



Welcome back to a new School Year

A special welcome to our new Reception and Year 3 children, we wish a warm welcome to new staff and to those pupils who have joined us in other year groups.

Well done to all the Pre-Prep and Prep School children for settling back into school so quickly and following all the new routines so well.

Year	Arrival Time	Finish Time	Exit
Reception	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3:30 Monday to Friday	Ibbotsons Lane
1	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3:30 Monday to Friday	Pre-prep gate
2	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3:30 Monday to Friday	Pre-prep

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3	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3.15 pm (Mon, Weds, Fri) 4.00 pm (Tues, Thurs)	Prep Gate
4	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3.15 pm (Mon, Weds, Fri) 4.00 pm (Tues, Thurs)	Prep Car Park gate
5	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3.15 pm (Mon, Weds, Fri) 4.00 pm (Tues, Thurs)	Bungalow Gate, Queen's Drive
6	Welcome on the playground from 8:15am, all pupils must be in for registration at 8:30am	3.15 pm (Mon, Weds, Fri) 4.00 pm (Tues, Thurs)	Afterschool gate, Queen's Drive

A few reminders for the start of the new term

Mrs Pease is always on gate duty - before and after school. For any messages please email Mrs Herron on lherron@liverpoolcollege.org.uk or Mrs Fraser kfraser@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

- Pupils may bring a healthy snack to eat at morning break. This must be fresh or dried fruit/ vegetables ONLY.
- All medication and inhalers must be handed to Mrs Herron and Mrs Fraser
- Please bring in a NAMED water bottle. Water is always available during lunch.
- Please make sure that ALL uniform and PE kit is named as we already have a ridiculous amount of brand-new uniform that we have no way of knowing who the owners are! There are over 336 pupils in our school and it is impossible to track down un-named uniform/kit. This includes shoes/trainers/ pumps/boot bags.

PLEASE CHECK THAT ALL KIT/UNIFORM IS NAMED THIS WEEKEND

- On Games Day and PE days pupils are to wear full tracksuit with polo shirt or rugby shirt underneath.
- All pupils in Years 1-11 will be required to wear a house cord on their blazer pocket. The College will provide these for your child and they will be issued next week. Pupils have until September 23rd to stitch on these strips to their blazer.

- No mobile phones are permitted in school. All mobile phones must be handed to Mrs Herron.
- **Parking: please be considerate and keep our children safe.**
- **Homework** will be displayed on Seesaw. All pupils will be issued with their new passwords next week.
- Prep Activities take place during the school day between 3.15 - 4.00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.
- In addition to Activities during the school day, the following After School Clubs take place - Choir, Sew Arty*, Football, Tennis* & Drama* (*payable)

Activity	Start date	Age range	Cost	Contact
Mon Choir 3.15- 4.15pm	5/9/2 2	Y2-6 (open to all pupils)	Free	Miss Clark, Music Coordinator eclark@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
Tue Orchestra 4-5pm	6/9/2	Y3-6 (after discussion with Miss Clark)	Free	Miss Clark, Music Coordinator eclark@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
Wed So Arty	7/9/2 2	Y3-6	£45. 50 for 7 weeks	sewarty2018@outlook.com
Thurs tennis 4-5pm	8/9/2 2	Y3-6	£36 for 6 weeks	Head Coach Keely O'Keefe 07834385442
Fri Drama 3.30- 4.30pm	16/9/ 22	Y3-6	£110 for 10 weeks	Sherril Parsons yula.biz/livcol

Breakfast Club from 7.30am - 8.30am.
Pre-registration, termly, is required. Please contact Mrs Scott on kpscott@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

For day to day issues, please contact your child's form teacher, by email (see below) at an appropriate time of day, as staff are very busy in the mornings preparing for a very busy school day. Do not email late at night or for information that has already been shared.

