



# The Grange Primary School and Nursery NEWSLETTER

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## Farewell Year Six Leavers!

Forty Year Six children have had their last day in primary school today. We wish each of you every success at your new school and in the future. It has been our pleasure and privilege to have shared your journey with you to this point. We hope that you will look back on your time at The Grange with fond memories.

Our very best wishes to you all!

## Mrs. Tracey Cartledge - Thank You and Good Luck!

Today also marks the end of the Grange journey for the school's brilliant Business Manager - Tracey Cartledge. Tracey was a pupil at The Grange and has worked here for over twenty years - she has spent the majority of her life here and her brilliant work, great company and unswerving loyalty will be greatly missed.

I know you will all join me in wishing Tracey every success at her new school in Maghull.

## Other departing staff

Our deep gratitude and very best wishes also go to two other members of staff who leave us today. Sandra Langley - a much valued member of our lunchtime welfare team starts what we hope will be a long, happy and healthy retirement while Emma Grant (Teaching Assistant) starts a degree course.

Our grateful thanks and very best wishes to both of you.

## The Spirit of The Grange Award

It was a great honour to present the Spirit of The Grange Award - our ultimate good citizenship award - to Max Coley-King in this morning's assembly. Max has faced some huge challenges in recent years. He has remained strong and cheerful and been an inspiration to children and adults at our school. Max, you epitomise everything that is good about our school and we wish you every success in the future. Well done on this richly deserved award.

## Celebrating Good Attendance

31 children were presented with a £10 cash prize in this morning's assembly for having 100% attendance this term and no late arrivals. Congratulations to you all.

*You can't teach an empty chair!*

## Who will my child's teacher be next year?

Nursery - Mrs. C. Delamere

Reception 2 - Miss M. Hart

Class Two - Mrs. R. Fearon

Class Four - Mrs. C. Minton-Allen

Class Six - Miss R. Higgins & Mr. M. Acs

Class Eight - Miss S. White

Class Ten - Miss K. Brownbill

Class Twelve - Mrs. M. Hughes & Miss R. McGuire

Reception - Mrs. C. Richardson

Class One - Mrs. S. Everett & Mrs. S. Hemsley

Class Three - Mrs. J. Bevin & Miss H. Turpin

Class Five - Miss B. Wright, Miss E. Fawcett & Mr. M. Acs

Class Seven - Mrs. Z. Grant and Mrs. N. Roberts

Class Nine - Miss L. Creaby

Class Eleven - Miss J. Harrold & Mrs. N. Omar

### Measles

As you may be aware, cases of measles are currently high on Merseyside. Please see advise on what to do regarding suspected cases and vaccinations accompanying this newsletter.

### What's going on in the community?

Please see with this newsletter and previous newsletters, details of activities and events taking place in our community. They include:

Children's University Summer Holiday Challenge

Details of free spaces at Ultimate Kids Camps

Holiday Activity Fund events at Goals

Trans Pennine Trail - <https://www.transpenninetrail.org.uk/welcome-to-our-childrens-page/>

A free summer holiday club at Rampworkx - <https://rampworx.com/shop/>

Details of Sefton's summer Be Active programme -

<https://www.sefton.gov.uk/sport-leisure/activities-for-children-young-people/be-active-school-holiday-activities/>

*Please note: We are happy to share information that we receive about events going on for children and parents in the local community. This should not be viewed as an endorsement from the school.*

### Term Dates - 2025 - 2026

#### Autumn Term 2025:

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025 - INSET Day 1

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2025 - INSET Day 2

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September - Term starts

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - Half Term starts

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October - INSET Day 3

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Term re-starts

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Term ends at 1.30 p.m.

#### Spring Term 2026:

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January - INSET Day 4

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January - Term starts

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February - Half Term starts

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - Term re-starts

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March - Term ends at 3.15 p.m.

#### Summer Term 2026:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April - INSET Day 5

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April - Term starts

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Half Term starts

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June - INSET Day 6

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June - Term re-starts

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July - Term ends at 1.30 p.m.

### On a personal note ...

May I thank colleagues, pupils, parents and governors most sincerely for the gifts and kind comments that I have been inundated with in recent days.

Of my 23 years as a Headteacher, the last 14 at The Grange have been the most rewarding. It has been a privilege to serve such wonderful children in such a special and caring community.

