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**Headteacher
Mrs Gordon**



**Deputy
Headteacher
Mrs Reilly**



**Senior
Assistant
Headteacher
Mrs Sillitoe
(On Maternity)**



**Assistant
Headteacher
Mrs Birch**



**Assistant
Headteacher
Mrs Roscoe**



**EYFS Lead
Mrs Elson**

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Welcome to Year 6



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Staff in Year



**Miss Sharpes-
Whizz Kids Class
Teacher**



**Mr Roberts-
HLTA**



**Ms Gibney-
Champions
Class Teacher**



**Mr Hopwood-
Champions
HLTA**

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Daily Routines

8:40 - School gates open

8:50 - Pupil registration ends

10:45 - Playtime

12:30 - Lunchtime

3:20 - School ends



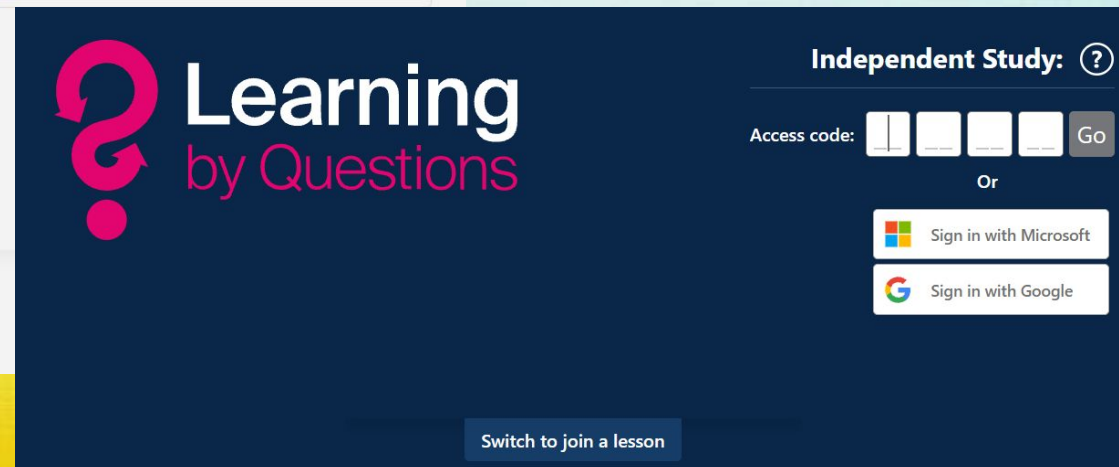
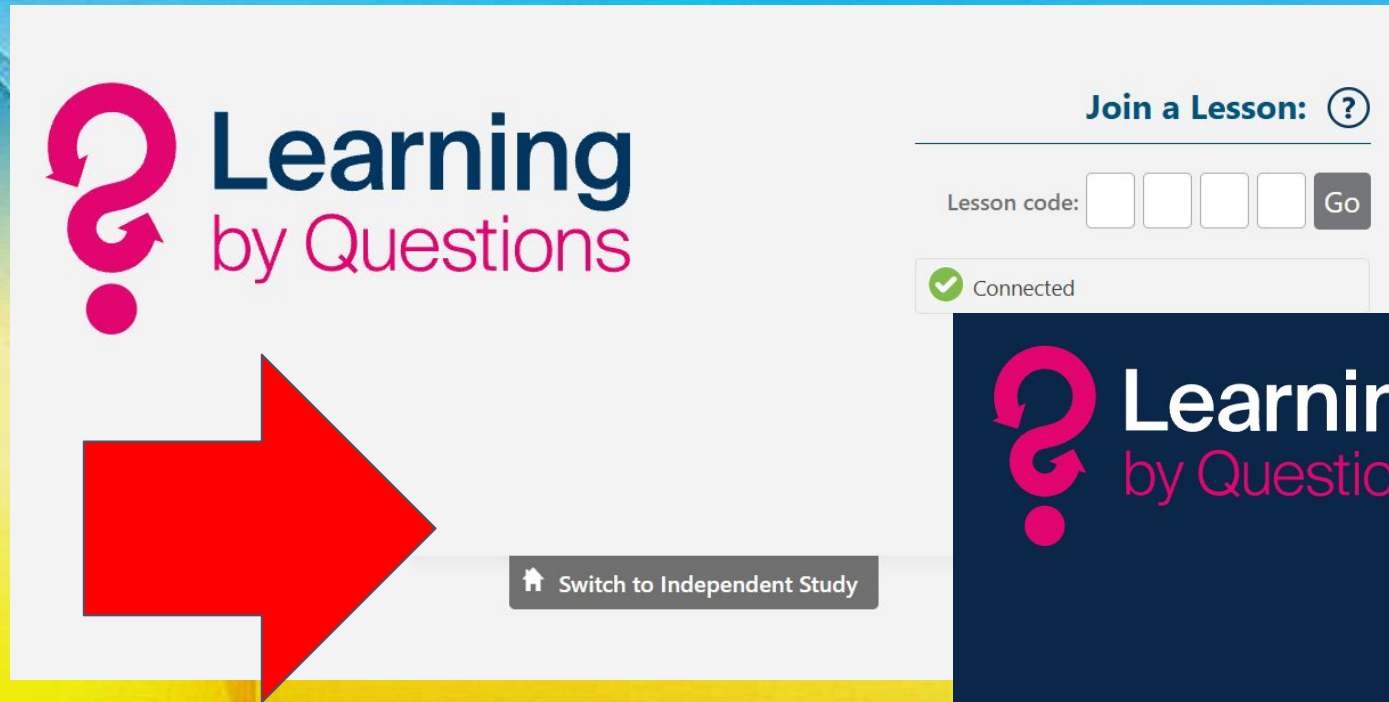
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Homework is set online every **Friday**. This should be completed by **Thursday** the following week.

