



All Saints Catholic Primary School

News

Dear Parents,

School closes today for half-term and the children return on Monday 24th February. The term continues until Friday 4th April when school closes for Easter.

Children's Centre SWAN Session

We will be holding our next SWAN session on Monday 3rd March at 1.30pm until 2.30pm. Our guest speaker this month will be Mrs Higgott, who will be available to talk to about communication difficulties and the use of SignAlong. Please see attached flyers or contact us on 0151 233 4001 for more information.

R1 Celebrating Their Ice Theme



Reception Readers

Reception children enjoying stories at Anfield with Archbishop Beck High School children and the LFC foundation.



Attendance

Attendance and Punctuality

It is important that your child is on time for school each day, so that they can benefit from a full day's education.

A reminder that holidays during school time are not authorised whatever the circumstances and a local authority fine will be issued. If you do take your child on holiday, please inform us before you go as it could become a safeguarding issue if we cannot contact you.

Please report any absences before 9.00am via Seesaw or telephone call. If you have any difficulties getting your child to school and especially around lateness please contact Mrs Kelly.

If you are taking your child out of school during the school day, you must show a letter/email/appointment card. Please do your best to make appointments outside of school hours.

Absence Reporting - Seesaw

When reporting an absence please make sure you select both the 'Absence Reporting' and 'School Office' options as well as your class teacher.

This will ensure the right staff are receiving the information needed and you are not being contacted unnecessarily.

If you are sharing information regarding collection of a child or appointments they may have, please make sure you select the 'School Office' option as well as your class teacher. Thank you!

Supervision After School Hours

We would like to remind you of our after-school supervision policy to ensure the safety and well-being of all our students. Please be aware that there is no supervision available for children after the end of the school day. It is important that all children are picked up promptly at the end of their school day.

For safety reasons, any child who is not collected by 3:45 PM will be placed in our Night Owls provision. This ensures that all children are supervised in a safe environment until they can be picked up. Please note that there is a £10 charge for this service, which will be billed to parents.

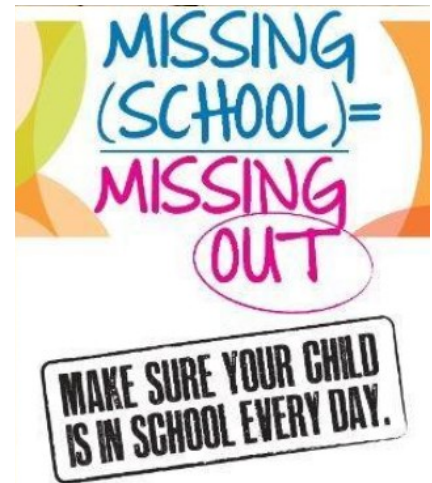
We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring that all children are picked up on time and that our school remains a safe and secure place for everyone.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

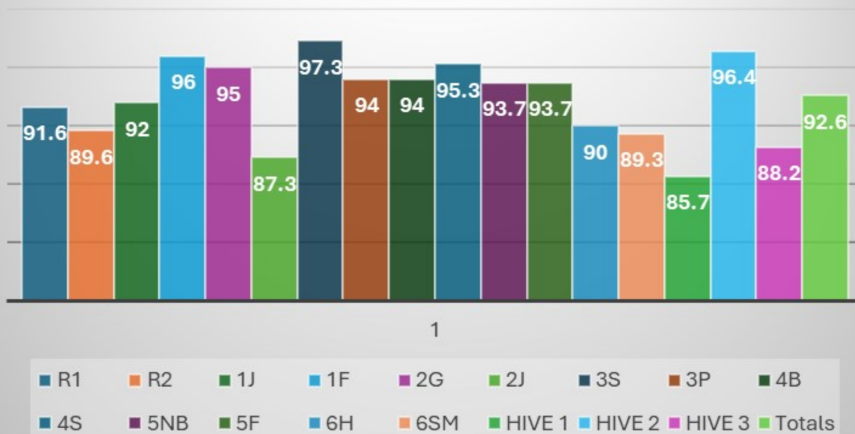


Good school attendance supports children to feel confident and happy about school and learning

As a parent you can support your child to enjoy school life to the full by ensuring they **attend school EVERY day and also arrive on time.**



Attendance W/B 10th February 2025



Prayer and Liturgy

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today we hear about Jesus' special love for those who are poor, hungry, sad or badly treated. Let's think a bit more about this.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 6:17, 20-26

When Jesus had come down from the hill with the apostles, he stood on a level place with a large number of his disciples. A large crowd of people was there from all over Judea and from Jerusalem and from the coast cities of Tyre and Sidon;

Jesus looked at his disciples and said,

"Happy are you poor; the Kingdom of God is yours!

"Happy are you who are hungry now; you will be filled!

"Happy are you who weep now; you will laugh!

"Happy are you when people hate you, reject you, insult you, and say that you are evil, all because of the Son of Man! Be glad when that happens and dance for joy, because a great reward is kept for you in heaven. For their ancestors did the very same things to the prophets.

"But how terrible for you who are rich now; you have had your easy life!

"How terrible for you who are full now; you will go hungry!

