Tang Hall Primary School

Friday 4th July 2025

Weekly Newsletter

Headteacher's Update

Thank you to our awesome children for showing all of the school values on our whole school transition day on Wednesday. It was such a happy day and now we are enjoying celebrating the end of another busy year, whilst also feeling very excited about September!

We really appreciate your support at home in helping all of the children to feel ready for their learning each day. Keeping routines in place over the summer, reading each day and/or keeping a holiday diary can be a really simple way of helping your child to have the best start in September.

School reports will be sent home next Friday 11th July. I have thoroughly enjoyed reading these and am sure we will have some very proud parents. Your child's teacher will be happy to chat to you about the report and give you any advice about how you can support over the summer.

Just a reminder that our last day of school will be Friday 18th July. As normal at the end of term, Magpies After School Club will finish at 4:30pm. School will reopen on Tuesday 2nd September.

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Class	STAR
Puffins	**Oakley D** - For playing nicely and being considerate to others .
Goldcrests	**Daisy P** - For showing great manners.
Wrens	**Vinnie D -** For a great attitude towards his learning and being a good friend.
Robins	**Alfie E -** For being brave and having a super Transition Day.
Woodpeckers	**Dottie D -** For showing all of our STAR values especially on Transition day.
Swallows	**Frankie G -** For always showing green behaviour and working hard.
Owls	**Ayshe B -** For always making positive choices and being a fantastic role model!
Nightingales	**Ollie C -** For being a superb role model during our Transition Day.
Kingfishers	**Tiger S -** For being a fab role model in Nursery and showing great resilience while practicing the Yr6 play.

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Attendance

Our School Target is 97%

Class	Number of days missed	Percentage %
Wrens	16.5	86.25
Robins	13.5	89.8
Woodpeckers	6	96.0
Swallows	11	92.5
Owls	18.5	87.29
Nightingales	17.5	87.50
Kingfishers	10	93.55

Safeguarding Update

Start of the school day

This is a further reminder that as the school doors do not open until 8.30am, **no-one should arrive on the school site until 8.25am at the earliest.**

Furthermore, the responsibility for the behaviour and safety of the children up until the time the doors open at 8.30am remains with parents and carers.

For any unaccompanied KS2 children engaging in unsafe behaviour, **parents may be asked to accompany their child to school and wait with them until the school doors open to ensure our school continues to be a safe, welcoming place for all.**

Safeguarding Update—WhatsApp

We are again seeing an increased number of incidents online with negative online behaviour causing anxiety in children and friendship issues both in and out of school.

One of the main sources of these issues currently is **WhatsApp** on which groups can be made by the children and unkind words, comments and videos shared.

As previously pointed out in our Safeguarding updates, WhatsApp's minimum age for users in the UK is 13 (this was previously 16 until very recently) which means children of primary school age SHOULD NOT be using it.

However, if you do choose to allow your child to use WhatsApp, please see the safety guide opposite or click on the link below for further information as to how you can keep them safe.

https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/whatsapp-safety-a-how-to-guide-for-parents/

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Things To Do

£1 FAMILY FILMS AT CINEWORLD THIS SUMMER!

This summer at Cineworld, treat the whole family to a cinema visit as we bring back amazing family films for just £1 per ticket!

Running every week from July 25, families can be more childish all summer long. Whether you missed them or just want to experience them all over again, Cineworld's £1 Family Films are designed for families to enjoy magical cinema moments together.

From Moana 2 to Paddington in Peru, Sonic the Hedgehog 3 to A Minecraft Movie, every week will see a different family favourite back to the big screen so you can be more childish – together.

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TERM DATES – 2025/2026

AUTUMN TERM 2025

School Closed	Monday 1st September 2025 (Inset Day)
School Open	Tuesday 2nd September 2025
School Closed	Friday 24th October 2025 (Inset day)
School Closed	27th October – 31st October 2025 (Half Term)
School Open	Monday 3rd November 2025
Last Day	Friday 19th December 2025 (Christmas Holiday)

SPRING TERM 2026

School Closed	Monday 5th January 2026 (Inset Day)
School Open	Tuesday 6th January 2026
School Closed	16th – 20th February 2026 (Half Term)
School Open	Monday 23rd February 2026
Last Day	Friday 27th March 2026 (Easter Holiday)

SUMMER TERM 2026

School Closed	Monday 13th April 2026 (Inset Day)
School Open	Tuesday 14th April 2026
School Closed	Monday 4th May 2026 (Bank Holiday)
School Closed	Monday 25th May 2026 (Bank Holiday)
School Closed	26th May 2026 – 29th May 2026 (Half Term)
Last Day	Friday 17th July 2026 (Summer Holiday)

OUR SCHOOLS ARE RECRUITING

Support Staff Vacancies

For details and to apply, visit our website or scan the QR code

Administrative Officer

Barlow CE Primary School

B and E, pay point 6 to 9, full-time equivalent £25,183 to £26,409, pro rata to term time only working. Permanent, Part-Time - 25 hours a week. Monday - Friday 8:30am-1:30pm. This working pattern could be negotiable for the successful candidate. Required from September 2025.

Click here for more information and to apply.

Closing date: Tuesday 8 July at midday.

Catering Assistant

Archbishop Holgate's School

Grade 2 (£24,242 per annum, actual salary £14,048) Permanent, Term Time Only. Part Time (25hpw) 10.00am – 3.00pm, Mon – Fri.

Click here for more information and to apply.

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Upcoming Events and Important Dates

Date	Time	Event	Year Group
Thursday 10th July	12:15pm– 2:30pm	Crucial Crew	Year 6
Friday 11th July	All day	Dojo Reward Day	Whole school
Friday 11th July	End of day	Reports being sent home with children	Whole school
Monday 14th July	1:45pm	Year 6 Play	Year 6
Tuesday 15th July	9:45am	Year 6 Play	Year 6
Friday 18th July	9:30am	Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Year 6
Friday 18th July	End of day	School breaks up for Summer	Whole school
SUMMER BREAK (Monday 21st July— Tuesday 2nd September)			
Monday 1st September	All Day	Inset Day School Closed To All Pupils	Whole School
Tuesday 2nd September	Start of Day	School returns after Summer break	Whole School