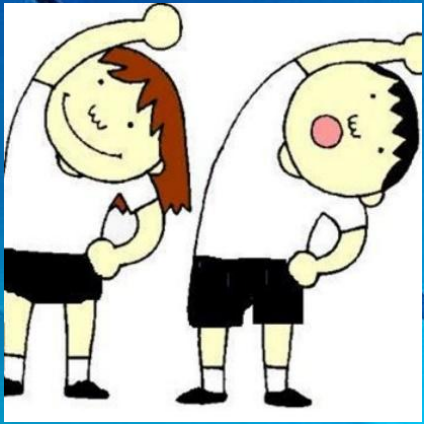
Your child should also read at home **daily**. We like to see reading records at least 3x per week.



- At home, children should sign in using the 'independent study' button. They each have a unique access code and password.



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P.E

Swimming - Thursday

Every Thursday until Christmas

Swimming is part of national curriculum

Children must bring:

- Swimming costume/shorts
- Swimming Cap
- Towel
- Goggles (Optional)

PE Lesson - Friday

This half term we are focusing on Gymnastics and Dance.

Children must wear PE kit to school.

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Supporting your child

What you can do to help?

Attendance and Punctuality – on time and attend school every day. Inform school morning of absence to prevent home visit.

English – Encourage your child to read for pleasure. Good readers become good writers. Model good grammar/vocabulary. Learning weekly spellings.

Maths - Basic skills – Times tables (All). Calculations - (All operations) Teach your child the time.

Ensure school has up to date contact details – should be contactable at all times

Download school app Arbor – You will be sent an invitation link for the App via email/ text, please click on link from St Michael's and follow instructions to activate your account.

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Secondary Applications

Applications for secondary school must be completed online by **October 31st.**

We will hold a meeting about this process on:
Wednesday 24th September at 2:30pm where we will talk through the application process and answer any questions.

Please sign up before you leave if you are interested in attending the meeting.

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Secondary Applications

Apply for a secondary school place

You can apply for a place at a state secondary school online or by using your council's application form.

You apply through your local council even if you're applying for schools in another council area.

Enter a postcode

For example SW1A 2AA

Find your local council

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How to apply for a Special school, Junior school, University Technology College or Studio School.



[Closing dates and late applications](#)

Closing dates for Reception and Year 7 applications, and what happens if you submit a late application.



[Who decides where your child goes to school?](#)

Each school has its own set of rules they use to decide which children to offer a place to when there are more applicants than places available.



[Appeals and waiting lists](#)

What to do if your child has not been offered a place in your preferred school(s).

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SATs

May 2027

Beginning on **Monday 10th May 2027**, Year 6 will be sitting their SATs tests. The papers will be:

- Punctuation and Grammar
- Spelling
- Reading
- Arithmetic
- Reasoning 2
- Reasoning 3

We will hold a meeting specifically about SATs in the future

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PGL - Boreatton Park February 2027

Meeting with
further info -
**Thursday 1st
October at
2:45pm**

Two night, three day residential trip to PGL, from **24th February - 26th February**

The total cost of the visit is **£110** and includes return travel by coach, full board accommodation and a full programme of activities.

Please return permission slip by **Friday 18th September** to let us know whether or not you would like your child to attend. A deposit of **£10** must be paid online by this date to secure your child's place on the trip.

Payments must be paid online via Arbor.

Please see the office if you have any issues with using the app.

Special Educational Needs and Disability- SEND/SEN



Mrs Reilly
SENCo

Mrs Birch
Assistant
SENCo

Miss McEntee
SEND team

Miss Elson
SEND Team

Learning Plan

Sometimes our children require additional or different support to that of their peers. When this happens school will use a graduated approach to implement support. We use:

- High Quality First Teaching Approaches- (Wave 1) support
- Interventions with Learning Mentors (Wave 2)
- Specialist support from an outreach service like seedlings, speech and language, OT or an educational psychologist (Wave 3).

