

Key Dates This Term

Jeans For Genes Day
Friday 18 September

(see main section for further details)

Term Dates

**Open – Wednesday 2
September**

Close – Friday 16
October

**Open – Tuesday 3
November**

Close – Friday 18
December

**Open – Tuesday 5
January 2021**

EVERYday
counts
attendance matters

1 st Reception	100%
1 st Year 1	100%
1 st Year 2	100%
1 st Year 3	100%
1 st Year 4	100%
1 st Year 6	100%
7 th Year 5	98.6%



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First Week

It has been wonderful to see St Chad's full again with our pupils this week. The children have settled back very well in to the school routines and have been enjoying getting to know their new class teachers and getting back to learning in the classroom.

I have enjoyed meeting and getting to know the children this week and also meeting parents in a morning and evening on the gate. I have had a very warm welcome from the school community and am looking forward to working together in the future.

Mrs Hirst

Arrival and Departure of Pupils

With the exception of the pouring rain on Wednesday afternoon, the procedures for children arriving and leaving school have worked smoothly. Please try to wait for your child's designated time before coming down the path, to allow for social distancing and maintaining our class bubbles.

If you would like to pick up siblings together at the same time, please let Mrs Horner in the office know by email at: office@stchads.trinitymat.org

Star of the Week and Celebration Assemblies

Until we are able to welcome parents back in to the school building, celebration assemblies will instead take place in the classroom. Stars of the week will still be awarded. Myself, Mrs Smith and Mr Smaldon will all be visiting the assemblies at some point over the term, to celebrate the children's achievements.

Jeans for Genes Day

St Chad's Primary Academy will be taking part in this year's Jeans for Genes Day on Friday 18 September.

1 in 25 children have a genetic disorder that makes their life very difficult. That is one in every class. Simply by wearing our jeans and donating, we will change the lives of these children. All children and staff are invited to wear their jeans on 18 September. We would like everyone to take part so please send your child into school on the day wearing their jeans and make a £1 donation on My Child At School. Please note, your child should wear the rest of their school uniform with their jeans: this includes their shirt, tie, jumper or cardigan and school shoes.

Jeans for Genes Day have a series of powerful films to explain how your child's donation will make a difference. Each film provides a compelling and personal insight, introducing some amazing children living with genetic disorders, sharing first-hand what life is like with their condition. Please visit jeansforgenes.org/schools for more information and to view these films.

If you'd like to find out more about how our support will help, please visit their website at jeansforgenes.org

Year 6 Open Evenings

Unfortunately, due to the current situation with Covid 19, Trinity Academy Halifax and Trinity Academy Sowerby Bridge will not be holding the planned Open Evenings on Wednesday and Thursday next week. A new date for the events will be communicated when possible.

Stars of the Week



Reception:

Megan C

Lyra R

Year 1:

The Whole Class

Year 2:

Layla D

Lucas O

Year 3:

Joseph H

Solana M-G

Year 4:

Frankie P

Madeleine D

Year 5:

Caleb W

Layla T

Year 6:

George Mc

Amelie C

Congratulations to all our Stars of the Week for their great achievement!