

October 17th 2025



Keeping Your Child at Home After Vomiting or Diarrhoea

Dear Parents & Carers,

I am writing to update you on the most recent advice from Public Health. In line with NHS and Public Health guidance, children who have been sick or had diarrhoea should not return to school until at least **48 HOURS** after their last episode. This rule helps prevent the spread of illness to other pupils and staff.

Even if your child seems better sooner, it is important to give their body time to recover fully and to protect others from infection. Please ensure your child is eating and drinking normally and is well enough to participate in a full day of learning before they come back to school.

We appreciate your support in helping us keep our school community healthy and reduce the spread of bugs, especially during the colder months.

If you have any questions or need further advice, please contact the school office.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation

Mrs Bates



Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

	Until...
Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



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Advice and guidance
To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.



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Weekly Newsletter



Tues 21st Oct	EYFS Diwali 'Stay and Play' 8.30-9.45am Year 5 & 6 Football @ St Peters 2.45—5.00pm
Thurs 23rd Oct	Year 2 'Victorian Workshop' 12.30-2.30pm in class Year 4 boys football comp 3.00-4.30pm Monster Ball in school hall— EYFS & KS1 4.00—5.00pm KS2 5.15—6.30pm
Mon 27th Oct	HALF TERM HOLS— ONE WEEK
Mon 3rd Nov	School reopens at 8.35am
Tues 4th Nov	Parents Evening 1.00—7.00pm
Thurs 6th Nov	Football league 3.00—5.30pm
Tues 11th Nov	Remembrance Day Assembly 10.45-11.05am
Thurs 13th Nov	Year 5 & 6 to cinema 'How to Train your Dragon'



Your child's class teacher will communicate on a regular basis with you on Class Dojo. It is a window into your child's class.

Please can you check and ensure that you are connected.

School Dinners

Dinners are £13-25 per week payable on Monday in advance. One month's notice will be required in writing to change to pack lunch.

Thank you.

School Holiday Absence

Please remember that **NO** holidays during term time will be authorised. Unauthorised absences of 5 days or more, during two consecutive half terms, will incur a penalty notice from Bolton Council.

The Monsters' Ball

This years Monsters' Ball is being held on Thursday 23rd October:



EYFS & KS1 4pm—5pm

KS2 5.15pm—6.30pm

The cost for the KS1 Ball will be £4.00 per child, which includes a drink, crisps and sweets.

The cost for the KS2 Ball will be £3.00 per child, there will be a tuck shop (glow sticks, ice pops, crisps, sweets and chocolates) so the children can bring their own money to spend there.

We look forward to seeing all your children's spectacular, gruesome and scary costumes.

Please can you advise the office as soon as possible of any changes to contact details for your child, including mobile numbers, home landlines and full addresses for **both** parents. Please also update any dietary and medical information for each child, so our records are constantly up to date.



Student of the Week

Rec	Mustafa
Year 1	Noah
Year 2	Mikaylah
Year 3	Aaliyah
Year 4	Ashley
Year 5	Carlos
Year 6	Kylan



Virtues to live by

Rec	Josiah
Year 1	Onyinyechi
Year 2	Jireh
Year 3	Jed
Year 4	Arabella
Year 5	Neymar
Year 6	Karlton

Weekly Attendance



Well done to Year 2 who are this week's attendance superstars with 99%

Year 4 are our most punctual class.

Well done everyone!