



Autumn Week 7- 16/10/26

Message from the Headteacher

Another wonderful week at Mount Carmel! It's been a little like The Great British Bake Off around school, with Year 3 making pizzas from scratch and Year 6 baking their own bread. I look forward to sharing more of this exciting curriculum news with you in next week's bumper edition newsletter!

Next week is our final week before the half-term break. Please remember that school will close on Thursday 22nd October at 3:30pm, as all staff will be attending a First Aid INSET day on Friday.

Parents and families of children in our KS1 and KS2 choirs are warmly invited to join us for our Harvest Festival on Thursday 22nd October at 1:30pm at Mount Carmel Church. We look forward to celebrating together and hope you enjoy watching the children perform.

It is not too late to donate to our Harvest Collection! All donations will be given to Caritas, who will distribute them to people in need within our local community. Thank you so much for your generosity and kindness in helping us support others at this special time of year.

A huge thank you for your wonderful support with our Rosary bead sale! We are delighted to have sold out, and all the money raised will be donated to Mary's Meals, helping to provide meals for children in need. Thank you for your generosity and for supporting this fantastic cause!

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Seaborn

EYFS Open Day – Come and See Our Wonderful Provision!

After half term, we will be holding an EYFS Open Day, giving prospective families the opportunity to explore our wonderful Early Years provision ahead of applying for Nursery and Reception places for September 2027.

We would be very grateful if you could share the attached flyer with friends and family who have children due to start Nursery or Reception next September.

In addition to our September 2027 admissions, we currently have places available in our Nursery for children who are ready to join us now.

Thank you for your support in helping us spread the word and welcome more families to Mount Carmel!



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**EYFS
TOUR**

Come and see our Nursery and Reception and experience our fantastic EYFS provision!

 Monday 2nd November  10.00 EYFS TOUR	 Tuesday 3rd November  1.30 EYFS TOUR	 Monday 9th November  5pm EYFS TOUR
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**Nursery and Reception places
available for September 2027.**



**Is your child aged 3 between
September – December 2026?**
 If so, Nursery places are available
to your child in January 2027.
 

Small steps... bright futures

Year 6 High School Applications – Deadline 31st October

A reminder to all Year 6 parents and carers that the deadline to apply for your child's secondary school place for September 2027 is Saturday 31st October 2026.

If you have not already done so, please ensure that you submit your application before the deadline. Applications are usually made online through your local authority's website. Please see the flyer below.

Please do not leave it until the last minute! If you need any support or advice, please speak to the school office.



Don't leave it too late.

Apply for your child's secondary school place by 31 October 2026.

manchester.gov.uk/admissions



Poppy Appeal

We will be selling poppies and other items in support of the Royal British Legion's Poppy Appeal. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school community to show support for our armed forces community and remember those who have served and sacrificed for others. Thank you for your support.

Attendance

If your child attends school every day this half term (100% attendance), their name will be entered into a raffle to win a prize. The raffle draw will take place on Thursday 22nd October. Every day counts!

Infant Department- £30 Asda Voucher

Junior Department- - Adopt an animal through WWF

Nursery	87.7%	Year 3D	98.2%
Reception L	87.5%	Year 3L	97.7%
Reception C	96.0%	Year 4H	96.0%
Year 1B	98.3%	Year 4S	93.3%
Year 1LB	96.0%	Year 5R	97.6%
Year 2W	99.6%	Year 5C	97.0%
Year 2LG	90.9%	Year 6S	95.7%
		Year 6C	96.3%

Dates for the Diary	
21/10/26	Flu Immunisations in school
22/10/26	Harvest Festival 1:30pm @ Church
22/10/26	School Closes for half term
3/11/26	Junior Parents Evening
4/11/26	Infants Parents Evening
7/11/26	Wear you're your own clothes day- Donations for Parish Christmas Fair
20/11/26	School Photos
8/12/26	Pantomime Infants
16/12/26	Pantomime Juniors