



OVERCHURCH JUNIOR SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



**FRIDAY 2ND OCTOBER
2026**

YEAR 5 AND 6 ONLINE SAFETY



Today, Year 5 and Year 6 had a visit from Merseyside Police for an engaging session on Online Safety. Pupils learned practical tools and settings for staying safe on digital devices, as well as who to talk to if they ever feel uncomfortable online. Please continue these vital conversations at home to help reinforce these safe habits!



Upcoming Events & Dates to Remember

- **Wednesday 7th October** – Individual Student Photographs
- **Thursday 8th October** – 2026 Flu Immunisations
- **Friday 9th October** – World Mental Health Day – non-Uniform – Wear something that brings you joy!
- **Monday 19th – Tuesday 20th October** – Parent-Teacher Meetings (please book via Arbor)



We have been having lots of fun in gymnastics club. The children have been creating sequences with a partner and learning how to vault!



This amazing student gives his time everyday to make our playground a cleaner place. Thanks for making our school an even better place to be!



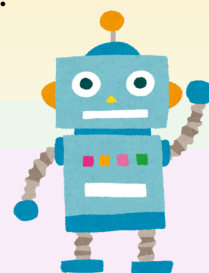
THANK YOU!

A huge thank you to all our families who supported last week's Scholastic Book Fair! Thanks to your generous purchases, we raised £240 in rewards to spend on brand-new books for our school library and classrooms.



Please keep your eyes peeled for our newest OJS Bloom Clubs for Autumn 2!

Further information will be released on Monday 12th October. There'll be an even wider range of clubs to choose from this time, whether it be Drama Club with Miss Nickson, Book Club with Miss Carbery or Robotics Club with Miss Roberts, there is something for everyone!



OJS Bloom

Get Ready for the OJS Tough Runner!

We are thrilled to announce that Overchurch Junior School will be hosting our very own Tough Runner event on Friday, 16th October!

Essential Details:

- **Date:** Friday, 16th October
- **Cost:** £2 nominal fee via Arbor School Shop (plus any collected sponsorship money with forms)
- **What to Wear/Bring:** Sportswear, a refillable water bottle, and a change of clothes - it's going to get muddy!
- **Action Required:** Please complete the consent form via the Google Form link sent to your email/Arbor Messages. Children without recorded parental consent cannot take part.

Alternatively, click here for the consent form link:

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WEEKLY AWARD WINNERS

Attendance Winners

Apple: 94.9%

Mulberry: 100%

Pear: 98%

Cherry: 96.5 %

Pine: 97.7%

Silver Birch: 95.8%

Beech: 97.6%

Hawthorn: 96.6 %

Willow: 97.7 %

Lime: 95%

Rowan: 96.2%

Sycamore: 91.6%



RESILIENCE
EMPATHY SELF-
AWARENESS
POSITIVITY
EXCELLENCE
COMMUNICATION
TEAMWORK

RESPECT Award Winners

Apple: Georgia B

Mulberry: Austin P

Pear: Lily S

Cherry: Cici E-W

Pine:

Silver Birch: Mercian C

Beech: Bella S-S

Hawthorn: Ella-R R

Willow: Cassidy C

Lime: Jake J

Rowan: Esmee S

Sycamore: Harvery T

Reading Award Winners

Apple: Jacob L

Mulberry: Milo K

Pear: Paisley M

Cherry: Jaxon F

Pine:

Silver Birch: Poppy F

Beech: Rebecca F

Hawthorn: Arlo D

Willow: Tilly C

Lime: Leon A

Rowan: Jorja M

Sycamore: Otto R-P



Maths Award Winners

Apple: Aluna D

Mulberry: Evie B

Pear: Isaac M

Cherry: Erin T

Pine:

Silver Birch: Evie E

Beech: Paisley T

Hawthorn: Eve Q

Willow: James L

Lime: Phoebe D

Rowan: Miley H

Sycamore: Mollie R