie – Bobby –  
Oscar – Oliver – Sienna – Daisy – Siobhaun –  
Noah – Mrs Huckle – Elsie – Ella – Elouise –  
Mrs Devlin – James – Elliot – Niamh –  
Tommy – Hunter – Joshua – Anais –  
Maggie – Ashleigh – Jessica – Felicity

### Open Days

We will be holding Open Days in school on 4th October 2023 and 22nd November 2023 from 3.30-5pm.

If your child is starting school next September or you know anyone who would like to join our school in other year groups, tell them to come along!

### Applying for places in Reception 2024

- If your child's birthday falls on or between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020, now is the time to apply for a Reception class place in school in September 2024
- There is no automatic transfer from Nursery—everyone must apply between 12 September 2023 and 15 January 2024

Apply online by visiting  
[www.knowsley.gov.uk](http://www.knowsley.gov.uk)

### French Day

On Tuesday 26th September, we celebrated European Day of Languages by having our very own whole school 'French Day'. Children got to dress up in the colours of the French flag, eat French food and learn lots about the French language.

We had lots of fun!