Children on the SEND register will receive an Intervention Ticket this year to inform you if they are starting an intervention with Learning Mentors.

Every child on the SEND register has a learning plan, with SMART targets, which you will receive before parents evening.

Learning Plan for

Stage: **K**

Date of birth: Gender: Class: Year group: **3**

Teacher: Start date: **4/9/2023** Review date: **26/10/2023** Plan number: **1**

Gifted & talented: **N** First language: **English** Free school meals: **Y** Medical needs: **N** In care: **N**

Pupil Premium: **Y** Attendance: **100.0%**

All About Me

Things I am good at: Things I need more help with:

My Targets

What I need help with:	My Target:	How I know I have met my target:	What will help:	Who will help me:
Handwriting. Sitting correctly and upright at the table.	To sit upright in my chair in lessons appropriately.	I will be able to sit upright at the table for at least 15 minutes. My teacher will praise me.	Brain Breaks, short inputs, Busylegz foot fidget, Wobble cushion, Praise, Modelling from adult.	
Forming my letters correctly.	To form the letters 's' correctly.	I will be able to independently write the letter 's' on my own.	Theraputty, tinted text book, sensory activities, Write from Start.	

Academic Attainment

Maths Level: **Expected** Reading Level: **Working Towards** Writing Level: **Working Towards**

What my family think: Mum thinks he has a lot of energy at home, constantly talking all the time. Mum is happy with interventions put in place so far.

What I think about my plan:

Provisions

Name	Area of concern	Wave	Start date	End date	Session frequency	Session length
Tinted Text book Spr 2 22-23 (archived)	Cognition and Learning Needs	Na				
Therapy Putty Spr 2 22-23 (archived)	Sensory and/or Physical Needs	Na				
Busylegz Foot Fidget Spr 2 22-23 (archived)	Sensory and/or Physical Needs	Na				
Checklist (archived)	Cognition and Learning Needs				1 time per day	
Calm Corner (archived)	Social, Emotional and Mental Health Difficulties	Na				
Brain Break Spr 2 22-23 (archived)	Social, Emotional and Mental Health Difficulties	1				
Dyslexia screener (archived)	Cognition and Learning Needs	Na			1 time in total	50 min
Coloured overlay Spr 2 22-23 (archived)	Cognition and Learning Needs	Na	17/11/2022	26/01/2023		
M.S Lego Therapy S2 22-23 (archived)	Communication and Interaction Needs	3	12/06/2023	17/07/2023	0 times per week	20 min
M.S Lego Therapy Autumn 1 23-24	Communication and Interaction Needs	1	10/09/2023	26/10/2023	1 time per week	30 min

Pastoral Team

We help support the children with SEND interventions, emotional and social well-being, as well as wider family support. Please feel free to speak to us about any concerns or help you may need.



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Communication

School App- Arbor

Used regularly – You will be sent an invitation link for the App via email/ text, please click on link from St Michael's and follow instructions to activate your account.

Call into office if you need help or have not received the invite for the App



Letters Home

Usually for trips, main contact through app.



Website/Instagram

General information and daily class page updates



Newsletter

Sent out on app and available on school website



Face to Face

Staff can make arrangements to meet.



Phone Calls

School require at least 2 up to date contactable numbers





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Uniform



72 Priory Road

L4 2RZ

Phone: 0151 259 8277

275 East Prescott Road

L14 2DB

Phone: 0151 259 8277

Nursery Uniform



Royal Blue Sweatshirt (badged or plain)

Royal Blue Jogging Bottoms

White Polo Shirt (badged or plain)

Girls Winter Uniform



White Shirt/Jumper (badged or plain)

White Shirt

School Tie

School Kilt/Pinafore or Navy Skirt/
Pinafore

Black/Grey Socks or Tights

Boys Winter Uniform



Navy Jumper (badged or plain)

White Shirt

School Tie

Grey/Black School Trousers

Black School Shoes

Please note: School uniform does not have to be branded. Supermarket uniform is acceptable.



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Jewellery

Earrings should be studs, with no drop or hoop, which puts the children at risk of harm during school activities.



Earrings and Jewellery will be removed and returned at the end of the day, if worn into school.



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Allergy Safety Notice

DEAR PARENTS
PACKED LUNCHES
MUST BE
NUT FREE

IN-LINE
WITH NATIONAL
GUIDANCE

Items containing nuts
must not be brought into school.



NUTELLA



SNICKERS



PEANUTS



NUT BARS

We have children in school with severe nut allergies.
Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe.



BIRTHDAY CAKES

**WILL NO LONGER BE HANDED OUT
IN SCHOOL.**

If your child would like to share a birthday treat
with their friends, please bring in
pre-packed, individually wrapped items,
with allergy information printed on each packet.

