

Sylvester Primary Academy

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SYLVESTER NEWS

Dear parents & carers,
It's the end of another week here at Sylvester and only two more weeks until half-term. Over the weekend, we are due to see a change in the weather, so please ensure that children are coming into school dressed for the weather wearing coats and appropriate footwear. Have a lovely 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



TO PERFECT ATTENDANCE AND BEYOND!!!!

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

Our whole school attendance this week is: **94%**

Reception B:	88.5%	Year 2:	93.3%
Reception T :	98.6%	Year 3:	93.1%
Year 1:	99%	Year 4:	92.9%
Year 1 / 2:	91.5%	Year 5:	98%
		Year 6:	91.3%

Neon Discos

On Friday 10th November, we will be having Neon discos after school.

Key Stage 1 will take place from 3.20-4.20pm and Key Stage 2 from 4.30pm onwards. Look out for more details on Class Dojo



Wellbeing tip of the week

You don't need to move to a new place to begin again, a new mindset is all you need to start over.

– Barb Schmidt

Autumn Term Dates 2023

Date	Event
18.10.23 (pm)	Year 2 Football Tournament
17.10.22 & 18.10.22	Parents' Evening
19.10.23 (pm)	Year 5 & 6 Football Tournament
20.10.23 & 27.10.23	Year 6 swimming (pm)
24.10.23 (3.15pm)	Year 1 parents reading meeting
26.10.23	Fire service in school
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
10.11.23	Year 5 swimming (pm)
10.11.23	Whole school science day
10.11.23	Neon discos after school
13.11.23-17.11.23	Anti-bullying week
13.11.23–16.11.23 (am)	Year 3 swimming

Class Superstars this week

Year 1: Marnie-Jo C

Year 1/2: Keith-Kai C

Year 2: Riley C

Year 3: Laikyn N

Year 4: Archie P

Year 5: Noah K



Dojo Champions this week

Year 1: Myah D

Year 1/2: Henry T

Year 2: Esmae W

Year 3: Felicity L

Year 4: Lukas W-J

Year 5: Grace W



Happy 'October' Birthdays

Luke – Kienna – Ava – Olivia – Stephen –
Ellie – Miss Simpson – Erin – Laikyn – Hallie
– Mrs Summerfield – Amelia – Angus – Leo –
Miss Armstrong – Nylah – Paulie – Robyn –
Nancy – Miss Lacy – Akira – Isaac – Kyle –
Sophia – Peter – Summer Rae – Billy – Harley
– Emelia – Mr Malthouse

Principal's "Being Ready" Awards

On Thursday October Year 4 & 5 led our assembly on "Being Ready" which is one of our Sylvester Promises. Well done to the following children who received an award.

Year 1— Elliot B

Year 1 / 2— Ariella H

Year 2— Mala'ika B

Year 3— Stephen D

Year 4— Isaac B

Year 5— Thomas K

Year 6— Amelia W



Applying for places in Reception 2024

If your child's birthday falls on or between 1st

September 2019 and 31st 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

Parents Evening

**We are holding parents consultation meetings in school on 17th & 18th October. If you haven't yet signed up for an appointment, please do so via Class Dojo by Saturday 14th October at the latest.
Thank you**