



All Saints' CE Primary School

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Dear All Saints' Families,

We hope you all had a wonderful, relaxing Christmas - spending time with your loved ones and would also like to wish you a very Happy New Year. The children have been full of stories today about their Christmas break and all of the amazing things they have been up to.

We finished the Autumn Term with a whole school attendance of 96.3% - this will be being closely monitored in the Spring Term - more information to follow in the near future.

We have another exciting term ahead of us, so I just wanted to provide you with some key dates and timings to keep you up to speed. (I have added the key dates to Dojo now too - apologies if you got lots of notifications during the break - I didn't realise that would happen!).

Key Dates

- Thursday 16th January – Y6 SATs meeting – 5PM. Any parents of Year 6 children are invited to attend to find out information about the assessments.
- Wednesday 22nd January - Reception and Year 1 Phonics Workshop - 5PM. Please come along and find out about our Phonics programme, Little Wandle.
- Wednesday 5th February – Parent meeting for Y3 and 4 – 5PM – for the Laches Wood residential. Please come along, as some important information will be shared and there will be opportunity to ask any questions you may have.
- Friday 7th February - NSPCC Number Day - children are invited to wear non-uniform, but with a number focus. If you can, please send a donation of £1 to support the NSPCC.
- Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February - Half Term

After School Clubs

Clubs start back up this week. Letters will be coming out in the very near future to sign up to EKO club - please remember that the spaces are first come, first served and each session is charged at £6 per child.

Book Club

I'd like to set up a free book swap system to support the Love of Reading that so many of our children have. If your child has any books that they are willing to swap, then please send them in to school and we can add them to the swap library. They can then bring home a book that someone else has donated that they would like to read. It would be lovely if they popped a note in/on the book as a review for others.

This term, all children have a dedicated slot on their timetables to visit the school library too.

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Forest School

Thank you to everyone who has donated things for our new Forest School Provision - we've made a great start. If you are able to offer any further items (particularly logs, log stumps and guttering), please get in touch and let us know.

Times Table Rockstars

As a school, we pay a subscription for all pupils to access the app 'Times Tables Rockstars'. The app supports children with:

- Improving Speed and Accuracy
- Personalised Learning
- Regular Tracking and Feedback
- Fun Competition
- Flexible Learning

Please encourage your child to log in as often as possible - little and often is the most effective way to play. Staff will be re-sending log-in details to ensure that everyone can access from home. We will be running some inter-school competitions in the very near future.

As always, please feel free to come and see me if you want to discuss any aspect of your child's education.

Warmest wishes,

Miss Katie Davies
Acting Head of School

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