Safe for
all our
friends!



INDIVIDUALLY
WRAPPED



ALLERGY INFORMATION
ON EACH PACKET



THANK YOU FOR YOUR
SUPPORT!



St Michael's Catholic Primary School Holidays

During Term Times? 

During Half Term and End of Term holidays?



School is
Important!





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Attendance & Punctuality

Monday



Tuesday



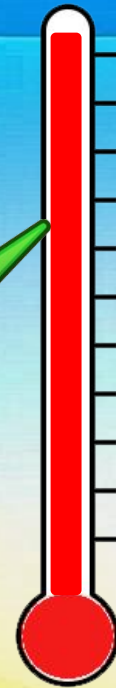
Wednesday



Thursday



Friday



100%

50%

0%

Pupil
registration
closes at
8:50am

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Sickness / Illness

If your child is ill you must let the school know as soon as possible.



Tel. 0151 263 8460





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Online Payment System

Online payment is accessible via Parent App- Arbor

Once you have logged into the Arbor App, you can make payments for School Meals, After School Clubs, Trips and other available payment options.



- **Pay weekly for School Meals** (Year 3, 4, 5 and 6): £10.00 per week.
- **After school Club-Sparkles**: available everyday for Reception to Year 6 children.
£4 Half session (3:30-4:30pm) and £7 Full session (3:30-5:30pm).
This must be booked and paid in advance via Arbor.





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Free Breakfast Club

7:45am – start of school day

Breakfast Club is free but you need to book in advance using the online system via school app- Arbor

All welcome

Entry via infant gate



'Sparkles' after school club

End of school day – 5:30pm
available everyday for Reception to Year 6 children

Book and pay in advance using online payment system via school £7 full session £4 half session





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Safeguarding

At St. Michael's we hold the safety, protection and well-being of every child above all else. If you have any concerns about a child's safety please speak to our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) or any staff member. Your vigilance helps us keep every child safe.



Safeguarding Team



Designated Safeguarding Lead	Co-designated Safeguarding Lead	Deputy Safeguarding Lead	Safeguarding Team Member	Safeguarding Team Member	Safeguarding Governor
					
Mrs Birch	Mrs Reilly	Mrs Gordon	Mrs Roscoe	Ms Cornett	Ms Riley

If you have any safeguarding concerns or queries please speak to a member of the team.



Safeguarding Team



Designated
Safeguarding
Lead



Mrs Birch

Co-designated
Safeguarding
Lead



Mrs Reilly

Deputy
Safeguarding
Lead



Mrs Gordon

Safeguarding
Team Member



Mrs Roscoe

Safeguarding Team
Member



Ms Cornett

Safeguarding
Governor

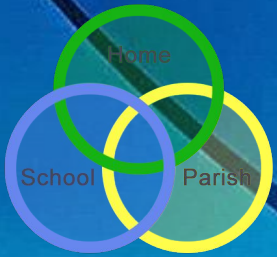


Ms Riley

If you have any safeguarding concerns or queries please speak to a member of the team.

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Mass Times



St Michael's Church
West Derby Road, L6 5EH

Sundays 10.30am

Father Fitz



Sacred Heart Church
Low Hill, L7 8TN

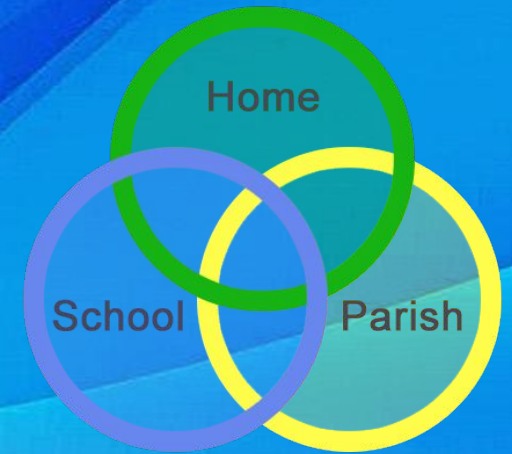
Saturdays 6.30pm

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Baptism

Before preparing for First Holy Communion in Year 4, Catholic children must be Baptised (Christened).

If you would like your child to be Baptised, just speak to Fr Fitz after any Mass at St Michael's Church or Sacred Heart Church.



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Relationship and Sex Education (RSE)



The content is age-appropriate and is taught with sensitivity, taking into account the children's level of maturity in regard to the delivery of the lessons.

'A Journey in Love' is the recommended programme of study for Catholic schools for Sex and Relationship Education, and has been written as a progressive scheme of work that supports the teaching of RE and PSHE. The programme focuses on friendship, family, community, relationships and spirituality and supports the children's development as young Catholics in the 21st century.



See the school's website for more information.

We value your opinion - please fill in a questionnaire!



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Thank you!

Any questions?

