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Friday 21st March 2025



All Saints Catholic Primary School



Dear Parents,

Parents' Evenings

Next week, there is a chance for parents to meet your child's teacher to discuss his/her progress since last term. Your child's books will be available to have a look through, so either arrive beforehand or stay after your appointment to have a look through these. Please note that ALL after school clubs will be cancelled next week due to Parents' Evenings.

School Photographs

The school photographer will be taking the children's photographs on Thursday 3rd April from 9.00am. A letter has been sent home this week with full details.

Wake and Shake

Wake and Shake will now be taking place on Wednesdays and Fridays each week with an addition of some awards. The most enthusiastic class will be awarded the 'Wake and Shake' trophy which they will keep for a week. There will also be a certificate awarded to the best shaker which comes along with 10 dojos! We can't wait to see you all bright and early.

Lenten Bazaar

On Thursday 3rd April our school will be hosting a Lenten Bazaar! The bazaar is a marketplace where we will be hoping to fundraise as much as possible for CAFOD but we need your help! We are looking for family or friends of All Saints who are willing to donate time, resources or talents to help support us in this cause.

Do you: Have items that could be donated as raffle prizes? Have a talent for baking and would like to contribute to our baked goods stall? Have crafts or other items that you could sell at your own stall donating a percentage of your profits to our charitable cause? Have used books that you could donate to a book sale stall? Have gently used toys that could be donated to a toy stall? Have time to give to help run a stall at our bazaar on 3rd April after school? If so, please email Mrs Dunn j.dunn@allsaintsanfield.co.uk to discuss ways that you can get involved.

Lent Masses

During Lent our children will be going to church on Wednesdays at 9.30am. We continue this coming Wednesday with Years 4 & 6.

Library Visit

Mrs Suarez and some Year 5 children visited the Central library for a story time and STEM learning session. Children received a library card to access all Liverpool libraries and were exceptionally well behaved, our hosts were very impressed. Thank you to LFC for hosting the event.







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

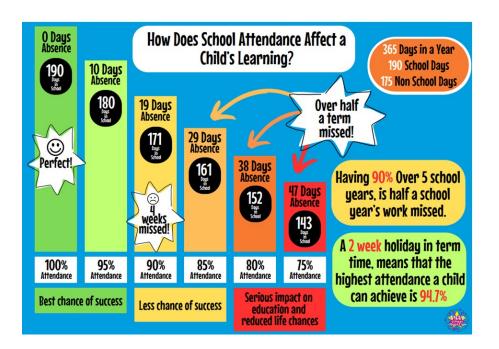
We would like to remind you of our after-school supervision policy to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all our students. Please be aware that there is no supervision available for children after the end of the school day. It is important that all children are picked up promptly at the end of their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

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Spring Term Dates



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Week beginning 24 th March	Parents' Evenings	Appointments to be made via Parents' Booking website
Wednesday 26 th March	Class Mass	Year 4 & 6 Church
Friday 28 th March	Sacrament of Reconciliation	45 Church
Monday 31 st March	Break the Rules Day	Whole School
Wednesday 2 nd April	School Easter Service	Whole School
Thursday 3rd April	Lenten Bazaar	3:00pm-5:00pm in the School Hall
Friday 4 th April	Easter Bonnet Parade Egg-Stravaganza Talent Show	EYFS/KS1 KS2 KS2

Further information will be sent out about individual events in due course





To All Parents

Our annual Easter bonnet parade will take place on

Friday 4th April.

Children are invited to create a colourful bonnet to wear during our Easter bonnet parade.

There will be a prize for the best creation in each class.

Good luck!





Friday 4th April



Will your design have an important message, make us laugh or be egg-stra creative?

enter – you could win an egg-cellent prize!

