

Growing together as children of God



At Holy Trinity C of E Primary School:

- ✓ we want our pupils to **grow** in confidence, independence, resilience and knowledge, so that all achieve their full potential and develop a life-long love of learning and of the world around us.
- ✓ we work **together** with families, community and church to model positive relationships, supporting each other and acknowledging that we are stronger when we work together.
- ✓ we are growing together as **children of God**, strengthening our faith, secure in the knowledge we are unique, loved and cherished.

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been another busy week at Holy Trinity. We have had children out at sports events, Year 6 went to Go Ape, the choir sang at the Singfest and we were visited by a member of Merton's SACRE (Standard Advisory Council on Religious Education), who commented about how impressed she was with our worship and the children's behaviour and attitude. We also had a wonderful email from the organiser of the Bowls tournament, who said this:

...huge congratulations to the children on winning the 'Refspect Award' for their great attitude and sporting behaviour.

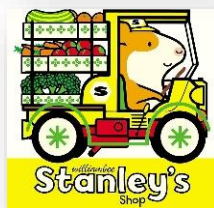
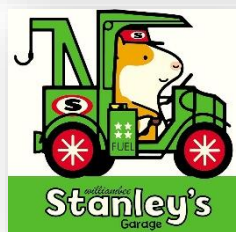
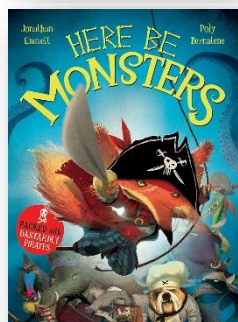
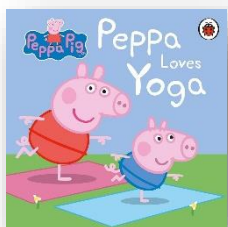
Congratulations too to all those who took part, it was so encouraging for the coaches to see the delight on the children's faces when they had bowled well, as well as to see how hard they were trying to take on board the tips that they were given and to apply them to their next attempt. For the two teams to finish in second and third place was a great achievement and the children should feel very pleased with their achievements today on what until last week was a total unknown.



Following their training last week, some of our Year 5 pupils represented the school at a Bowls Tournament. Our teams came 2nd and 3rd, and were awarded the RefSpect award – our 3rd in 2 weeks! They were honoured with a visit from the Deputy Mayor of Wimbledon and received a certificate, pen, badge, medal AND water bottle!



Year 3 sharing their learning on rainforests with Year 2.



Mystery Reader continues in Nursery! This week Veer's mum came in to read us 'Peppa Loves Yoga'. After reading the story we all had lots of fun trying out some different yoga poses! After that, we had Alex and Ben's dad read us 'Little Miss Inventor and the Robots'. We all thought it was really funny when he put on a green wig, he had borrowed from Little Miss Inventor! The next day Aidan's granny came in and read us 'Here Be Monsters', a swashbuckling tale all about pirates who meet some mysterious monsters along the way. Our final Mystery Reader of the week was Sam's mum who read us 'Stanley's Shop' and 'Stanley's Garage'. We loved looking at all the brightly coloured illustrations and hearing about what Stanley got up to.



Reception loved learning about The Rainbow Fish and making their own Rainbow Fish cakes.



Here are some of our Year 6 children enjoying using our new bilingual French picture dictionaries to help them understand a French poem on our topic - the Second World War.

Singfest

Congratulations to the School Choir who performed at a Singing Festival organised by Merton Music Foundation (MMF) in St Marks Church on Wednesday 19th June. They sang brilliantly and did a fantastic job representing the school. All attendees received a special Sing festival badge as a memento of the occasion. Well done to the soloists, Eva B 3T, Kiara 3T, Danaia 3T and Josh 5H for their fantastic solos at this event!

House Music Festival Finals

Friday 28th June Music Festival Final dress rehearsal to the school

All pupils (whether performing or not) to wear their school PE kit that day so that they are dressed in their house colours. This performance is just for school pupils.

Wednesday 3rd July 1:45pm- Music festival finalists perform to parents.

Congratulations to all of this year's finalists. If you child will be performing in the final please make sure they have their instruments and music in on both dates and come and support them in the audience on Friday 3rd July if you are able to.

