



DISCOVERY ACADEMY NEWS

Attendance

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments



This week's attendance is **97%**

Class	Average
Nursery	99%
Reception	93%
Year 1	99%
Year 2	98%
Year 3	99%
Year 4	94%
Year 5	99%
Year 6	99%

Reminder

Gates open at 8:45am and close at 8:50am. After 8:50 pupils must enter through the office as late.

Meet the Teacher week Parents meet the teacher and find out about the curriculum, expectations and how you can support your child at school .	Wednesday 18 th September	2:30pm	Year 4
	Thursday 19 th September	2:30pm	Year 5
School individual photographs	Tuesday 1 st October	AM	All students
Parent consultations– 15 min appointments	Tuesday 8 th October	8:30am -12:00pm 1:00pm – 6pm	Whole school
EYFS and KS1 Family Assembly	Friday 25 th October	9:00am	Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents

LUNCHTIME AWARDS

Each week the Midday Assistants celebrate the achievements of all children but give special recognition to some children to receive the Lunchtime award.

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Isaac	Kyan	Jorgie	Charlie	Alyssa	Poppy	Alice	Harriet



Principal's clinic

Wednesday 9 am and 11:30 am.

SCHOOL OPEN EVENING DATES AND TIMES

SCHOOL NAME	OPEN EVENING	TIME
Alder Community High School (Community)	Thursday 26 th September 2024 https://www.aldercommunityhighschool.org.uk	4:30pm – 6:30pm
All Saints Catholic College (Voluntary Academy)	Tuesday 1 st October 2024 https://www.alsaintscatholiccollege.com	5:00pm – 8:00pm
Audenshaw School (Academy)	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 http://www.audenshawschool.org.uk	5:00pm – 7:00pm
Copley Academy (Academy)	Wednesday 2 nd October 2024 https://www.copleyacademy.org.uk	4:30pm – 7:00pm
Denton Community College (Community)	Wednesday 25 th September 2024 https://dentoncommunitycollege.org.uk	6:00pm – 8:00pm
Droylsden Academy (Academy)	Thursday 26 th September 2024 https://www.droylsdenacademy.com	6:00pm – 8:00pm
Fairfield High School for Girls (Academy)	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 https://www.fairfieldhigh.tameside.sch.uk	6:00pm – 8:00pm
Great Academy Ashton (Academy)	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 http://gaa.org.uk	5:00pm – 8:00pm
Hyde High School (Community)	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 http://www.hydehighschool.uk	6:00pm – 8:00pm
Laurus Ryecroft High School (Free School)	Wednesday 2 nd October 2024 https://www.laurusryecroft.org.uk	5:30pm – 8:00pm
Longdendale High School (Academy)	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 https://longdendalehighschool.org.uk	4:30pm – 8:00pm
Mossley Hollins High School (Community)	Tuesday 24 th September 2024 https://www.mossleyhollins.com	6:00pm – 9:00pm
Rayner Stephens High School (Academy)	Thursday 26 th September 2024 https://raynerstephens.org.uk	4:30pm – 8:30pm
St Damian's RC Science College (Voluntary Aided)	Monday 30 th September 2024 https://www.stdamians.co.uk	5:30pm – 8:00pm
St Thomas More RC College (Voluntary Aided)	Thursday 26 th September 2024 https://www.stmcollege.org.uk	6:00pm – 8:00pm
West Hill School (Academy)	Thursday 26 th September 2024 https://www.westhillschool.co.uk	6:00pm – 8:00pm

Information is correct at time of writing. Please check individual schools' web sites before you plan your visit.



