



Park Hall Junior Academy



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Wednesday 23rd September 2026

Newsletter No 3



Dates for Diary - September 2026

Thursday 24 th	Year 3, Class 1 Swimming Year 3, Class 2 Computing Workshop at 9am Parents Evening
Friday 25 th	Year 5, Class 7 After School Sports Club
Monday 28 th	Year 4, Class 4 After School Sports Club
Tuesday 29 th	Year 3, Class 3 Computing Workshop at 9am Year 3, Class 1 After School Sports Club
Wednesday 30 th	Year 6, Going on Residential Trip Year 6, Class 10 After School Sports Club Year 4, 5 and 6 Choir

Dates for Diary - October 2026

Friday 2 nd	Year 6, Returning from Residential Trip Year 5, Class 7 After School Sports Club
Monday 5 th	Year 4, Class 4 After School Sports Club
Tuesday 6 th	Year 3, Class 1 After School Sports Club
Wednesday 7 th	Year 6, Class 10 After School Sports Club Year 4, 5 and 6 Choir

Training Day Update - next training day is on Friday 13th November 2026

Message from Mrs Ali - Chair of Trustees

I hope the term has started smoothly for you and your families. As Chair of Trustees for Loriners Multi Academy Trust, I wanted to take a moment to share a few thoughts as we settle into the rhythm of the new school year.

As a parent, I echo Ms Bracebridge's thoughts from the first newsletter in that the first few weeks often bring a mix of excitement and nerves for children (and parents!), whether they are adapting to new routines or returning to familiar ones. We want every child to feel calm, supported, and able to approach their learning with confidence as the term unfolds.

As a board, we welcome feedback and open discussion about any aspect of your child's experience. Your voice matters, and early conversations help us ensure every child has the best possible time in school. The Board and I are fully committed to supporting strong leadership, high standards, and the continued success of Loriners MAT.

Thank you for your continued trust and support. I look forward to seeing our children grow, learn, and thrive throughout the year.

We are delighted to introduce our school representatives this year!

School Council

Year 3 - Mason, Yuvish, Noor

Year 4 - Malaikai, Alana, Anum

Year 5 - Karan, Taranpreet, Joven

Year 6 - Jasnoor, Hareem, Japnoor



House Captains

Red - Avani, Conrad

Blue - Jasleen, Aash

Green - Sumbul, Taha

Yellow - Sienna, George



SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

100% Daily Attendance during Autumn Term

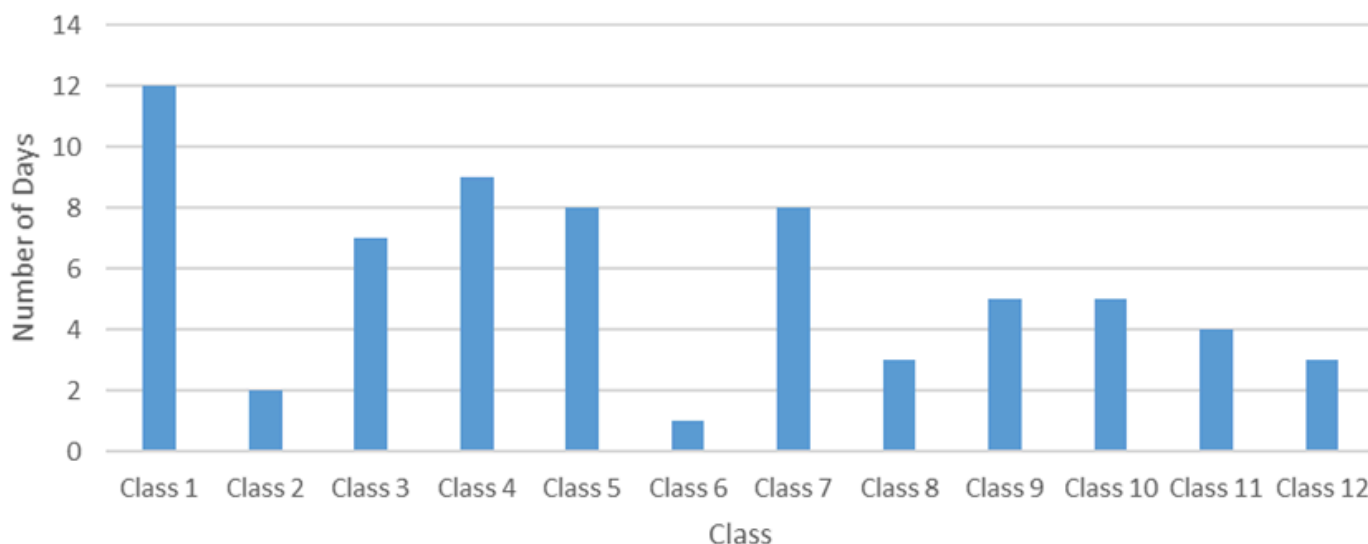
ALWAYS HERE... ALWAYS LEARNING!