Finalists

Choir

Orchestra

Yr 6

Noosh 6H- Drumkit

Maya (6T) & Grace (6H) - Piano

Pranav 6T- Drum

Grace L 6H-Piano

Eira 6T- Clarinet

Yr 5

'The Black Skulls'- Josh, Scott, Rehaan, Luke, Aone (5H)

Celine 5H Clarinet

Marcus 5T Cello

Yr 4

'Cobra'- Alexandra, Wilfred, Freddie, Charlie, Harry, Lucas, Lily, Abi (4H)

Amika 4H- Vocal solo

Charlie 4H-Piano

Yr 3

Jacob 3H- Piano

Cheyenne 3T- Flute

Music Tech work: which will be played during the final:

Zach G 4T

Freddie 4H

Thomas 4H

Ewan 6H

Cayley's Mathematics Challenge

On Wednesday, four of our Year 5 pupils went to King's College to take part in a Maths Challenge. They eagerly competed against 24 other school and showed great teamwork.

It was really fun but at the same time quite hard – Emilia
We had such a good time, it really challenged our brains – Aone

A big well done to Sendan, Marcus, Aone and Emilia.



Large Pieces of Card

If you have any large pieces of card spare, Year 6 would love to have them please to make props with. Thank you.

Sports Week

Day	Morning (starting at 9.00am)	Afternoon (starting at 1.45pm)
Monday 24 th	Year 3	Year 2
Tuesday 25 th	Year 4	Nursery (afternoon/full timers)
Wednesday 26 th	Year 5	Year 1
Thursday 27 th	Year 6	Reception
Friday 28 th	Nursery (morning/full timers)	

For all of the morning sessions do either stay on in the playground after drop off, or enter via the school office on Effra Road. Entry for the afternoon sessions will be via the school office on Effra Road.

The events for KS2 children will last approximately 2 hours, and the events for younger children will last approximately 1-1.5 hours.

All children to wear their PE uniform on their usual PE days and their Sports Day.

Please note that playtimes will be very different this week due to the Sports Days. We will prepare the children, but if you could remind your child too, that would be very helpful. Thank you.

Governor and Headteacher Coffee Morning – Friday 12th July @ 9.00am

The Governors have decided to hold a Coffee Morning instead of the usual Parent Forum, to allow an informal space to discuss the Parent Survey in more detail. Do pop the date in your diary, if you are keen to shape our School Improvement Plans for the 2024-2025 academic year.

Summer Languages Calligram Competition!

Create a piece of art using **words or phrases** in any language!

It could be your home language, a language you are interested in, or the language we learn at school....French!

Open to everyone!

Give your entries to Madame Poleviou by Friday **12th July**.

Sticker for everyone who enters!

Winners will be announced before the end of term!

A calligram is a picture made of words or phrases! Look at the examples....





Year 2 to 6

Take part in this year's

London Rocks TTRS competition

When: 25th June - 27th June

Open times: 7.30am—7.30pm

Daily minutes limit: 60 minutes

GOOD LUCK!

Holy Trinity Book Week July 1st 2024 - July 5th 2024

"When I Grow Up"

What will you do when you grow up?

This year book week is about what you want to do when you grow up. We will be exploring a range of books that look at the wonderful and incredible jobs you can have and how to get there! We will learn about what you can do when you grow up and the power we have to shape our own futures. There are many books which can help us explore these many options and how to get there.



Dress up day!

To celebrate there will be a dress up day on Friday 5th July 2024. Come dressed following the theme 'when I grow up', it could be a job, career or a representation of what you want to achieve in the future! You can be anything!



Competitions

There will be several competitions running during the build up and during book week:

- Write a short story or poem following the theme "when I grow up"
- Design a poster inspiring children telling them to follow their dreams
- Read Out Loud! Read a book, chapter or poem to your class using your best reading voice

There will be multiple prizes for KS1 and KS2, all information on how to take part will be explained in school worship and on class learning platforms.



Volunteers needed for Book Week!

Are you passionate about your job and education and keen to share your knowledge with our students? We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers to come into our school and chat about your experiences in the world of work and learning during our book week which is following the theme 'When I grow Up'. We want to hear your fun stories in your career, how you got there and answer the many questions the children may have. It doesn't matter the job, or the route you took to get there, we want to share the many ways in which individuals can explore the education and working world. Your insight could inspire the next generation!

