

# Weekly newsletter

Friday the 27th of March 2026

Manchester  
Communication  
Primary  
Academy

## A message from Mr Reed, our headteacher:

Dear families

We have had a fantastic week in school this week with some great attendance too- twice this week our whole school attendance was around 97%. Well done and thank you! Every minute of learning really matters, so it is great to see so many pupils in school on time every day.

We had a lovely Eid lunch on Monday too, it was great to celebrate as a school, regardless of our beliefs. Respecting the views and beliefs of others is a very important part of life in modern Britain.

As we approach the Easter Holidays, we look forward to our Easter fair on Thursday next week, please buy some tokens and come along after school. We are working to fundraise for an electronic notice board to keep parents informed of what's going on in school.

Over the holidays we will be providing Y6 tuition and revision; as well as all the things they can do online such as SATs bootcamp and LBQ. Y4s need to be practising their timetables too for their tests when they come back.

After the holidays we will welcome a new Deputy Headteacher to MCPA, Mr Beaumont. Mr Beaumont will work alongside Mrs Bashir next term and will be specifically responsible for behaviour, attendance and pupils' personal development. He's currently a senior leader at Temple Academy in Cheetham Hill, and we are very excited to welcome him.

But before we get to next term, we have a very exciting final week planned with lots of trips and experiences. So all the more reason to keep making sure that your child attends brilliantly and doesn't miss-out.

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.**



# Spotlight on: Behaviour

Here at MCPA we have 3 school rules, they are:  
Be ready, be safe and be respectful.

We also teach children that it's important to recognise and manage our feelings and emotions using the 'zones of regulation'. Every day, children check-in with these zones, so that we can provide support as needed. It's a great tool for parents to talk to children about their feelings too, try it out!



## Song of the week



Over 70 schools across Manchester took part in a recorded singing project inspired by the MOBO Awards, celebrating the city's rich and diverse music culture while giving hundreds of young people the chance to raise their voices together.

Class	This week's attendance:	This week's lates:
Y6 Elder	97.41%	7
Y6 Maple	95.88%	6
Y5 Hawthorn	96.83%	8
Y5 Aspen	89.63%	2
Y4 Ash	96.67%	4
Y4 Juniper	97.78%	4
Y3 Elm	96.30%	6
Y3 Silver Birch	95.73%	9
Y2 Oak	98.81%	1
Y2 Willow	99.23%	4
Y1 Beech	95.02%	5
Y1 Pear	99.59%	3
R Cherry	89.39%	1
R Hazel	98.83%	5
Nursery	96.62%	7
Nest class	96.83%	2
Fledglings	85.19%	6



**This week's best attendance:**

**Y1 Pear**

**Classes with no lates: None**

**HOW MANY HOUSE POINTS?**

Points since February half term holidays

Tib   **Medlock**   Irk   Irwell

6226   6715   5116   5555

# Our weekly winners!

	Star of the week	Trackit champ	Reader of the week
Nursery	Ajmal	Anav	Benjamin
Rec Cherry	Charlotte	Claudia	Dakota
Rec Hazel	Hoorain A	Kiari	Karoly
The Nest	Chi Chi		
Y1 Beech	Soha	Izra	Parimah
Y1 Pear	Shams	Anthony	Nathan
Y2 Oak	Ella- Louise	Diyan	Denver
Y2 Willow	Ruva	Jasmine	Abdul
Y3 Silver Birch	Marwa	Abeeha	Eliza
Y3 Elm	Anas	Ayyaan	Umaima
Y4 Ash	Durrah	Quadri	Isla
Y4 Juniper	Abdul	Muhammad	Minaal
Y5 Aspen	Hanya	Rahim	Seb
Y5 Hawthorn	Elliot	Arthur	Richelle
Y6 Elder	Favour	Majid	Kidus
Y6 Maple	Endurance	Rosie	Hadi

# Events this half term:

Tuesday 31st March - Year 2 Sing around Trip at Cosmo Rodewald Concert Hall

Tuesday 31st March - Year 5 Science and Industry Museum trip

Wednesday 1st April - Year 4 Sing around Trip at Cosmo Rodewald Concert Hall

Wednesday 1st April - Urban Crew Enterprise day at MCA

Thursday 2nd April - Easter Fair after school (all families welcome!)

Thursday 2nd April - School closes for the Easter break at 3:20pm

Friday 3rd April - Friday 17th April - Easter Holidays (2 week break)