

St. Basil's

Catholic Primary
School

In God's love we learn and succeed by sharing and caring together.

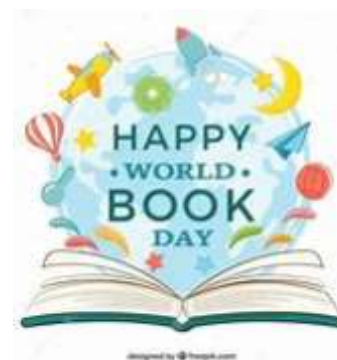
MARCH 2022

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Dates for Year 4 Holy Communion

Y4KJ - Saturday 7th May
11am St Basil's Church

Y4JS - Saturday 14th May
11am St Basil's Church



After School Clubs Week Commencing 7th March 2021

Monday 7th March 3.10—4.00pm	Y1 Ball Games Y2 Computing Y3 Mindfulness Y4 Art Y6 Booster
Thursday 10th March 3.10—4.00pm	Y5 Computing KS2 Singing Club

The children all looked fabulous in their costumes and had a great day celebrating World Day Book day.

Book Fair Friday 4th March—Wednesday 9th March 2022

We are fortunate enough to have the book fair in school from Friday 4th March – Wednesday 9th March. It will be open after school for children to come and buy a book. £1 book tokens will also be issued to children that can be used at the book fair.

Below, is a timetable for year groups which is to be used as a guide to help prevent overcrowding. Please try your best to follow the timetable however we do understand that some children will want to come to the book fair with siblings from other year groups.

Date	Year groups
Friday 4 th March—KS1 Hall	Year 2 and Year 3
Monday 7 th March—KS1 Hall	Year 4 and Year 5
Tuesday 8 th March—KS1 Hall	EYFS and Year 1
Wednesday 9 th March—Y2 Shared area	Year 6

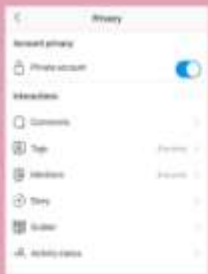
Social Media Settings



Most social media apps are 13+ (WhatsApp is 16+) but - as we are aware some children are using them regularly - we wanted to share some important settings to keep children safe online.



Instagram



PRIVATE ACCOUNT: when this is on, only followers can see your posts and stories and you have to approve followers
(recommended: on)

COMMENTS, TAGS, MENTIONS, STORY: allows you to control who can tag you, comment on your posts, mention you in their story and control your story audience

You can also restrict, block or report a user by clicking on their profile and selecting the three dots in the top right.

You can also remove a follower using this method.



Tiktok



PRIVATE ACCOUNT: when this is on, only followers can see your posts and you have to approve followers
(recommended: on)

SAFETY: Tiktok has lots of options to restrict contact and interaction with video posts
(recommended: friends)

COMMENT FILTERS: you can automatically hide comments that may have offensive words in
(recommended: on)

You can also block, report or remove a follower by clicking on their profile and clicking the three dots in the top right hand corner.



WhatsApp



PROFILE PHOTO AND STATUS: You can change who can see a profile photo and status
(recommended: my contacts)

GROUPS: allows you to stop a contact being able to add you to groups
(recommended for when a friend adds you without permission)

BLOCKED: can add a contact to a blocked list so they can't message you.

You can also block or report a contact/number by clicking on the chat with them, clicking on their number/name at the top then scrolling down!



Snapchat



CONTACT: decide who can message you and send you snaps
(recommended: my friends)

VIEW MY STORY: restrict who can see your story
(recommended: my friends)

GHOST MODE: if this isn't on, contacts can see your location on a map
(recommended: on)

You can also block or report a user by locating their contact, tapping and holding their name and clicking more

Had enough of struggling to make ends meet?

If you want to make choosing between heating and eating a thing of the past, we're here to help!



Anyone who is not currently working can join Citizens Advice Halton's **GROW employability support programme**.

As well as 1-2-1 dedicated employability support (e.g. boosting your confidence, learning new skills, new CV, job search support) we can help you get access to:

- ✓ Income maximisation advice
- ✓ Aldi shopping vouchers and Foodbank vouchers
- ✓ Gas / Electricity fuel vouchers (if you're on a pre-payment meter)
- ✓ Budgeting advice and fast-track debt advice
- ✓ Grants to replace essential white goods (e.g. broken fridge/cooker)
- ✓ Confidence building support & access to training and learning

 0151 257 2449 (leave a message and we'll call you back)

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HM Government

Childcare
Choices



HELP PAYING FOR CHILDCARE



MONEY TOWARDS CHILDCARE

Any **one** of the following schemes...



AVAILABLE IN UK

... **can** be used with

FREE HOURS OF CHILDCARE



AVAILABLE IN ENGLAND

For offers in Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland check childcarechoices.gov.uk

For full details visit

childcarechoices.gov.uk

Getting childcare vouchers?

Go to GOV.UK to find out more

Speak to your provider about any additional charges that may apply