If you're interested in being a part of our exciting book week, please get in touch with Miss Davies (tabitha.davies@holytrinity.merton.sch.uk) with your availability and what you would like to share. Let's work together to ignite a love for learning in our children!



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Book Fair will be running EVERYDAY before and after school
from Monday 24th June 2024 until Friday 28th June 2024.

Please see attachment for more details on what books are available
and how to pay.

SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS

COME TO
the BOOK FAIR!
AND EARN FREE BOOKS FOR OUR SCHOOL!

CAT KID
COMIC CLUB
SAFARI ADVENTURES

NINA
PEANUT
AMAZING

THE PANDAS
WHO PROMISED

LUNA
WOLF
CODE-BINGER
ALESHA DIXON

Illustration from: Holly Bennett
for Amazing & Scholastic Books, 2024.

Holy Trinity CoE
PRIMARY
SCHOOL

SUMMER
FAIR

SATURDAY
JUNE 29TH
12-4PM

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Thank
you!

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GAMES
RAFFLE

SUMMER FAIR - Saturday 29th June 12-4pm We hope you will be able to join us next Saturday (29th) for our school summer fair! We have a huge variety of stalls this year. Some of the highlights are:

- Y3 BBQ overseen by the wonderful William Deal from Archie's Food, with meat provided by a local butcher - yum!
- Holy Trin Tiki Hawaiian Bar managed by reception
- A visit from the police - try on their uniform, sit in the car and have your fingerprints taken!
- Classic stalls - raffle, books, cake sale, sweet stall
- Games - tombola, lucky dip, pull-up challenge, guess the number and the winning JLT stall 'Cans Catastrophe!
- Bouncy castles and a new inflatable game run by Neat
- Facepainting, makeover stall, vintage clothing and children's fancy dress
- 1pm Choir performance followed by Y5 band
- 2.30pm Puppet show - Little Jo and the Pirates (aimed at 3-6 year olds)
- Siegeris ballet and Dancebites street dance shows (times tbc)

Raffle tickets

Year 6 are busy selling raffle tickets at drop off and pick up each day for £2 each! Prizes include David Lloyd family passes, PT sessions, Barre lessons with Barre Wimbledon, free clubs with Fitness4Schools, Siegeris Ballet, Arty Party, Camp Beaumont and more, theatre and cinema tickets, restaurant vouchers including Pho and Franco Manca, beauty vouchers including Laura's Beauty Corner, hair vouchers, designer handbags including Luella Grey, Chanel perfume, photo shoots, and many more! Cash and card both accepted.

Matched Funding

PLEASE ask if your company offers *matched funding* as this is a great time to apply for it - please contact us and we can provide you with a letter. It makes a huge difference to our fundraising so please do ask the question, especially those working in large corporates, banks or professional services companies.

Tokens

Tokens are for sale online to spend at the fair. 1 token = £1. These will be accepted on all stalls and can be collected from the token stall at the entrance to the fair on arrival. [HOTS Friends of Holy Trinity \(pta-events.co.uk\)](http://pta-events.co.uk)

Donations

Stalls are looking for the following items. Please mark items/bags clearly with the class name and leave with staff on the gate or the school office.

Cakes - 5H - Entries for the family bake-off: £5 per entry, please label the cake with the name of the child and class. Entries for competition to be dropped off at the stall before 12:45 on the day of the fair. Other cake and biscuits preferably to be dropped off at the fair or to school the day before if you can't make it on the day.

Vintage clothes - 1M - Children's fancy dress, women & children's clothes and accessories; Men's: accessories; + Facepainting donations

Bottles - 2S - (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) and jars for tombola

Small toys for lucky dip (2B)

New toys or books to be used as prizes and any large (plastic or glass) jars with lids (4H)

Raffle prizes (yr 6)

Thank you as always for your support!

