

# Weekly Newsletter

*'Education on another level, where possibilities are endless'*

## RSH Class Assembly

A huge well done to our Reception children who did an amazing job this week in their (first ever) Class Assembly. They took us on a journey through the year sharing their favourite books, we enjoyed a rendition of 'Foggy, Foggy Forest' and they ended with one of their favourite songs they have learnt this year through their singing assemblies – 'You've Got A Friend In Me'. I cannot express how proud we are of the children, it takes a lot of Bravery to stand up in front of an audience, but to do it so confidently and to show such support for one another whilst delivering their lines, remembering where to stand and what to do – they all did brilliantly! To top it off – the whole class received a Character Award Certificate for showing **Bravery** and being so wonderful in their performance!

## Mystery Readers

Thank you to Arina's Mummy for being our Mystery Reader this week. We really enjoyed welcoming you in and listening to your chosen story!

## Update on our new members of Crown Street Primary ...

This week the time came to release our butterflies as they were ready to leave us at Crown Street Primary and explore the wider world. Each class took their butterflies into our outside area and took their time to carefully open the butterfly net and help release the butterflies. We have loved having some additions to our classes over the last few weeks – the children have loved learning and watching the change from caterpillars to butterflies. Next time you spot a butterfly, you'll have to look carefully – it might be a Crown Street Primary one...!



## Upcoming dates / events ...

### Play and Pick-up Sessions, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July for RSH & Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July for PLMM

Parents/Carers are invited into school to play with your child within some of areas/activities have been enjoying.  
*Reception Play & Pick-up – Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2.30pm*      *Pre-School Play & Pick-up – Tues 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2.30pm*

Please note, this session will be limited to one parent per child and we cannot accommodate any younger siblings. A link to a form to book your space was sent out earlier this week.

### Open Doors, Mon 14<sup>th</sup> July, 3.30pm – **Altius & Citius** & Tues 15<sup>th</sup> July, 3.30pm – **Fortius & Magnus**

We will be welcoming parents/carers into classrooms as a chance to celebrate the children's work and achievements over the year. Your children will also be able to share their 'pupil profiles', which reflect their own thoughts on their learning and achievements from their year. Miss McLeod Marsh and Miss Hopkins will be available to answer any questions you may have and celebrate the fantastic year they have had with your children. To make these sessions more relaxed and to avoid crowding, we will be spreading them over two afternoons grouped by House Teams. You do not need to book a slot, it will be more of an informal drop-in session. Both afternoons will run from 3.30pm – 4.15pm. Please collect your child from the Early Years Gate as usual and then wait outside school so the staff have time to set up.

If you are unable to attend, we will be sending the children's work and books home with them at the end of the academic year so you are able to share this with them then.

### New Pre-School and New Reception Induction Morning, Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> July

Another letter including information about our Induction Morning for new to Pre-School and new to Reception families has been sent out this week.

### PLMM Class Celebration, Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> July, 9.30am

Pre-School parents/carers please save the date! We will share more information about booking tickets soon.

## Character Award!

The recipients of our Character Award for the last week are...



These were both awarded for **Integrity**, one for making good choices and helping others to do this too and the other for their performance in assembly.

Well done to both of you!



Bravery



Citizenship



Curiosity



Gratitude



Integrity



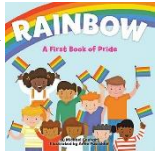
Kindness

## Assembly this week

This week in assembly we focused on exploring our Character Traits of **Integrity**, **Kindness** and **Citizenship**.

We talked about these in relation to being proud of ourselves and being confident to be proud of who we are. We discussed how we may share similarities, but we are all different, special and unique and we should be proud of the things that make us different. This led us to then discuss kindness and the importance of being kind to others and respecting our differences.

Following June being Pride Month, we talked about Pride being celebration of people being proud of who they are and a reminder of treating one another with kindness and respect. Pride is often celebrated with rainbow flags, so we read the book 'Rainbow' which shares the meaning behind the different colours of the rainbow stripes – life, healing, light, nature, harmony and spirit, and how rainbows celebrate love, hope and diversity.



## Help Your Child Discover the Joy of Reading This Summer!

This summer, give your child the chance to fall in love with reading! The **Summer Reading Challenge**, created by The Reading Agency and delivered in partnership with public libraries, is a FREE, fun-packed way to keep kids reading and learning all summer long.

This year's theme is **Story Garden**, where imagination blossoms and stories grow! Children will explore creativity, storytelling, and the magic of books through exciting activities and adventures.

### Why Join?

- It's **FREE!** Available at local libraries and online
- Inspires a **lifelong love of reading**
- Boosts **confidence, creativity, and imagination**
- Earn **rewards, certificates, and prizes**
- Fun for the whole **family**. Visit your **local library** together
- **95%** of children said they **read more** after joining!
- Children **choose their own books** to read over the summer, **collect rewards** for each milestone they reach, and **receive a certificate or medal** when they complete the challenge.



Visit your local library or go online at [summerreadingchallenge.org.uk](http://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk) to get started from 5 July 2025.

Help your child start their reading adventure today!

## Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge has now started and we would love all our children to take part in it, because as you all know by now reading is one of the most important things – ever! The Reading Challenge is a fun, free way for children to stay motivated to read throughout the summer holidays. Children are able to set their own reading goal and can read anything they enjoy!

### Benefits for pupils, families, and your school



Significantly **improves** children's reading **skills and confidence**



During last year's Challenge, children read **over 13 million books**



Prevents the summer 'dip' in reading and aids the **successful transition** to new year groups and key stages



It's simple and **free for every child** to take part, and libraries run **free activities** for families throughout the holidays

For more information about the Summer Reading Challenge across Manchester Libraries, please [click here](#).

Manchester Libraries are also offering a school-wide reading competition with could lead to the children being entered into a prize draw and if lots of our children complete the Challenge, we could be in with the chance of winning some books or a visit from an author!

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July** - Play & Pick-up for Reception Parents/Carers, 2.30pm

**Tues 8<sup>th</sup> July** - Play & Pick-up for Pre-School Parents/Carers, 2.30pm

**Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> July** - Changeover Day!

- Induction Morning for new Pre-School pupils and parents/carers, 9am – 10am

- Induction Morning for new Reception pupils and parents/carers, 10.30am – 11.30am

**Mon 14<sup>th</sup> July** - Open Doors (for **Altius** & **Citius** children and their parents/carers), 3.30 – 4.15pm

**Tues 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Open Doors (for **Fortius** & **Magnus** children and their parents/carers), 3.30 – 4.15pm

**Weds 16<sup>th</sup> July** - Stay & Play for new Pre-School pupils

**Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> July** - PLMM Class Celebration, 9.30am

**Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July** - PTA Summer Fair, 3.30pm – 5.30pm, School Hall

**Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July** - Last day of our first year! School closes for Summer!







## PTA SUMMER FAIR REMINDER

SUMMER FAIR, Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July  
3.30 – 5.30pm, School Hall

To book your tickets for this event, [please click here](#).

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School Hall ★

★ Support our school community ★

**Food | Drinks | Tombola | Games | Prizes  
& more fun for all**

**Entry is FREE**  
Please book your tickets

