All Saints' C.E. Primary School
Class Information For
Year 1

Your child's teacher this year is

Mrs Devitt Hicking

Supported by:

Mrs Mitchell, Mrs Dolan and Miss Raine

Dear Parents,

For those whose children say they have ‘done nothing’ today…

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Devitt Hicking

General Information – Spring Term

P.E.

Please ensure that your child has pumps in school which are named and in a named PE bag to change into for the lesson. We have 2 PE lessons a week but we sometimes get extra sessions from visiting coaches so it is best for them to always have the correct equipment in school. Please make sure that the children have their names in all their school uniform and that long hair is tied back, especially on PE days.

Spring 1 PE days – Thursdays and Fridays
Spring 2 PE days – Wednesdays and Thursdays

Reading.

The children will take part in guided reading sessions each week. During these sessions the children work in groups and take turns to read aloud, discuss plot development, give opinions about the books and make predictions regarding what might happen next. It is important that children complete any reading homework that is set for them in their reading records otherwise they might fall behind the rest of their group. The children also have access to reading activities which have been set for them at www.activelearn.co.uk (Please use the log in which is in your child's reading record and make a note of this at home too for when their books are in school.)

Reading books will be collected in on Wednesdays and given out on Fridays. Please use Active Learn (Bug Club) books on a Wednesday and Thursday evening.

Homework.

I will set homework each **Friday**. This will consist of a piece of Maths, a piece of English and a list of spellings to learn. The children then have until the following **Wednesday** to complete and hand in the two pieces of work. The spelling test will be on **Friday**. A list of the whole term's spellings are as follows:

Spellings

Spellings – Spring Term 2026

Test on 9/1/26	Test on 16/1/26	Test on 23/1/26	Test on 30/1/26
why	which	more	were
where	any	before	because
who	many	other	want
Test on 6/2/26	**Test on 13/2/26**	**Test on 27/2/26**	**Test on 6/3/26**
saw	should	two	does
put	would	four	made
could	right	goes	their
Test on 13/3/26	**Test on 20/3/26**	**Test on 28/3/26**	
once	also	love	
upon	of	cover	
always	eight	after	

Spelling tests will take place each Friday.

Subject	Unit
English	Spring 1 – Non-fiction – Seed dispersal and growth Spring 2 – Narrative (Story based on the characters Jojo and Gran Gran)
Maths	Spring 1 – Place Value (within 50) Addition and Subtraction (within 20) Spring 2 – Length and Height Weight and Volume
Science	Spring 1 – What are the materials that are around us called? Spring 2 – What are out seen body parts called and what do we mean by the five senses?
Foundation Curriculum: RE History Geography Music PE	 Spring 1 and Spring 2 – Who is Jewish and how do they live? Spring 1 – Who were and are the famous Manchester people? Spring 2 -Why are some places in the world hot and some always cold? Whole Spring Term – Singing lessons with Bury Music Service – Our class performance of 'Jack and the Beanstalk musical in Spring 1.) Spring 1 – Football/Hockey Spring 2 – Tennis/Basketball

Art	**Spring 1 – Observational drawing of plants**
Design and Technology	**Spring 2 – Joining textiles**
PSHE	**Spring 1 – Dreams and Goals** **Spring 2 – Healthy Me**
Computing	**Spring 1 – Introduction to Algorithms** **Spring 2 – Algorithms continued.**