

NEWS

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Welcome

Dear Parents, Carers, and Pupils,

It has been a fantastic return to school with lots going on. It has been lovely listening to the children share their adventures and experiences of summer whilst watch them settle back into school life.

The children look great in their uniform and the Year 3. children are proudly using their new book bags which were gifted through a donation to our new PTFA as a welcome to MJS. If you would like one for your child, they are available to purchase. Please speak to the school office.

It has been a great start to the term with lots going on including; swimming, canal side visits, poetry workshops, author visits and opening our new library.

Please take the time to read the full newsletter on our website and look at the key dates to the right.

Thank you
Mr Newsham

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 6th October: Times Table Rock Stars day! Children can come dressed as a rockstar.

Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th October: Year 5 bikeability.

WC 19th October: Behaviour treat one day this week.

Friday 23rd October: School closes at 3:30 for half term

Monday 2nd November: School re-opens



You are invited to join our PTA!



We're delighted to announce the
introduction of our parent/carer & teacher
association!

Help us raise funds for school and organise
fun events!



If you are interested in being part of the PTA,
please speak to Mrs Rawlings or Mr Alii. There are
also information leaflets at the office.

Get involved!

Join our PTA and help us build a stronger,
brighter future for our school.

A recap in photos!

High aspirations, Bright futures
Poetry workshops, canal side and our
new library opens up!



SPOTTING ADS ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Do you always know when you're seeing an ad on your social media feed? You might not! Some ads look just like any other post – they might be funny or cool, but really they're trying to sell you something without you realising. But here are some ideas for spotting ads like a pro!

Look closely at the profile picture

Pay attention to the account name

Check if it says "sponsored" f @ or "promoted" t

A 'verified' tick can still mean it's an ad

17,932 likes
WHEN UR KICKS ARE LIFE #Ad #Influencer #Sponsored
VIEW ALL 683 COMMENTS

Be savvy with high numbers of likes and shares

Study the hashtags for clues about the post's purpose

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#WakeUpWednesday

Uniform

I would like to thank you all for sending your children into school wearing the correct uniform. Children look smart, wearing the correct items and are ready to learn. Maintaining the high uniform standards is an important aspect of school life, and is crucial in creating a positive and conducive learning environment for all our students. Your assistance in upholding these standards is greatly appreciated.

If any families require support in purchasing school uniform items, please do not hesitate to reach out to the school office. We are here to assist and ensure that every child has access to the necessary uniform pieces.

Thank you for your ongoing cooperation and support in this matter. Together, we can continue to uphold the values and standards that make Meadowhead Junior School a place where every child can thrive and succeed.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the school uniform policy, please feel free to contact the school office.

Children should wear black shoes or trainers for school.



Updates- Attendance

Firstly, I would like to express my gratitude to the vast majority of parents who consistently prioritise their child's education by ensuring their regular attendance at Meadowhead Junior School. Your commitment to their education is commendable, and I would like to thank you for your continued support in this matter. By attending school as much as possible, you are playing a vital role in your child's academic progress and overall development. **School opens at 8:40!**

I would like to remind all parents that holiday leave requests must be submitted in advance of the leave date. Please be aware that if the number of unauthorised absences exceeds the specified limit, penalty notices will be issued following the absence. It is crucial that we work together to prioritise your child's education and minimise any disruptions to their learning journey.

Once again, I would like to express my gratitude to those parents who consistently prioritise their child's education and support our efforts to maintain a positive and productive learning environment. By working together, we can ensure that every child at Meadowhead Junior School receives the education they deserve.



Its good to be on time!
School opens at 8:40

**Did you know? Late marks will be given
and poor punctuality could generate a penalty notice?**



Dogs and Parking

A gentle reminder that sadly we cannot allow any dogs (regardless of size or age) on the school premises. This is both on the playground and around the school building.



PARKING

We would like to extend our gratitude to all those who consistently follow our unofficial one-way system during school drop-off and pick-up times. By adhering to this system, we help maintain a safe, calm, and orderly process for everyone.

Key Reminders:

- Please use Anglesey Street to enter, following the directional arrows as shown on the diagram.
- Livesey Branch Road serves as the primary approach route.
- Exiting should occur via Shorrock Lane to avoid congestion.
- Remember, the section marked with the red symbol is a no entry point, and we ask that everyone respect this.

Thank you again for your cooperation and understanding. Your efforts help create a smoother, safer experience for all involved.