"How terrible for you who laugh now; you will mourn and weep!

"How terrible when all people speak well of you; their ancestors said the very same things about the false prophets."

Jesus talks to the disciples, saying that some of the people will end up happy, while other people will not. Can you remember some of the people who he said would be happy?

Jesus says those who are poor will be happy, because the kingdom of God belongs to them.

Jesus says those who are hungry will be happy, they will have enough to eat.

Jesus says those who cry will be happy, their tears will change to laughter.

Jesus says those who are hated and badly treated for believing in him will be happy, because they will be rewarded in heaven.

Can you remember who Jesus says wouldn't be happy and why not?

Jesus says those who are rich have everything they need now, and so do not need the gifts of heaven.

Jesus says those who have more than enough food now, will go hungry, and that those who laugh will be filled with sadness.

It can seem strange to us that it is those who are poor, or hungry, or even those who are sad, that Jesus says will be happiest. And it can seem very strange that Jesus says that those who are rich and happy with lots to eat will end up sad. It seems a bit upside down, doesn't it?

So, why do you think Jesus said these things?

It's not Jesus' thinking that's upside down. It's ours. He doesn't want us to think that the only way we can be happy is to have lots of money and all the best toys and latest stuff.

Jesus loves all people, but he has a special love for people who are poor, hungry, sad or picked on. And he asks us to be the same.

We are called to do what we can to help all people in our world to be happy. What do you think we can do to help people who are poor, hungry, sad, or treated badly by others?

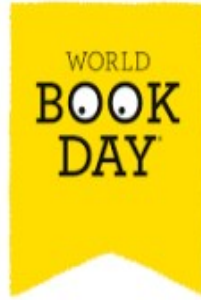
We can share what we have, we can comfort them. We can stick up for them and try to change the world to make it fairer for all people.

What will you do this week if you see someone who is sad, hungry or hurt?

God of love,
open our hearts to others,
that we may bring comfort
to those who are sad,
and share what we have
with those who are in need.
Amen.



Celebrating with



Dear Parents,

On Thursday 6th March 2025, we will be celebrating World Book Day. As this coincides with the launch of Science week, we will be asking children to dress as a scientific word.

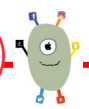
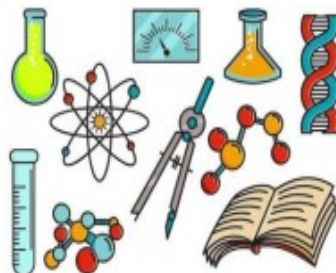
This can be in the form of any Science system. Children may want to dress up as a particular animal, season, weather type or scientist. There will be a competition for the best technical vocabulary so, for example, if a child dressed as a butterfly, their word could be lepidoptera, or a child dressing as a different character, their word could be phenotypic.

We will be holding a vocabulary parade throughout the day and children will be taking part in a variety of experiments that link to books and Science.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

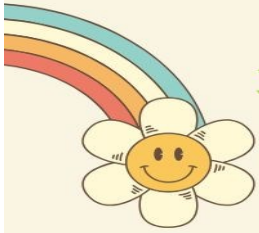
Thank you

Mrs Best





SWAN



Join us for a supported play session for babies and children who have special needs, a physical or learning disability.



Explore new play opportunities, meet new families and discover the services and benefits that are available to your child, you and the family.

1st Monday of the Month



Monthly guest speakers from external agencies who can answer any questions, discuss concerns you may have.



Has your child got communication difficulties?

Come along to a signalong workshop to find out ways to help them communicate their needs.

Signalong is a key word sign-supported communication system based on British sign language and is used in spoken word order. It uses speech, sign, body language, facial expression and voice tone to reference the link between sign and word.

If you are interested in attending a 1-hour workshop, contact the school office on 0151 263 9561 where more information will be given.





Stars of The Week

Kian - Oak Room - for following routine and listening to instructions
 Casey - Oak Room - for having a fantastic week and engaging in activities
 Reuben - Oak Room - for good progress in Phonics



The Whole Class - R1 -
 for showing such enthusiasm and excitement when celebrating our ice theme
 Barok - R2 - for trying super hard in phonics!
 Bitanya - R2 - for great listening in class!



Minnie - 1F - for creating a fantastic piece of art
 Paisley - 1F - for writing an amazing postcard

Isabelle - 2G - for her independent writing on Bog Baby
 Jeremiah - 2G - for his creative artwork showing the Holy Trinity
 Aiden - 2J - for trying his hardest in Maths when making groups of different amounts
 Frankie - 2J - for a brilliant postcard about Wales

Tallulah - 3S - for fantastic work in Science testing the different properties of rocks
 Vincent - 3S - for fantastic work in Science testing the different properties of rocks
 Oliver Q - 3P - for outstanding effort in Mr Thompson's music
 Xu - 3P - for amazing singing during music



Daniel Br - 4B - for wonderful experimentation in Art
 Grace P - 4B - for excellent work with division

Emmett - Butterfly Class - for using a dramatic voice when reading role play scripts
 Kai - Firefly Class - for working hard on his communication and interaction skills

