



Holy Family News

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well. This week we have slowly but safely managed to increase the number of children we have in. We now have 7 bubbles in school so all classrooms are back in use. Unfortunately, due to this increase we will not be able to open bubbles specifically for Year 1 before the Summer holidays.

With just over two weeks before the holidays, we are now busy trying to prepare some form of transition for the children both in school and at home. Due to children being taught in bubbles at the moment, we can not hold our normal transition days. In order to try to support the children with their new teacher, we have decided that their new teacher/s will be calling them for the last few weeks to say hello. Also, we are going to try to arrange virtual meetings so that the children meet their teacher face to face and talk about September.

If you have any questions regarding next year or need any support, please do not hesitate to get in touch. You can email support@holyfamily.oldham.sch.uk or contact us on 0161 770 2400.

Please stay safe

Mrs Booth.

Staffing Structure for September

Nursery - Miss McLaughlin and Mrs. Fox

Reception - Miss Baggaley and Mrs McNeil

Year 1 - Miss Makin and Miss. Cotton

Year 2 To be confirmed - and Miss Jones

Year 3 – Mrs Leeming and Miss Ogden

Year 4 – Mrs. Smith, Mrs Johnson and Mrs Baxter

Year 5 - Mrs Fotheringham, Miss Boniface, Mr Ingham and Mrs Lloyd

Year 6 – Mrs Hall, Mrs Hinchliffe, Mrs Hilton and Mrs Nicholas

Hello

As a newly formed Parish our aim is to be open for community activities. With this objective in mind we are looking to enlarge our existing community room. And at the same time improve our garden space to encourage greater usage.

Therefore we would very much appreciate your views on this project. Please could you complete the attached survey.

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Thank you so much for time.

The Parish of the Nativity incorporating
Holy Family Hollinwood &
St Marys Failsworth.

This week we have a brand new mystery maths quest to solve - so come along and find your inner cheekiness to help us! This quest helps us to recap key calculating skills of adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing, as well as telling the time.

The quizzes on Purple Mash are helping us to recap our times tables and adding and subtracting skills. These are on each week and repeating them will help to build fluency.

Our reading activities are on Purple Mash each day, where we read the next chapter of our book and complete quizzes and activities. This is helping to recap many reading key skills, including answering inference and deduction questions and commenting on characters.

Writing challenges are set on Google Classroom each day. These are based mostly on a picture and will focus on using conjunctions, adjectives and adverbs well.

Monday is our spelling and handwriting day - a letter and joins is posted on Google classroom. Weekly spellings are also posted, and the quiz to test them will be on Purple Mash on Friday.

Remember - little and often works best for spelling and handwriting. 10 or 15 minutes each day can make a huge difference to remembering spellings and joining handwriting fluently.

Many Thanks,

Mrs. Hinchliffe and Mrs. O'Brien