R1	natkinson@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
R2	afee@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
R3	gchalmers@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
1P	gridley@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
1Q	armoore@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
1R	alowe@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
2P	hwilliams@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
2Q	jware@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
2R	jfinnegan@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
3P	cbearsmore@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
3Q	lahunter@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
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4P	pstamper@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
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4R	nfrees@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
5P	lwhittaker@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
5Q	crobinson@liverpoolcollege.org.uk sedoran@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
5R	datkinson@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
6P	gdevine@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
6Q	nhoward@liverpoolcollege.org.uk ebygroves@liverpoolcollege.org.uk
6R	ktyrer@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

NUT ALLERGY INFORMATION



There are a number of Prep pupils with nut allergies. This can be mild or quite severe - even to the point of merely touching a nut or breathing the air around one can cause a problem for a child.

Can I ask parents to ensure that, as far as possible, the snack that they give their child for school does not contain nuts. We have asked all staff/children in the Prep school to be vigilant about this.

If your child has a nut allergy and requires piriton or an epipen, please ensure that both of these medications are in school and up to date. Thank you for your co-operation.

Headteacher's Award

Well done to the following pupils who were given Headteacher's Award certificates this week.

Rory F, Luna R, William D, Jace R, Hashim A, Eda L, Zain M, Ayla S, Elsie C, Alexander H, Felicity R, Zinzile B, Elliot B, Jasmine S, Finn B, James B, Trixie M, Sanika R, Philip L, Harriet C, Buddy D, Noah N, Eleanor F, Farish A, Joseph L, Reagan W, Elodie P, Khasha B, Ava A-G, Theo R, Salma O'N, Abdul Wasi M, James S, Louie D, Kassie R, Jenson F, Sylvia P, James T, Anna S, Poppy M-W, Alice M & Rowan C.

Instrumental Lessons



Attached to the letter is all the information regarding instrumental lessons in the primary phase.

If you wish your child to start instrumental or singing lessons this term please complete the New Starter Form by scanning the QR code.

Family Friday

We are delighted to invite our Reception parents and carers to our monthly Family Friday sessions. This will provide you with the opportunity to spend some time with your child in their classroom and learn a little bit more about school life.

Sessions will be on a first come first served basis and they will be limited to six families per class. The sessions will take place on the first Friday of every month between 2pm and 3pm. Only one parent/carer may attend and no siblings please. The first session will take place on Friday 6th October. Further details will be sent on SeeSaw.

We look forward to seeing you all in class very soon! 😊

Chapel

Chapel is changing to Reflection. Our aim is to ensure it is inclusive for all and includes perspectives from across a variety of faiths and cultures. It will still be held in the Chapel building but the cross will be removed and the altar table covered with a cloth. There will be no Christian songs. All children will now attend.

Please note that Christingle and other special services that are specifically Christian in nature will be separate as they are "communal/common worship" - Parents may wish to withdraw their child from these



Year 1 & 2 pupils have been looking at where Spanish is spoken in the world and

have discovered more about Spanish punctuation today. They have had fun learning new ways of saying how they feel in Spanish.



Year 1 pupils have had fun today finding out about Spanish culture and practising 'Hola' and 'Adios'

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
Mon Sept 18th	Reception Phonics evening 6-7pm
Tues Oct 3rd	Reception Harvest ST Hall 2.30pm
Wed Oct 4th	Y1 & 2 Harvest 9am Chapel
Thurs Oct 5th	Prep Harvest 9am Chapel
Fri Oct 6th	Founders' Day (Prep)
Mon Oct 9th	Prep Halloween disco
Wed Oct 11th	Pre Prep Halloween disco
Mon Oct 16th	Parents' evening (Hybrid)
Wed Oct 18th	Parents' evening (Hybrid)
Wed Nov 8th	Book Open evening
15 th -17 th Nov	Book fair
Wed Dec 13th	Prep School Christingle Service 7pm (Mossley Hill Church)
Thurs Dec 14th	Prep School Christingle Service 7pm (Mossley Hill Church)
Mon Dec 18th	Y1 xmas performance 11am
Mon Dec 18th	Y1 xmas performance 2pm
Tues Dec 19th	Reception 1 xmas performance 2pm
Wed Dec 20th	Reception 3 xmas performance 2pm
Thurs Dec 21st	Reception 2 xmas performance 2pm

Mrs Pease will hold a parents' coffee morning the final Friday of each month from 8.45-9.45am.

