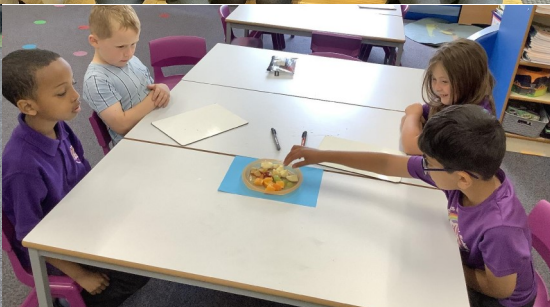


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The Sharples family ensures our children are resilient learners, healthy and aspirational citizens. We will create a love of lifelong learning that extends beyond the classroom as a result of an enriching curriculum. The school community will make a difference by fostering respect and tolerance of each other as unique individuals.



Weekly snapshots ...



Monday 24th July - Friday 1st September (excluding 28th August)

Urban Outreach is working with an army of volunteers to help make a lunch for your child during the summer holidays. This is aimed at children and young people who would normally receive a free school meal. To collect your packed lunch please go to the nearest centre listed here between 11am and 12 noon during the summer holidays.

Astley Bridge: Oldham's Children's Centre, Forfar St, BL1 6RN
Blackrod: St Katherine's Church, Church St, BL6 5EN
Brightmet: Brightmet Library, Brightmet Fold Lane, BL2 6NT
Bright Meadows Children's Centre, Greenroyd Ave, BL2 5DD
Daubhill: St Bedes Church, Normanby St, BL3 3QR
Willows Community Centre, back Caledonia St, BL3 5PA
Deane: Deane Church Shop, 292 Wigan Rd, BL3 5QT
Sutton Centre, Addington Rd, BL3 4QZ
Farnworth: Farnworth Library, Market St, BL4 7PG
New Bury UCAN, 53 George St, BL4 9PU
Great Lever: Great Lever Children's Centre, Leonard St, BL3 3AP
Rose Hill URC, 75 Bradford Rd, BL3 2HE

Hallilwell: Oxford Grove Children's Centre, Oxford Grove, BL1 3BH
St Thomas Primary School, Eskrick St, BL1 3JB
Horwich: Bridge Church, Rock St, BL6 5QS
St Elizabeth's Church, Cedar Ave, BL6 6HT
Johnson Fold: Hope Centre, 27 Tattersall Ave, BL1 5TE
Kearsley: Roosevelt Road Community Centre, Roosevelt Rd, BL4 8EA
Little Lever: Kings Church Little Lever, Market St, BL3 1HN
Tonge: Castle Hill Centre, Castleton St, BL2 2JW
Tonge Children's Centre, 260 Starkie Rd, BL2 2ED
Westhoughton: Washacre Primary School, Clough Ave, BL5 2NJ



Scan the QR code to find out about activities going on near you....

Working alongside churches, community groups and businesses to ensure no child goes



School is selling:
Be More Ted wrist bands.
The money raised will go to Ted's charity which is hoping to buy friendship benches for local areas (and Sharples Primary). Bands are £2 each. Children should bring in their £2 and give to their class teacher.



Latest Staff News

Classes for 2023/24

Nursery—Miss Hamer and Mrs Rushton
Reception—Miss Gillespie and Mrs Pollitt
Year 1—Mrs Tomany and Mrs Owens
Year 2—Mrs Bradshaw and Mrs Knight
Year 3—Miss Burns, Mrs Mayat and Mrs Adam
Year 4—Miss Slater and Mrs Mayat
Year 5—Mrs Tomlinson, Mrs Giovirazzo and Mrs Munshi
Year 6—Mr Slater, Mr Lloyd and Mrs Corbett
Mrs Taylor to support throughout school

School Meals September 2023



The price of a school meal will increase to **£2.47** per day (£12.35 per week) from next term. Please inform the office before the end of summer term if you wish to change the current lunch arrangements for your child. All payments will need to be made via the Weduc app and meals must be chosen at home, again via the app. Further instructions to follow.



Wednesday, 12 July—New Reception Teddy Bears Picnic 1.30-3pm
Thursday, 13 July at 1.30pm—Y6 production, The Wizard of Oz
Friday, 14 July—Moving Up Day
Friday, 14 July—Sale of pupils' artwork plus new and used uniform
Thursday, 20 July at 2.15pm—Y6 Leavers Assembly/Awards
Friday, 21 July—school ends at 2pm for Summer Holidays
Tuesday, 5 September—School reopens for Autumn term

Attendance figures this week:

Reception - 94.1%
Yr 1 - 97.5%
Yr 2 - 94.5%
Yr 3 - 96.1%
Yr 4 - 94.8%
Yr 5 - 99.4%
Yr 6 - 95.8%

During the Coronation celebrations, we had visiting professional artists working with the children. On Friday, 14 July (8.20-8.40am and 3.15-3.30pm), there will be a sale of pupils' artwork—either framed pictures or painted tiles—£3 each. We will also be selling new and used items of school uniform.



Tickets are now on sale for Y6's production The Wizard of Oz on 13 July at 1.30pm. Tickets are £2 each and available from the office.