NEWSLETTER



Autumn Term 21.11. 2025



Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope this week's newsletter finds you well.

Thank you to those parents who have responded to Jude's phone call (Local Authority Attendance Officer) or to her text request for you to return her call. Her role is to support parents where data suggests issues are arising regarding attendance or punctuality.

Children in Years 2 - 6 have undertaken their Autumn Term assessments this week. Anyone who has been ill and missed them will complete them next week. Well done to all. I have seen you all working diligently completing these and showing what you have learnt so far this year.

Next week, is Design and Technology Week. I look forward to seeing the children plan, design, create and then evaluate their creations.

Mrs Rogerson has led a whole school Internet Safety assembly today. She shared the story of 'Hanni and the Magic Window'. The story was explored along with the key message that the children must share with adults any negative online experiences. The tagline T.A.G was used – Tell a Grownup – to help the children to remember today's important message. We all acknowledge that over the festive period, screen time is likely to increase, so we thought it important to help prepare the children so that they can stay safe when online.

As the winter weather is here, please don't forget:

1. Warm coats, hats, gloves, scarves, and

- waterproof footwear.

 2. Please ensure you can log into your Arbor app.
- School updates re closure of school/roads around school.
- 3. Road travel takes longer in the winter months

Stay warm and safe!

Wishing you all a relaxing weekend.

Friends Event: Christmas Raffle

Raffle tickets have been sent home with the children (Thursday or today). These all have the children's names on them. They are £1 a strip. Money and raffle tickets to be returned to school by Monday 8th December. Raffle will then be drawn on Wednesday 10th December. If you require additional tickets, please speak with the school office. Amazing prizes are on offer. These have been donated by parents and local businesses. Thank you to all who have donated gifts.

Y1 and Y3 Geography Fieldwork Walk:

Y1 and Y3 are going are going for a walk on Wednesday 26th November around the local area as part of their geography topics. A message has been shared via Arbor earlier this week.

Parent Pay Balances:

Please check your ParentPay account and ensure that any outstanding balances for school lunches are cleared as soon as possible. Thank you.

Reception Class 2026 Deadline Date is 15th January 2026.

If you have a child starting reception class in September 2026 please apply via the link - <u>Primary school admissions</u>

Events calendar

This is continuously updated, and you can access it anytime, from anywhere, on the website landing page Home - Sacred Heart Atherton

Facebook

I've noticed today that one of our posts has legitimate questions / queries on it. A reminder that Facebook is not a tool to converse with school staff. This isn't regularly monitored. Any queries or questions must be sent to the school office. This is outlined in the Communication Plan.

Reminder that inappropriate comments are deleted. Thank you again to parents who alert school when these have been posted.





Reception				
Golden Ticket	Chloe	Being a superstar in PE.		
Golden Ticket	Connie M	Superb segmenting and blending in Supersonic Phonic Friends.		
Golden Ticket	Theo	Super speaking and listening skills during small group work.		
Handwriting Hero	Eldon	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.		
Resilience	Myla	Myla shows remarkable resilience and is keen to complete tasks on her own.		

Year One		
Golden Ticket	Kaeden	Wonderful writing in Drawing Club this week and applying his knowledge of split digraphs.
Golden Ticket	Mia	Fabulous field work in geography this week when looking at the school grounds.
Golden Ticket	Penny G	Confidently describing the properties of materials in science.
Handwriting Hero	Hadeel	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.
Resilience	Violet	Showing great perseverance when writing in Drawing club and for producing great sentences.

Year Two		
Golden Ticket	Ife	Giving wonderful responses about how the characters felt in the Bible story of Zechariah during RE.
Golden Ticket	William	Working hard in his maths' assessments this week.
Handwriting Hero	Piotr	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.
Resilience	Lewis	Demonstrating a resilient attitude toward his assessments this week.

Year Three				
Golden Ticket	Ahmet	Great effort, focus and attitude during assessment week.		
Golden Ticket	Ava O	Wonderful participation in Geography when identifying human and physical features of the UK.		
Golden Ticket	Georgia	Brilliant work in English when creating a role on the wall for Winter's Child.		
Handwriting Hero	Joy	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.		
Resilience	Sebastian	Demonstrating excellent resilience and effort during assessment week.		
Year Four				
Golden Ticket	Jane	Great work during our Art lessons.		
Golden Ticket	Malakai	Great participation during our Maths lessons on calculating the area of a shape.		
Golden Ticket	Natalie	Confidently using apostrophes for possession during out writing lessons.		
Handwriting Hero	Esme	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.		
Resilience	Chinedum	Dedicating himself to developing stronger resilience when confronted with challenges.		
Year Five				
Golden Ticket	Artur	Sharing ideas for how to use our time while waiting in RE.		
Golden Ticket	Kejden	Using arrays to show square numbers.		
Golden Ticket	Teddie	Excellent expanded noun phrases in descriptive writing.		
Handwriting Hero	Jayda	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.		
Resilience	Perrie	Working with resilience and vigour in all your assessments this week.		
Year Six				
Golden Ticket	Jessica	Exceptional work on showing the impact of the British Empire on the world.		
Golden Ticket	Lottie	Writing a wonderful poem on Tigers.		
Golden Ticket	Nancie	Excellent perseverance in Maths when exploring division methods.		
Handwriting Hero	Scarlett	Congratulations on excellent presentation and handwriting across subjects.		
Resilience	Ted	Showing resilience and grit with long division.		