The HOTS Committee

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<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61555943631216>

Walk in the park with the Kids First Forum

Book Now!
Tuesday 25 June, 10:15am-12:15pm

- Stroll in Morden Hall Park with other parents of people (aged 0-25yrs) with special needs or disabilities
- Practice de-stressing & mindfulness exercises together, led by a Merton Wellbeing Practitioner
- Enjoy free refreshments (covered by us) at the local café
- Learn about other services and information that may benefit you
- Chat with other parents
- Take this chance to learn about Kids First & consider joining us as a member

Tuesday 25 June, 10:15am-12:15pm | Morden Hall Park
Meet at Morden Hall garden centre car park
BOOK HERE: 07929 670645
kf.admin@mertonmencap.org.uk



Ursuline High School
Wimbledon
Crescent Road, SW20 8HA
www.ursulinehigh.merton.sch.uk

We welcome parents, carers and students seeking Year 7 entry in 2025 to this outstanding Roman Catholic Girls' School

Looking at secondary school options for your daughter?
Did you know..
Research* finds Girls who attend all-girls schools get better exam results than girls with similar records and backgrounds at mixed schools – and outdo boys at all-boys schools.
*FFT Education Datalab, May 2024

SIGN UP VIA OUR WEBSITE
9th July - 19th Sept!
Limited Availability!

Students of other faiths and non-faith are welcomed and secure places.



Open Evening
Wednesday 25th September
For Year 5 (2026 entry)/Year 6 students and parents/carers only. Ticketed Entry.
Including: Headteacher Talk from Mr Kelly and a fixed route guided school tour.
Headteacher talk at:
6.00pm 6.30pm 7.00pm 7.30pm

Ticketed Entry Only **Open Events 2024** Ticketed Entry Only

Open Mornings
Monday 30th September - Friday 4th October
Including: Headteacher Talk from Mr Kelly and a fixed route guided school tour.
9.00am OR 11.00am slots available
For Year 6 students and parents/carers only. Ticketed Entry.



PLEASE ONLY SIGN UP TO ONE EVENT! NO TICKET - NO ENTRY!

Term Dates 2023-2024

Summer Term 2024

Last day: INSET Wednesday 24th July 2024 (Last day for children Tuesday 23rd July 2024)

Term Dates 2024-2025

Autumn Term 2024

First day: Monday 2 September 2024 (INSETS Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd September)

Children start back Wednesday 4th September 2024

Half term: Monday 28 October to Friday 1 November 2024

Last day Friday 20 December 2024

Spring Term 2025

First day: Monday 6 January 2025 (INSET Monday 6th January 2025)

Children start back Tuesday 7th January 2025

Half term: Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February 2025

Last day: Friday 4 April 2025

Summer Term 2025

First day: Tuesday 22 April 2025

Half term: Monday 26 May to Friday 30 May 2025 (INSET Monday 2nd June 2025)

Children start back after half term Tuesday 3rd June 2025

Last day: Tuesday 22 July 2025 (INSET Tuesday 22nd July 2025)

Children break up Monday 21st July 2025.

Term Dates 2025-2026

Autumn Term 2025

First day: Monday 1 September 2025 (INSETS Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd September)

Children start back Wednesday 3rd September 2025

Half term: Monday 27 October to Friday 31 October 2025

Last day Friday 19 December 2025

Spring Term 2026

First day: Monday 5 January 2026 (INSET Monday 5th January)

Children start back Tuesday 6th January 2026

Half term: Monday 16 February to Friday 20 February 2026

Last day: Friday 27 March 2026

Summer Term 2026

First day: Monday 13 April 2026

Half term: Monday 25 May to Friday 29 May 2026 (INSET Monday 1st June)

Children start back after half term Tuesday 2nd June 2026

Last day: Monday 20 July 2026 (INSET Monday 20th July)

Children break up Friday 17th July 2026

Key Dates for the Term (Any new dates added will be highlighted.)

Date	Time	Event
24 th – 28 th June		Sports Week – Sports Days will be held this week. See days in Bulletin.
24 th – 28 th June		Book Fair in school
29 th June	12-4	Summer Fair
1 st – 5 th July		Reading/Book Week
28 th June	AM	Music Concert Rehearsal – all children to wear PE uniform please
3 rd July	13.45	Music Festival Final – parents/carers welcome to attend
10 th July	18.30	Year 6 Production
11 th July	18.30	Year 6 Production
12 th July	9.00	Headteacher and Governor Coffee Morning
17 th July		Reports out
19 th July	8.00-8.45	Extended Share My Learning
23 rd July	9.15 14.00	Leaver's Service @ Holy Trinity Church Term ends
24 th July		INSET Day – School closed

I hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Izzy Rickards