Menu

Week Three	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Dish	<i>"Meat free Monday"</i> Tomato pasta bake with Garlic Slice	Margherita Pizza <u>With</u> Seasoned Wedges	Roast Turkey with Homemade Roast Potatoes, Veg, Yorkie & Gravy	Homemade Lasagne with sliced Garlic Bread	Chicken Style Hot Dog with Chunky Chips
Vegetarian Dish	Chinese Stir Fry with Chicken style pieces & Noodles.	Southern style Quorn burger on a bap with Seasoned Wedges	Quorn Nuggets with Homemade Roast Potatoes, Veg, Yorkie & Gravy	Cheesy Pasta Bake with sliced Garlic Bread	Homemade Cheese & Onion Pie with Chunky Chips & Beans
Jacket Potato & Sandwich Selection	Jacket potato. Cheese and beans Sandwich Selection & Salad Bar	Jacket potato Cheese and beans Sandwich Selection & Salad Bar	Jacket potato Cheese and beans Sandwich Selection & Salad Bar	Jacket potato Cheese and beans Sandwich Selection & Salad Bar	Jacket potato Cheese and beans Sandwich Selection
Accompaniments	Sweetcorn Fresh Salad bar	Corn on cob Homemade Coleslaw Fresh Salad bar	Carrots & Cauliflower Fresh Salad bar	Sweetcorn & Broccoli Fresh Salad bar	Baked Beans Fried Onions No Salad
Dessert 	Freshly Baked Cookies Fresh Fruit or Yogurt	Carrot Cake Fresh Fruit or Yogurt	Freshly Baked Muffins Fresh Fruit or Yogurt	Strawberry Jelly (Vegan) Fresh Fruit or Yogurt	Ice Cream Fresh Fruit or Yogurt

CHILD OF THE WEEK

Each week the teachers celebrate the achievements of all children but give special recognition to some children to receive the Child of the Week award.

Nursery	Maximus	For improving, Max has really tried hard each day with his personal care and gone to the toilet all by himself.
Reception	Callie	For: For settling in well in her new Reception class and always making good choices
Year 1	Emberleigh	For Achieving: This week Emberleigh has followed all instructions to complete her work to a super standard in all lessons! She is a super learner and we are happy to have her in Year 1!
Year 2	Kai-Luca	For Achieving & Inspiring – Kai-Luca has been working hard on his phonics and even Mrs Collins was blown away. Well done Kai-Luca.
Year 3	Dominic	For Discovering- Dominic has had a really positive start to Year 3 and has settled in well to our routine. We are very happy to have you in our class.
Year 4	Darcey	For Inspiring – Darcey has been working hard in the classroom since the beginning of the year. She has ignored distractions and worked hard to complete her best work.
Year 5	Ethan	For achieving: Ethan has really challenged himself this week in maths. He has worked hard reasoning and problem solving when trying to identify a 5 digit and 6 digit number.
Year 6	Savannah	For Improving and Inspiring – Savannah has approached Year 6 with a very mature and sensible attitude. She is focusing on her work and not letting herself become distracted in our lessons! Keep it up!



WELLBEING STARS

Each week we work on developing skills regarding mental health and wellbeing with the children. This certificate celebrates those who have shown a great understanding in this week's focus for their class.

Nursery	Willow	Willow has been a super helper in nursery this week. She has shown our school value 'Caring' and helped her friends to tidy-up where they have been learning.
Reception	Freddy	For being kind to others and doing good turn taking.
Year 1	Ellie	For Caring: This week Ellie really showed our caring value by helping a friend who she saw was struggling to put her umbrella down on a very wet morning. What a super friend.
Year 2	Lydia	When something was bothering Lydia, she asked Mrs Parkinson for a quiet word and we were able to solve the problem together. Well done for being brave and grown up.
Year 3	Florence R	Florence really showed the caring value by ensuring that she was explaining the correct safety rules to the children playing hockey and supporting others with being safe with the equipment.
Year 4	Calvin	Calvin has been supportive and helpful to peers around him. He realised a friend was unsure in Maths and he helped them through so they could continue their learning.
Year 5	Israel	For being patient, kind and respectful to others and their beliefs when discussing religion, history and world views. Then sharing his knowledge of Christianity and his views in a mature way.
Year 6	Macie-Leigh	Macie-Leigh has shown great resilience this week! We have been tackling some tricky assessments and Macie-Leigh has worked well with her teachers to support her understanding! Keep it up Macie-Leigh!

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