



Snow White Pantomime

We're excited to share that a performance of Snow White will be visiting our school on Tuesday 20th January. The show will begin at 1:45pm, and we expect it to finish in time for the usual dismissal. There's a chance the performance may run slightly over, so we kindly ask for your patience if collection is a little later than normal.

It's set to be a fantastic afternoon for the children, and we can't wait for them to enjoy the magic of panto!

All Saints Sustainability Action Plan

All Saints is currently writing a new Sustainability Action Plan, and we're eager to involve our whole school community in shaping it. This work will help us strengthen our commitment to caring for our environment and creating meaningful, long-term change within our school.

We would love to have both parents and children involved, whether that's sharing ideas, helping with projects, or simply learning more about what sustainability could look like at All Saints.

If you're interested in being part of this movement or would like more information, please contact s.kelly@allsaintsanfield.co.uk.

Together, we can build a greener future for our school.

Mobile Phones in School

A reminder that children should not bring mobile phones into school. Phones can easily distract from learning, pose online safety concerns, and may be lost or damaged during the school day. To help us maintain a safe and focused environment, please ensure your child does not have a phone with them.

If your child needs to carry a mobile phone for essential safety reasons, this must be discussed and agreed with their class teacher beforehand. Thank you for your support in keeping our school a calm and secure place for everyone.

Our News

If you have any news that you would like to share with us for our newsletter, please email Sharon McTigue at s.mctigue@allsaintsanfield.co.uk with a photo or a brief outline of the event - we would love to share it!

Backyard Nature Campaign Impact Celebration & Better World Award Launch

A huge thank you to everyone involved in making our Backyard Nature Campaign impact celebration such a meaningful and successful event. It has been wonderful to highlight the power of pupil voice and to see how passionately our children engage with projects that make a real difference to their environment and community.

As part of the celebration, we were delighted to launch our new Better World Award. This annual award will recognise an outstanding pupil-led project that shows commitment to creating positive change and making the world a better place. We look forward to seeing the inspiring ideas and actions our pupils will continue to bring forward.

Allergies

I'd like to remind everyone of our commitment to keeping All Saints Catholic Primary School a safe and inclusive environment for all children. We have several pupils with severe nut allergies, and for their safety, we must ensure that no products containing nuts are brought into school.

Please be vigilant when preparing packed lunches and snacks, checking ingredient labels carefully to avoid items such as peanut butter, Nutella, cereal bars with nuts, and other nut-based products. Even trace amounts can pose a serious risk. Your support in this matter is deeply appreciated and helps us protect the health and wellbeing of every child in our care. Thank you for working with us to keep our school community safe.

Headteacher's Award

Jack Rooney

Samera Walker

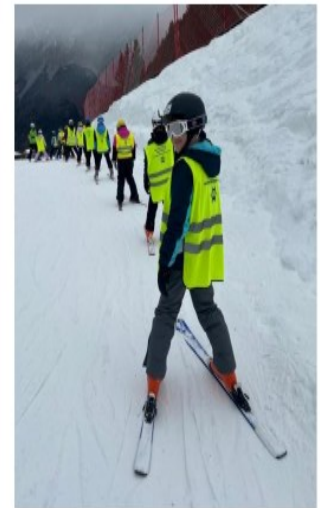
John Paul Kielty



Last week, a very excited group of pupils and staff headed to Bormio, Italy, for our annual ski trip – and what a brilliant week it turned out to be. From the moment we arrived, the children represented our school beautifully. Their behaviour, manners, and teamwork were consistently praised by instructors, hotel staff, and members of the public. They were a credit to themselves and to our whole school community.

On the slopes, the progress was remarkable. Many pupils were complete beginners on day one, yet by the end of the week they were confidently navigating runs, controlling their speed, and showing real resilience as they mastered new skills. Those with more experience pushed themselves to refine their technique and take on new challenges. Watching their confidence grow each day was a real highlight for staff.

A huge thank you to the staff team who supported the trip, and to our pupils for making it such a memorable and successful week. We're already looking forward to next year's adventure!



Ski Trip to Bormio 2026





All Saints Catholic Primary School

Oakfield, Anfield, Liverpool, L4 2QG

Tel: 0151 263 9561 Website: www.allsaintsanfield.co.uk

Mrs J Dunn, Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

Starting on Monday 2nd February, we will be celebrating Maths Week. Throughout the week, the children will take part in lots of fun activities, games, and maths puzzles.

Monday will also mark the start of our Times Tables Rock Stars competition. We encourage all children to collect as many points as possible during the week. We will be celebrating all of the children's hard work in both Maths Week activities and the TT Rock Stars competition with 'Rockstar Day' on Friday.

Parents will also be invited to partake in a 'stay and play' based on maths games and activities – please keep your eye on See Saw, class teachers will send out dates and times for individual classes!

On Friday 6th February, children are invited to dress up as a Times Table Rock Star for Numbers Day. Numbers Day is run by the NSPCC and we kindly ask you to consider bringing in a voluntary £1 donation for this worthwhile charity.

Please see the attached poster for more information about what to expect during our fun-filled Maths Week.

We hope the children are looking forward to Maths Week, and we look forward to seeing all of our Maths Rockstars on Friday 6th February!

Kind regards,

Miss Stanley



MATHS WEEK 2026!

Monday 2nd – Friday 6th February

MATHS WEEK 2026!

Get Ready for a Week Full of Fun,
Challenges & Brainpower!

Estimation Station

Fun challenges to estimate!

Times Tables Rockstars Competition

Show off your times tables skills!

Maths Relay Races

Race to solve problems as a team!

Mathematician Day

Discover amazing mathematicians!