Social Media

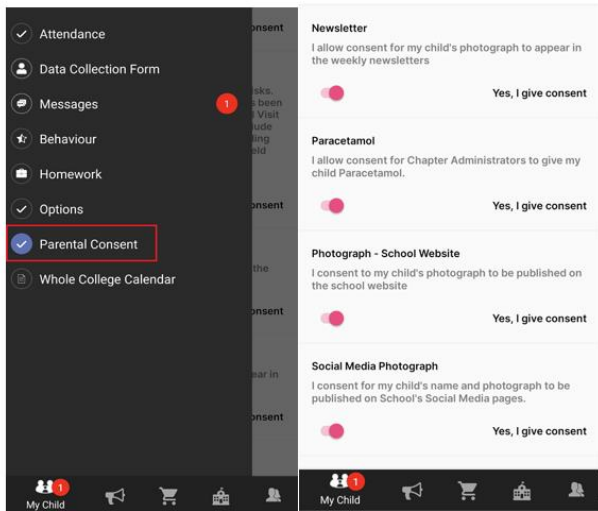
Can I remind parents that it is unacceptable to make comments about pupils or staff on social media. Class Whatsapp groups can be useful but we do expect that even though they run entirely independently from the college, we do expect parents to adhere to the guidelines set out in our communication strategy. Please note, 'The group should never be used as a platform to air views/grievances regarding a teacher, child or parent in the class or college.'

Over the summer we have created 3 new social media accounts, called Liverpool College- Even Better, on Facebook, Instagram, and X (formerly Twitter). We feel it is about time that we shared good news stories and all the amazing things we do throughout the College.

Please can I ask you follow these accounts, which will soon become very active!
You will find us on

- Facebook - Liverpool College, even better
- Instagram - @liverpoolcollege_evenbetter
- X - @LC_EvenBetter

In order to ensure that we can feature your child in our good news stories, please could I ask that you to give permission via MCAS, the location which enables you to do this is illustrated below:



My thanks to the PTA for helping us purchase these kits, and also to the very generous donation of a parent of a former Prep pupil. We can't wait to represent our school wearing these!



Whilst you are on this doing this, please could you also check the other permissions and that all the information we have is correct. Please amend where necessary.



Call for all parents, careers, grandparents and volunteers!

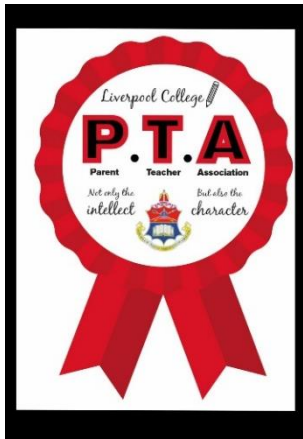
We are looking for volunteers to read one-on-one with children across the primary phase each week. If you are interested, contact Miss Finnegan using the email address below. Thanks!



jfinnegan@liverpoolcollege.org.uk



Check out our brand new football kits! We have a full set of outfield and goalkeeper kits across three different sizes, meaning we can fit everyone in them from Years 3 to 6!



PTA News

Welcome back to a new LC Year! We hope you had a restful summer. Please ensure you read the PTA Newsletter as it holds a lot of information that for all parents and staff regarding our main events for September.

Our primary event is our Annual General meeting where you will be voting for your new committee- whether you choose new volunteers to take over or keep your existing, this is the place to do it. The link is below, Tuesday 12th Sept at 7pm on Teams.

Thank you

Amara Javeed	Chairperson
Heather Cunningham	Secretary
Tim Nichol	Treasurer

Pta@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

Best wishes to you all for
the weekend

**Mrs A Pease - Head of
Prep**