



Our Lady Weekly Newsletter 18th May 2026

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding

Deputy Child Protection Officers: Kate Davenport, Lauren Stone

Named Governor for Child Protection: Angie Baldwin



This week's Gospel Value

Compassion

This week, Jesus reminds us how much He cares for every single person. He asks us to do the same – to notice when someone needs help and to show kindness, even in small ways.

Your mission this week:

Look for one person who might need a bit of extra care – someone who is sad, lonely, worried, or left out – and do something kind to lift them up.

It could be:

- sitting with someone who's on their own
- helping a friend who's struggling
- using gentle words when someone makes a mistake
- offering to play with someone new
- giving a smile or a kind word to brighten someone's day



Awards last week

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Grayson Ethan Jeslin	Hattie Theo Theodor	Sade Aimee Aaliyah	Mia O'B Ovie Pixie	Oceana Isabelle Olivia	Harper Shivadha Jeremy	All of year 6 for doing amazingly well managing the stresses of SATS week!

House points



Nye Bevan
Champion of Wealth Equality



Tanni Grey -Thompson
Champion of Disability Equality

Bevan
1323

Thompson
1196

Stephenson
1911

Pankhurst
1973



Paul Stephenson
Champion of Racial Equality



Emmeline Pankhurst
Champion of Gender Equality

Upcoming Events

Monday 18th May	2.15-3.15pm Meeting for parents with children with SEND
Tuesday 19th May	Stay and Play Reception
Wednesday 20th May	9-9.30am Peace and Forgiveness assembly led by Year 1
Thursday 21st May	Fire Service Visit
Friday 22nd May	9-10am Celebration assembly

May Half Term Holiday Camps

Keep children active and smiling at our Multi Sports Camp! Packed with fun sports, team games, and new friendships, it's the perfect way to enjoy the holidays.

Tuesday 26th - Friday 29th May

Early Drop 08:00am - 10:00am

Full Day 10:00am - 4:00pm

Late Collection 4:00pm - 5:30pm

Oldway Primary School, Paignton
Abbey School, Torquay

Spaces are limited, so please book early to secure your child's place.
www.kineticsportsgroup.co.uk



01803 424577

info@kineticsportsgroup.co.uk



Year 6
only

YEAR 6
Leavers
PROM

 FRIDAY 17TH JULY 2026

 5.30PM TO 7.30PM

 IN THE SCHOOL HALL

— ★ —
DRESS CODE — ★ —
Smart Casual

Summer After School Clubs

Monday

Fun-da-mentals 1&2
Choir 3,4,5,6

FULLY BOOKED

Tuesday

Really Wild Club R,1&2
Boy's Football 3,4,5&6

FULLY BOOKED

Chess 4,5&6 (Lunchtime)
Showcase Drama KS2

FULLY BOOKED

Wednesday

Girls Football 3,4,5&6
Gardening KS2 (Lunchtime)

Thursday

Cooking Year 1
Showcase Dance KS2
Digital Designers 4,5&6

FULLY BOOKED

Friday

Sunshine Club KS2
Science Club R

All clubs are free and are available to book online via your ParentPay.



Our Target is 95%



Whole school attendance this week 95.9%

Current overall attendance 95.6%

This week's trend 0%

Attendance Concerns



Stephanie Musselwhite is our Attendance and Welfare Officer. Her job is to monitor attendance regularly to ensure that, where possible, every child is in school on time, every day.

Our goal is to get every child's attendance above 96%.

If you need help, with improving your child's attendance, please leave a message with the office and she will contact you.



Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.00 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You must inform us of your child's symptoms.

Is my child too ill for school? (Government advice)

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

If your child arrives after 9am (after registers close) this is recorded as an unauthorised session (unless evidence of a medical appointment has been provided).



Uniform Reminders

- White shirt with collar
- School tie (Riviera School days)
- Grey long sleeved V-neck jumper with stripe and school logo (Riviera School days). **Plain grey jumpers are not permitted.**
- Grey skirt (with a pleat), pinafore, trousers or shorts - please avoid stretchy and clingy fabrics
- A royal blue gingham dress may be worn in the warmer months
- Grey tights or socks or white ankle or knee length socks & plain black shoes, trainers or boots without heels

Additional Items: Wellies for Reception children attending Forest School. Sun hats during sunny weather. PE kit.

Keeping the focus on Learning

To keep everyone safe, children are only permitted to wear simple ear studs and watches. False nails are not permitted! We also ask that nail polish and makeup are kept for outside school.

We recognise that school uniform items are expensive however we will not be able to assist in looking for missing items unless they have been clearly labelled with your child's name.



Contact us:

Our Lady of the Angels, Queensway, Torquay TQ2 6DB

Tel: 01803 613095

Email: admin@olota.uk

Website: ourladyoftheangels.co.uk

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding
Deputy Child Protection Officers: Kate Davenport, Lauren Stone
Named Governor for Child Protection: Angie Baldwin