I am sure that, under the leadership of Mr. Evans and Ms Clements, this unique and wonderful school will continue to thrive.

After 36 years in local primary schools, it's time to slow down a bit and do some of the things that I've wanted to do but haven't had the time since 1989!

With my very best wishes to you all.

Daniel Hains - Headteacher

(signing off!)

**Sefton Immunisation Team**



**Mersey Care**  
NHS Foundation Trust

## Has your child missed a vaccination?

It's not too late, contact the team on  
**0151 247 6130** to book an appointment.

### Clinic dates:

- **23 July 2025** Prince Street Family health centre, Waterloo L22 5PB
- **12 August 2025** Maghull Health Centre L31 0DJ
- **31 July 2025** Southport Health and Wellbeing PR9 0PQ
- **5 August 2025** Litherland Town Hall Health Centre L21 9JN



## URGENT INFORMATION SENT ON BEHALF OF SEFTON COUNCIL PUBLIC HEALTH

Dear colleagues

Regarding communications from education and childcare settings to parents around suspected measles cases, please can I clarify the correct advice how to seek medical attention.

If a child or staff member has a rash illness which could be measles, **they must not attend school**. The correct pathway should be to **contact their GP as soon as possible via telephone call or alternatively call 111.**

**It is critically important to phone ahead, and not turn up at a GP practice, A&E or walk in centre.**

This will enable the healthcare setting to make necessary arrangements to receive the patient so that the patient can wait separately from others.

It is critical that the advice and process is followed to prevent spread of infection within the community.

Please can this information be shared accordingly to ensure parents are receiving the right advice and guidance from the education settings.

Thank you for your continued support and any questions please get in touch.

Kind regards  
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## Summer Holiday Challenge 2025



### Activity 1

One of our Learning Destinations 'Outline Art' is running a Summer Postcard Project where you can design and create a different postcard every week. Week 1 is nature, 2 is Continuous line drawing, 3 is animals, 4 is Draw your home, 5 is Collage, 6 is Favourite Food, 7 is Favourite people. Follow them on socials for more information @outlineartsuk

### Activity 2

Take part in this years Summer Reading Challenge 'Story Garden'. Register with your name & school at your local library. We will get the list of students who have completed it and will add 10 credits.  
<https://readingagency.org.uk/the-summer-reading-challenge-2025-story-garden-takes-reading-to-the-great-outdoors/>

### Activity 3

The Women's UEFA Euro 2025 football Championships is running from 2<sup>nd</sup> July – 27<sup>th</sup> July.

Design a poster with 5 key facts. Name your favourite players of the tournament and who you think will win. You could also research the different countries that are taking part.

### Activity 4

Stay active at home by creating your very own indoor games activities...check out some ideas by going on the website below, write down what you've done and send some pictures. You could do bowling with empty bottles or frying pan cricket!  
<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/activities/indoor-activities-for-kids/>

### Activity 5

Create a picnic with different foods using as many colours of the rainbow as you can. Try to be as healthy as possible. We can't wait to see your creations! Check out some ideas below.

[https://www.bbc.co.uk/food/collections/healthy\\_recipes\\_for\\_kids](https://www.bbc.co.uk/food/collections/healthy_recipes_for_kids)

### Activity 6

Have a go at some easy and fun science experiments at home. Have a look at the below website, follow the instructions and make sure you take a picture to show us how you've got on.

<https://www.mkewithkids.com/post/here-are-two-weeks-worth-of-fun-and-easy-science-experiments/>

### Activity 7

Learn a new skill!

The summer holidays are a long time so think of a new skill you'd like to learn, write a description of what you have learnt and how you've learnt it. You could learn to ride a bike, Plant some vegetables, Bake a cake, Learn sign language. Don't forget to send us a picture so you can get your credit.



Collect extra Children's University credits during the Summer break by completing this challenge. Each activity is worth 1 credit -unless stated otherwise when you take evidence of your activity to your teacher or send it to your local Children's University. Send it to [SeftonCU@elevate-ebp.co.uk](mailto:SeftonCU@elevate-ebp.co.uk)

# GOALS

SCAN ME to sign up for Free Summer Holiday  
Camps delivered by Everton in the Community



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