Educate





Prayer and Liturgy Second Sunday of Lent

This week Jesus tells a story about a tree that did not bear any fruit and all the things that the gardener planned to try to make it grow better. People are like trees, they need certain things to grow and be healthy too.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Luke 13:1-9

At that time some people were there who told Jesus about the Galileans whom Pilate had killed while they were offering sacrifices to God. Jesus answered them, "Because those Galileans were killed in that way, do you think it proves that they were worse sinners than all the other Galileans? No indeed! And I tell you that if you do not turn from your sins, you will all die as they did. What about those eighteen people in Siloam who were killed when the tower fell on them? Do you suppose this proves that they were worse than all the other people living in Jerusalem? No indeed! And I tell you that if you do not turn from your sins, you will all die as they did." Then Jesus told them this parable: "There was once a man who had a fig tree growing in his vineyard. He went looking for figs on it but found none. So he said to his gardener, 'Look, for three years I have been coming here looking for figs on this fig tree, and I haven't found any. Cut it down! Why should it go on using up the soil?' But the gardener answered, 'Leave it alone, sir, just one more year: I will dig round it and put in some manure. Then if the tree bears figs next year, so much the better; if not, then you can have it cut down.'"

Jesus told a parable. A parable is a story which teaches us something. Jesus liked to use stories to explain things that were complicated. The parable Jesus tells us today is about a fig tree. The man who had planted the fig tree came out to pick some fruit, but there wasn't any. How do you think the man felt? What did he decide to do?

The man had been waiting for three years for the tree to give him some fruit. He was angry and disappointed. He asked his gardener to cut down the tree. But what did the gardener say? The gardener asks for one more year to look after the tree – to dig round it and give it some manure to help it grow. Plants and trees need the right conditions to grow and the gardener hopes that by doing this, the tree will grow fruit.

People need the right conditions to live their lives well too. Everyone needs enough food and water to stay healthy and strong. What else do we need to live? (*e.g. love, shelter, clean air to breathe, peace*)

Lokho lives in a small village in Kenya, where there was no rain for almost three years. When her cows and goats died because of the lack of water, she had no other way to feed her family. It is very hard to live without water and it is hard to grow food too. But Lokho and the other women in her village have learnt some new skills for growing food in very hot and dry places. They have special shade nets that protect their crops from the scorching sun and they use dry grass as mulch to keep as much moisture in the soil as possible.

The women work together and share with one another as Lokho explains, "Unity is strength - that is what we believe. Everything in this place is done as a community."

The fig tree in Jesus' story is supposed to share its fruit with the man who planted it, but it is not doing what it is supposed to. Sometimes we are a bit like the fig tree. We do not share as well as we could.

So, if the fig tree in Jesus' story is a bit like us, who do you think the gardener is?

The gardener is like Jesus. The gardener gives the fig tree another chance and gives it all the things it needs to live. Jesus is always ready to forgive us when we have done something wrong. And Jesus shows us how we should live our lives.

God gives us the chance to change, to share what we have and to do all that we can to make sure that all people have the things that they need to live.

How does it make you feel to know this?

What will you do this Lent, to help build a better world?

Creator God, you gave us a world full of wonderful things. May we share these fairly with each other so all people have the chance to grow and live happy lives. Amen.



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Stars of The Week



Albie - Oak Room - for showing good listening skills Lilianna - Oak Room - for settling well into Oak Room



Hallie - R1 - for fantastic maths work on doubles Mia - R1 - for working really hard on her reading Maeva - R2 - for kindness to everyone in class, being a lovely friend to all! Kayden - R2 - for working super hard in phonics and maths!

Jack - 1J - for an excellent piece of writing Bella - 1J - for good understanding of mass and capacity Francis - 1J - for significant improvement in his attitude to learning Rosy - 1F - for always having a positive attitude Shea - 1F - for always having a positive attitude

Leon - 2G - for fantastic story writing Michael - 2G - for fantastic story writing Hafsa - 2G - for fantastic story writing Charlie - 2J - for trying hard to improve his handwriting Kendall - 2J - for trying hard to make progress with her times tables

> Roma - 3P - for amazing work in History Albie - 3P - for great work in Science

Honey - 4B - for great understanding of how sound travels James - 4B - for showing understanding of peace and unity in everyday situations



Awng-Sai - 5B- for outstanding progress in writing Hanna - 5B- for outstanding progress in writing - 5F- for - 5F- for

Riley - 6H- for his outstanding attitude towards his work this week Lacey - 6H- for all her hard work this week. She has been a star

Zak - Firefly Class - for requesting, interacting and playing throughout the week Emmett - Butterfly Class - for tasting mango, blueberries and pineapple in our fruit tasting

