All Saints Church of England Primary School

'Playing our part in God's plan as we journey together to achieve the best for ourselves and others.'

Weekly Newsletter

Friday, 9th January 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to the Spring Term! We hope you had a good festive break and a Happy New Year to you all! A huge thank you from all of us on the All Saints Team for the kind messages, cards and treats sent in at the end of term - so very kind and very thoughtful. Thank you!

Well, we have had plenty of 'weather' this week but the children have responded brilliantly and we have tried to get them all outside for fresh air as much as we have been able. Looking towards next week, it looks as if it might be slightly warmer but wet, so please ensure children have the right gear in school (coats, rain-macs etc) so we can get outside as much as possible. Many thanks.

You will receive home on Monday 19th January, this term's PowerPoint (in PDF) outlining your child's curriculum for the term and any key information. If you have any further questions or need more information, please do not hesitate to speak to the office or your child's teacher and they will be happy to help.

Children's Commissioner – A Guide For Parents On Managing Children's Digital Lives

Along with this newsletter today, we have attached a guide from the Children's Commissioner which we received in school this week; '*What I wish my parents or carers knew: A guide for parents on managing children's digital lives'.* We have been asked to send this out. As we know, supporting children's safety is a shared responsibility between families, schools and wider society. For parents and carers, this responsibility has become increasingly complex as children's lives are now deeply inter-twined with the digital world. Many parents face difficult decisions about how to balance protecting children from online harm with enabling access to spaces that are now central to learning, socialising and play. This guide was written with the direct involvement of children in England and it is a reflection of their views.
This is a helpful resource for home and school and strongly urge you to take a look. There is also an activity pack—some parts might be useful with older children. As always, if we can offer any support with this area (parental controls, speaking to your child etc.) please do reach out to us.

Sharing Worships will begin again on 20th January 2026, with Class 3 starting us off. Dates for all classes can be seen at the top of this newsletter. We hope you can join us for your child's Sharing Worship. Parents' Consultations will be held on the week beginning 9th February. Further details will follow with days and times.

Wishing you all a good weekend and a healthy and happy new year.
Kind regards

Jane Hall, Headteacher

Dates for your diary…



20.01.26 Year 3 sharing worship
26.01.26 Year 5 trip to Winchester Science Centre
27.01.26 Year 4 sharing worship
03.02.26 Year 5 sharing worship
Wk begin 9th Feb—Children's Mental Health week
09.02.26—13.02.26 Wheels Up Week
10.02.26 Safer Internet Day
16-20th Feb Half term
23.02.26 INSET Day
24.02.26 First day back to school
24.02.26 Year 6 sharing worship
03.03.26 Year 2 sharing worship

PTA AGM *(please note the slightly later time)***PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM): Thursday 15/1/26, 8:15pm - 8.45pm - Online:** This is an open invite for the All Saints PTA AGM to find out about last year's activities, the plan for this year and learn how you can get involved. To confirm your attendance, please email: allsaintshighcliffepta@gmail.com. The AGM will be online - meeting link: https://meet.google.com/idb-rgzc-xjn

Whole School attendance this week is 95.86%. DfE expectations are that every child has at least 97% attendance. The class with the best attendance this week is Snow Leopards with 98.7%, so well done to them.

A huge congratulations and well done to the following children for being nominated for the weekly class celebration award:

Polar Bears: Oscar & Iris
Jaguars: Chloe B & Iona
Dolphins: Sahana & Darcie-Rose
Lions: Grayson & Buster
Pandas: Josie & Leighton
Snow Leopards: Ellis & Harry
Tigers: Freddie H & Molly

Well done everyone!

Golden Broom Award.
This week, the tidiest classroom and cloak room award goes to Lion Class! Well done to the class for working together.



Collective Worship this week…



This week, we have reflected on Epiphany and the coming of the Wise Men to Jesus. We have thought about what was revealed to the Wise Men at this time. We had time to reflect on what we want for ourselves and others as we start this new year.