Class 1 - best attenders overall!

Class 1, Class 4, Class 7 and **Class 10** for
best attenders in their year group!

Year 3 for best year group attenders!

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Canal and River Trust AGM

There is a meeting at Park Hall Community Centre near the shops for the Canal and River Trust AGM at **7:00pm on Tuesday October 13th** and they cordially invite parents and carers to join them for the evening to learn about the voluntary work maintaining the Rushall Canal for the Canal and River Trust, the environmental activities, litter collection, tree planting and the air, water and soil quality measurements. You may also be interested in joining their regular walking and cycling groups.

They have invited a guest speaker to the evening to talk about building the resilience of future towns and cities to the challenges of air, water and soil pollution, rising energy costs, floods, drought, nutrition and other threats to children's futures.



PARENTS EVENING

Thursday 24th September 2026
3.50pm - 7pm

It is important that you understand how well your child is settling into their new class and year group.

We still have appointments available for Thursday. Please call the school office to book an appointment for you.

If you would like to meet with Mrs Dickson, our SENCO, please contact the School Office to book an appointment.

We look forward to meeting you.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS



The photographers will be in school on **Thursday 8th October** to take our yearly individual and sibling photographs of children. Please make sure your child is in full school uniform on their photograph day; all years should now be wearing their school tie as part of their uniform. **Please remember to complete slips for sibling photographs only.**



CONSIDERATE PARKING!

We work closely with Walsall Council, through the A*Stars Programme, we also work closely with PCSO Littlehales who is very supportive.

We have and will continue to receive occasional warden visits to the area at the start or end to the school day through which drivers are advised and/or fined.

We ask that if poor, ill advised, illegal or dangerous parking is evident that a quick photograph of the vehicle and licence plate is taken (such as the evidence you have provided to us) and is emailed directly to the police at

contactus@westmidlands.pnn.police.uk
and Walsall Council at carparks@walsall.gov.uk

As part of our ongoing commitment to keeping our school community safe, we would like to remind everyone that the school car park is, first and foremost, a car park. This means vehicles will be moving in and out throughout the day.

For everyone's safety — especially our children — please take extra care when walking through the area. Please remember to use designated footpaths, hold children's hands, and remain mindful of vehicles that may be manoeuvring. Thank you for helping us keep our school environment safe for all.

We have been advised that the link below is for contacting police for illegal parking:
<https://www.westmidlands.police.uk/ro/report/asb/asb-v3/report-antisocial-behaviour/>

Contact Walsall Council to keep them informed and allow them to monitor our school area:
<https://go.walsall.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/parking-and-travel/tell-us-about-parking-problems>

This link is used to report illegal parking, notably parking on zigzag lines, parking dangerously or parking in a way that prevents emergency vehicle access.

Secondary School Applications for September 2027 Closing Date - 31st October 2026

Applying for a secondary school place for your child is an important step in your child's educational journey. For those encountering this for the first time we know that this process may feel a little overwhelming. However, there is plenty of help and advice to support all parents applying. It is advised that parents submit their application before the end of Autumn 1 on Friday 23rd October 2026 - particularly if you think you may need assistance.

The online portal is open for applications and the deadline for applications is 31st October 2026. All details needed to make your online application may be found on the Walsall Council website. Home— Schools and Learning— Apply for a Secondary School Place Online applications are made to the local authority where you reside and pay your Council Tax to, for example, Sandwell, Birmingham, Wolverhampton, etc. Residents in these boroughs will need to create an account, if you have not already done so, prior to completion.

If you wish to speak to us, please do so before Friday 23rd October 2026. If you apply late, you may not get a place at one of your preferred schools. If you live outside Walsall, you should complete an application from your home local authority (even if you are applying for a Walsall school).

School Website

Please note, we are having technical issues with our website, therefore we are unable to update it at present.