



Information & dates for parents and carers 5th October 2026



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you all for your generous donations to our **Harvest Assembly**. The tables in the halls were full of goods. Our assembly focused on the journey of our food from the farm to our tables and it was good to show them tins of sweetcorn, carrots and potatoes etc. They were useful props!



All of the donations were packed up by Harmony, John, Esme and Param from our School Council and collected this morning by Trafford North Foodbank staff. They were amazed and very appreciative with the amount received!



We've now counted the money from our **Macmillan Coffee Afternoon** and we are thrilled to tell you we are sending **£551.24** to this worthwhile charity. Thank you so much to our wonderful families for supporting this event with cakes and donations. The afternoon was lovely and was improved by our new event speaker system that has been kindly bought by the PTFA. We also have a table tennis table on order and we will share pictures when it is delivered.

Preparation for School

Please make sure your child brings everything they need to school each day, including their lunch, water bottle and any required equipment. Bringing forgotten items to the office during the school day interrupts learning and the work of the office team. Thank you for helping your child to be ready to learn and for supporting a smooth start to the school day.

EYFS & Y1 Phonics Open Week

Please make sure you have booked in for the sessions - we can't add more people (space) if the session is full. I will give you a quick safeguarding/safety briefing in the Junior Hall and take you down to the classes at 9am prompt.

Sporting achievements

Our Upper key stage 2 football teams have had a terrific start to the season with the girls beating all the opposition on Monday and the boys winning one game comfortably 4-0 on Wednesday. Great effort and skills from both. We had a cross country competition at Longford Park last Saturday and the turn out was fantastic. Everybody who ran did amazingly well and there were many first timers. Thanks to the families who came to support the children and the school!

Thank you for your support, Mrs Nunwick and all the staff at MoPPS

Date	EVENT	DETAILS
Monday 5th October	Start of EYFS and Y1 Phonics Open Week	Please make sure you have made your booking on School Spider. Bookings close the day before so staff can prepare for your visit.
Tuesday 6th October	A quiet day 	
Wednesday 7th October	Class 1D Forest School	Please can you ensure your child comes to school in outdoor clothes and ready for the weather. We will be outside come rain, sun shine or snow!
Thursday 8th October	Class 4L swimming lessons	A letter has been sent to you with information about the swimming lessons. Please send your child with their swimsuits and a towel for their swimming lesson.
	KS2 Freddy Fit Fitness Fun Day	The wonderful Freddy Fit will be back in school on Thursday to deliver his Fitness Fun sessions to KS2 - the children always learn so much from him, whilst having fun through exercise! PE kit for all children in years 3-6 please.
Friday 9th October	Celebration Assembly (Reception to Year 6)	<i>The only way to watch our live streamed assembly is to belong to our PRIVATE Facebook Group. Here is the link to Moss Park Primary School Facebook Please be assured that those children without permission are off-screen. I check all requests to join personally. Mrs N.</i>
	Year 1 Parent Phonics Meeting 2:30 pm	Following on from Open Week, this is an opportunity to learn more about how we teach Phonics and early reading and how best to support your child at home. Dates for the Reception and Nursery Phonics Workshops will follow.

Regular reminders

Breakfast and After school club - Please can parents book their breakfast and after school club slots on ParentPay. We can still assist if you have an emergency. We now have two after school club sessions, one ending at 5.00pm and one ending at 6.00pm. **Please ensure children are collected and off the premises during the time slot you booked them into. Regular late pick-ups risk losing their place.**

Collecting children - Please can parents ring the office to notify staff if their child has an appointment. You will need to show the office staff a copy of the appointment card or text message. If someone else is collecting your child, please contact the school office before 3.00pm.

If your child is unwell (pupils should only be off for something that needs more than 'calpol and tissues' as this helps them develop good habits) **or is absent from school for an exceptional circumstance** - It is very important that you either please ring the school office and either speak to a member of staff or leave a voicemail on the absence line giving the specific reason/illness **(Option 1)** by 9.30am.

Inhalers - please can you make sure you have sent your child with an in date, named inhaler if they require one. The school officer also has forms for use of the emergency inhaler if it is required.

Privacy Notice - Details about how the school processes and safeguards personal information are set out in our Privacy Notice, available here [MoPPS GDPR](#).

PE Timetable Autumn 1 from Monday 7th September

Reception	Thursday
Year 1	Thursday, Friday
Year 2	Monday, Friday
Year 3	Tuesday, Thursday
Class 4L	Wednesday, Swimming on Thursday
Class 4W	Wednesday, Friday
Year 5	Tuesday, Thursday
Year 6	Wednesday, Thursday