

Weekly newsletter

Friday the 8th of May 2026

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A message from Mr Reed, our headteacher:

Dear families

If your child is on our SEND register, their IEP will land in your inbox over the next week (it may have already). On this, you can add a comment. We would love you to do that - let us know what you think about how they are getting on in school and the support which they receive.

If you ever need to get in touch with our SEND team, just email us :
pr-send@mca.manchester.sch.uk

Next week is a really important week for our Y6 pupils as they undertake their SATS tests. They should come to school for 8am as we will run some morning revision sessions every day as well as offering a lovely (free) breakfast.

The rest of the school has a part to play too - lots of adults, from all over school, support with the tests. And we ask children in all classes to be very careful and considerate as they move around school.

We know that our Y6 pupils will do incredibly well, because we have seen how hard they have been working. It's important that pupils do their best on the tests, to show-off what they know. But it's also only a test. It's not something which we want pupils to overly worry about, nor to become stressed about.

We're really proud of Y6, not just because of their work, but because of who they are - wonderful young people with very bright futures.

Thank you
Alex Reed



Have you got the Trackit Lights app? You can see all your child's points on this. You can also see what their current attendance percentage is.



The Hapurhens

As you may know, our early years classes hatched some chicks from eggs earlier this year. We decided to keep 3 of the chicks to join our school community.

At the moment the hens are at Mr Reed's house, whilst their coop is completed at school. They will be returning shortly.

Over the last few weeks, we have asked the children to suggest names for our hens. They posted 526 suggestions into the school council box. After much consideration and deliberation, the school council have named the hens as follows:



As ESA clubs re-start next half term, Mr Reed will be recruiting 10 'young farmers' to help rear the hens and collect the eggs

Class	This week's attendance:	This week's lates:
Y6 Elder	100.00%	3
Y6 Maple	94.71%	0
Y5 Hawthorn	92.12%	0
Y5 Aspen	98.57%	1
Y4 Ash	97.14%	4
Y4 Juniper	99.05%	4
Y3 Elm	84.52%	6
Y3 Silver Birch	98.90%	2
Y2 Oak	92.86%	2
Y2 Willow	98.52%	6
Y1 Beech	99.01%	5
Y1 Pear	94.18%	2
R Cherry	94.16%	3
R Hazel	94.29%	4
Nursery	97.47%	7
Nest class	100.00%	1
Fledglings	100.00%	5



This week's best attendance:

Y6 Elder, Nest & Fledglings

Classes with no lates: Y6 Maple & Y5 Hawthorn

HOW MANY HOUSE POINTS?

Points since February half term holidays

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Our weekly winners!

	Star of the week	Trackit champ	Reader of the week
Nursery	Kymani	Maddison	Ajmal
Rec Cherry	Glaris	Noah	Chay
Rec Hazel	Leo	Zeenah	Hoorain A
The Nest	Archie		
Y1 Beech	Kingsley	Valentim	Safa
Y1 Pear	Mazeedat	Amna	Sophia
Y2 Oak	Cuba	Assurance	Elfatih
Y2 Willow	Emmanuel	Elyam	Kobby
Y3 Silver Birch	Savannah	Annelise	Sami B
Y3 Elm	Shan	Presley	Mustafa
Y4 Ash	Albert	Daniel	Lexi
Y4 Juniper	Savannah	Lillie-Rain	Mohammad
Y5 Aspen	Hasan	Rhema	David
Y5 Hawthorn	Jeramiah	Elliot	Asmaa
Y6 Elder	Tiffany	Yassin	Elana
Y6 Maple	Zunaira	Sameera	Zak

Events this half term:

Every Friday - all parents and relatives are invited to join us for our weekly coffee morning, hosted by Miss Carlin in the school hall from 8:30am - 9:30am, the perfect opportunity to make new friends, find out what's going on in the community and also help us plan some fun activities in the run up to the end of the year! Please come along, everyone is welcome!

W/c 11th May - Year 6 SATS Week

Tuesday 12th May - Y1 & 2 Showcase 3:15 - 3:45pm

Monday 18th May - Y4 Science and Industry Museum Trip

Monday 18th May - Y5 Aspen Into University Focus day Trip

Tuesday 19th May - Y5 Hawthorn Into University Focus day Trip

Tuesday 19th May - Nest stay and play 3:00-4:00pm

Wednesday 20th May - Reception trip to Stoller Hall

Thursday 21st May - Census day, please ensure your child is in school this day, our school

funding depends on it!

Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May - Half Term Break

Monday 1st June - Return to school for Summer Term 2