Maths Escape Rooms

Solve clues and crack codes!

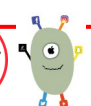
Art Day: Maths Meets Art

Create maths-inspired artwork!

The Grand Finale!

Celebrate with games, fun and rockstar style!

Let's Make Maths Week 2026 Legendary!



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 3:30pm 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 an £11 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.

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

TIPS FOR PARENTS BY PARENTS

Don't give in!
Follow through.

Be organised! Get everything ready from the night before. Have their coats and bags at the door, their lunch made and their clothes on the banisters.

Treat it like a military operation in the morning!

Don't give them a choice to stay at home.

Give yourself 15 minutes before the kids get up.

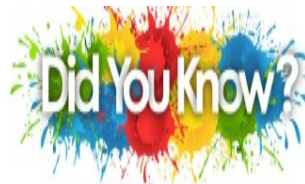
No TV, iPad or phones allowed in the morning.

Keep talking about the importance of school.

Early to bed the night before school, especially after holidays.

Come back to school after doctor/ dentist appointments.

Know how many days your child has missed in school.



If your child is **30 minutes** late every day they miss **2 and a half hours** a week. That works out at **4 days** a term and **12 days** a year!

If your child is between 5 and 16 years old and is a registered pupil at school, it is your legal responsibility to make sure they attend regularly.

If your child misses **1 day** of school a week they miss **7 and a half weeks** a year. This is more than half a term of learning!

Prayer and Liturgy

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

We hear about something special that happened to Jesus after his baptism. The Holy Spirit came down and rested on him. We are going to think about the Holy Spirit and how it can help us to do what is right.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 1:29-34

The next day John saw Jesus coming to him, and said, "There is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! This is the one I was talking about when I said, 'A man is coming after me, but he is greater than I am, because he existed before I was born.' I did not know who he would be, but I came baptising with water in order to make him known to the people of Israel."

And John gave his testimony: "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and stay on him. I still did not know that he was the one, but God, who sent me to baptise with water, had said to me, 'You will see the Spirit come down and stay on a man; he is the one who baptises with the Holy Spirit.' I have seen it," said John, "and I tell you that he is the Son of God."

John tells us that he saw the Holy Spirit come down like a dove to rest on Jesus. Because of this, John believed that Jesus was the Son of God.

A dove is one way that the Holy Spirit shows itself, but most of the time the Spirit is invisible. We cannot see it.

One way to think about the Holy Spirit is like the wind. You cannot see the wind, but you can see the branches of a tree moving when the wind blows. Or you can see a windmill spinning round (you could demonstrate this if you have a paper windmill). Can you think of any other examples of when you can see the wind?

The wind can be very strong. The wind can also be very helpful. (You could show a picture of a sailing boat or a wind turbine.)

Like the wind, the Holy Spirit helps us. We receive the Holy Spirit when we are baptised and the Spirit stays with us all through our lives, helping us to do things that are difficult.

Jesus asks us to love other people, to care for people who are sick and to be signs of hope in our world, especially to people who are poor. This is not always easy, especially when people are in different countries to us. But when we do these things, other people can see the Holy Spirit working through us, just as we can see the wind in the trees.

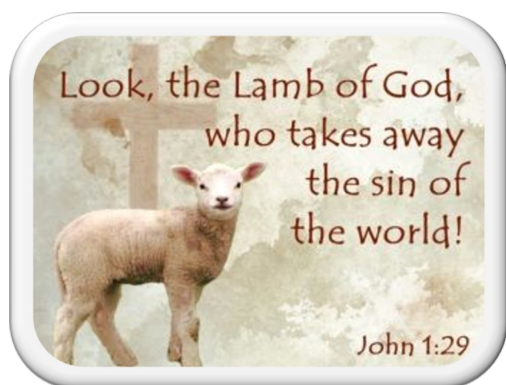
Brian lives and works in Kenya, training young people in farming so that they can earn a living and look after the environment. He says:

"God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and love. With God's strength and guidance, you can achieve great things, beyond your wildest dreams."

The Holy Spirit can help us to take care of the world that God has given us. Can you think of ways we can do that?

The Holy Spirit can help us to be kind, generous, brave, and to work together with others to make the world a better place for everyone. Can you think of ways that we can do this?

What could you do this week so that other people can see the Holy Spirit working through you?



*God of power,
fill us with your Spirit
and inspire us to make changes to our lives
so that we can support one another
to build a better world.
Amen*



Stars of The Week

Maeva - 1F - for fantastic work representing teen numbers
Lori - 1F - for amazing work in phonics

Azlan - 2B - for showing resilience when subtracting two 2-digit numbers
Paisley - 2B - for showing good understanding of different life cycles

Kendall - 3H - for her positive attitude towards her learning
Amanda - 3H - for her beautiful presentation and handwriting
Salma - 3P - for outstanding effort and presentation in maths
Harley - 3P - for an excellent piece of work in Geography



Mila - 5J - for demonstrating a mature and conscientious attitude towards her learning
Jacob - 5J - for working hard at home and in school to improve the standard of his reading
Mariam - 5F - for increasing her confidence in answering questions in class!
Noah - 5F - for great effort in all his subjects and excellent behaviour as always!



David - 6S - for excellent contributions in lessons
Kendall - 6S - for her excellent work on fractions in maths
Elliott - 6ST - for starting 2026 with such a fantastic attitude to learning
with brilliant contributions to all of his lessons but especially Guided Reading!
Jorgia S - 6ST - for amazing resilience in maths persevering with long multiplication
and fantastic improvements in times table recall

Kaysan - Hummingbirds Class - for great communication and singing

