



Dear Moss Side Community,

It has been lovely to catch up with all of our pupils and families at the start of the new year, as well as offering a warm welcome to the new pupils and parents who have joined us this year.

At the start of the school year, we always like to refresh pupils' understanding of the Moss Side Way, which we use to guide our actions at school and beyond. This encourages pupils to think about how they show: respect for **others**; respect for **learning**; respect for **school and the environment**; respect for **ourselves**. As part of this, we have set each other a weekly challenge to keep an eye out for throughout school, which I will share on this newsletter each week.

Next week's Moss Side Way in Action target: Smart and courteous walking around school

School Day Times

A reminder of the school start times (NB. New EYFS pupils will use the timings once they start **full-time**):

Rec and Rec/Y1: 8:55-3:15

Y1/2 and Y2: 8:50-3:10

Y3, 4, 5, 6: 8:50-3:15

Please remember that playground gates for Junior pupils do **not open until 8:45**. Pupils in Juniors should therefore aim to be at school **8:45-8:50** each day.

Fabric Collection

On Friday 22nd September we are having a fabric collection to raise monies for school funds (further details about what this is for, next week). Please drop any fabrics from Thursday 21st PM, through until Friday 22nd September AM at the main school entrance.

Communication

A polite reminder again that Dojo messages (which are not monitored) and emails are not suitable communication with school in most instances. Please pop in and see us or pick up the phone if you can't.

Clubs

Mrs Freeman has informed Y5 & 6 about football club, starting on Monday (a link is available via Class Dojo). Y4 & 5

pupils have leaflets for South Ribble Active School Team's 'Active Wheels' club, while Y2 have information about 'Multi Games'. The remainder of clubs for this half term will start week beginning 18.09.2023.

Swimming

Year 5 will begin swimming lessons next Thursday. Unfortunately, Leyland Leisure Centre can only accommodate one swimming session for us this term. This means that Year 4 will resume at some point in the Spring term, once Year 5 have completed their lessons.

Dr Bike

Details on Dojo about this great FREE service.

Tots on Tyres

As part of their PE lessons, EYFS will take part in this fantastic unit of work with the South Ribble Active Team, starting next Thursday.

Uniform

I am pleased that the majority of pupils have returned to school with the correct uniform. If you are still missing any items, please resolve this shortly as it is an important part of the Moss Side Way.

Meet the Teacher

A big thank you to all those families who sent someone to these important meetings. We appreciate your support at the start of the new school year, for the benefit of our pupils.



Stars of the Week	
Rec/ Y1	Reggie-Rae for always showing respect to everyone and having an amazing start to the year!
Y1/2	Levi for making a great start to his new class!
Y2	Tyler for settling into Year 2 and having a great week.
Y3	Devon for settling so well into Year 3. Well done!
Y4	Eva for making a great start to year 4!
Y5	Olivia for a wonderful positive sunshine attitude to everything we have done this week!
Y6	Harriet for making a super start to year 6 and showing herself to be a mature, friendly, hard-working role model.
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Silver Leaf	Bruno Y1 - Respect for Others - for showing respect by holding the door open for an adult. Dominykas Y6 - Respect for Others - for meeting this week's Moss Side Way target of walking around school smartly and courteously, brilliantly!

Key events next week

Monday SR Active - Multi Games Y2, Football Club Y5 & 6, Miss Thomas' Meet the Teacher (Year 1 only), Y3 Meet the Teacher

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday Tots on Tyres EYFS, Dr Bike, Swimming Y5, SR Active - Active Wheels Y4 & 5, CV Football

Friday

Dinner Week 3

Happy Friday,

Mr Wright