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NEWSLETTER

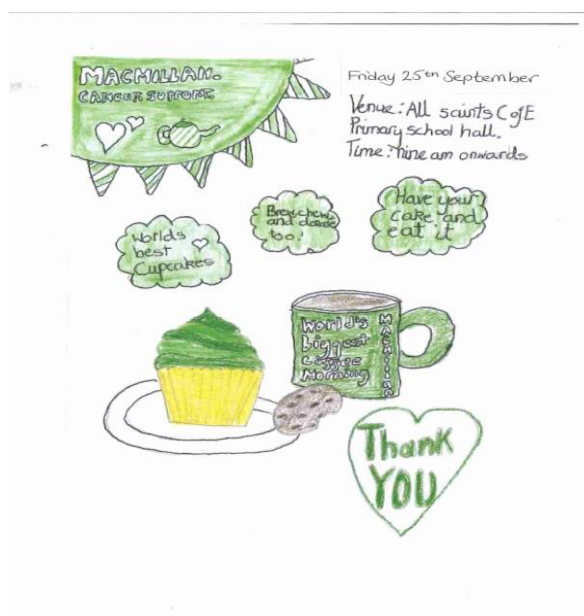
SCHOOL NEWS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Welcome Back - It has been fantastic to see our pupils settle back into school routines with such enthusiasm and positivity. From our youngest to our oldest children, everyone has shown great resilience, kindness, and a real eagerness to learn. Our staff have worked hard to create a welcoming and engaging environment, and it's clear that your encouragement at home has made a big difference.

Macmillan Coffee Morning – We are holding a Macmillan Coffee morning in the school hall on Friday 25th September at 9am. We welcome all Parents/Carers to come along, have a brew and a chat and meet up with other parents and members of our All Saints Community whilst supporting this worthwhile cause.

We will be accepting donations of cakes from Monday 21st Sept and throughout the week. Please hand these to your child's class teacher. Any homemade cakes to be brought on the morning with a list of ingredients.

All proceeds raised will be going to MacMillan Cancer Support. We look forward to your support.



PTA - Every parent automatically becomes a member of our school PTA when their child starts at All Saints. Throughout the year the PTA organise and hold events to raise money which goes back into school. Over the last few years the PTA have raised money to help fund the refurbishment of the library, bought forest school equipment and iPads for computing lessons, benefitting all the children.

We are looking for new members to help us organise events to raise funds for this year. If you are interested please look out for the parent hub message detailing the date of the next PTA meeting.

Attendance - We would like to remind everyone of the importance of regular and punctual attendance at school. Every day in school is an opportunity for your child to learn, make friends, develop confidence and take part in the many activities we provide.

Please support your child by ensuring they attend school every day and arrive on time, unless they are genuinely unwell. Missing even a few days can make it harder for children to keep up with their learning and settle to routines.

Thank you for your continued support in helping your child make the most of every school day. Together, we can give our children the best possible education.

Below is the guidance from NHS England if you are unsure if your child is well enough to attend.

Is my child too ill for school?



Does your child have a high temperature (38°C or more)? **YES** Keep them off school until it goes away. **NO** Follow the guidance below.

Your child can usually go to school with a mild cough or cold if they are otherwise well. If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone the school or nursery on the first day and give them the reason.

Should go in	Should go in (let the school know)	Seek treatment before returning to school	Keep them off (at first)
A cough, cold or sore throat Fine with slight cough or common cold symptoms, such as a runny nose, sore throat or headache, as long as they're otherwise well and do not have a high temperature.	Cold sores Encourage them not to touch the blister or kiss anyone while they have the cold sore, or to share things like cups and towels.	Impetigo They'll need treatment from a pharmacist or GP, often with antibiotics. Keep them off school until all the sores have crusted over and healed, or for 48 hours after they start antibiotic treatment. Encourage your child to wash their hands regularly and not to share things like towels and cups with other children at school.	Ear infection If your child has an ear infection and a high temperature or severe earache, keep them off school until they're feeling better or their high temperature goes away.
Threadworms Speak to your pharmacist, who can recommend a treatment.	Conjunctivitis Fine unless they are feeling very unwell. Seek advice from your pharmacist. Encourage your child not to rub their eyes and to wash their hands regularly.	Ringworm See your pharmacist unless it's on their scalp, in which case you should see a GP. It's fine for your child to go to school once they have started treatment.	Measles They'll need to see a GP. Call the GP surgery before you go in, as measles can spread to others easily. Keep your child off school for at least 4 days from when the rash first appears. They should also avoid close contact with babies and anyone who is pregnant or has a weakened immune system.
	Head lice & nits You can treat head lice and nits without seeing a GP.	Scarlet fever They'll need treatment with antibiotics from a GP. Otherwise they'll be infectious for 2 to 3 weeks. Your child can go back to school 24 hours after starting antibiotics.	Vomiting & diarrhoea Stay away from school until they have not been sick or had diarrhoea due to illness for at least 2 days (48 hours).
	Hand, foot & mouth disease If they seem well enough to go to school, there's no need to keep them off. Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues straight away and to wash their hands regularly.	Chickenpox Keep them off school until all the spots have crusted over. This is usually about 5 days after the spots first appeared.	
	Slapped cheek syndrome Once the rash appears, they're no longer infectious. Let the school or teacher know if you think your child has slapped cheek syndrome.		

Feeling worried or anxious: It's normal for any of us to feel worried sometimes. We may get a tummy ache or headache, or have problems eating or sleeping. Avoiding school can sometimes make a child's worries about going to school worse. If your child is struggling, please speak to school as soon as possible to explore available help. If your child is still struggling and it's affecting their everyday life, you should contact GP or school nurse.

To find out more, search www.NHS.uk for the specific illness or infection, or 'Is my child too ill for school?'

FUTURE EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Clubs –Choir starts at 8.15am on Thursday 17th September.

Y2 Multisports Club will start on Tuesday 15th September from 3.30pm – 4.20pm.

Worship Committee will start on Monday 7th September from 3.30pm – 4.15pm

Young Leaders will meet on a Friday from 3.30pm – 4.15pm – more details to follow

Eco group meets on Mondays at lunchtime

October Half Term Holiday – The last day of term before the October Half Term Holiday is Friday 16th October. School will finish at our usual time of 3.30pm on this day and after school club will finish at 5.30pm. School will reopen on Monday 2nd November at 8.45am.

Open Days – We are holding 4 Open Days for parents looking for a nursery or Reception place for their child to start school in September 2027. The details are:

Tuesday 15th September – 9.30am

Monday 5th October – 1.30pm

Tuesday 3rd November – 4pm

Wednesday 18th November – 9.30am

Please pass on these dates to any prospective parents of children due to start nursery or reception in Sept 2027.

CHURCH NEWS



All Saints' Stand Church - 2026 marks the 200th year celebration since the church was consecrated. To mark this significant event, the church are holding a series of events throughout the year. Look out for details of events involving All Saints' C.E. Primary school on future newsletters.

Services:

Sunday 13th Sept at 10am – 200th year celebratory service. The Bishop of Manchester, David Walker will be in attendance. Families and children are all welcome.

Family Services – held on the 2nd Sunday of every month at 10am

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 8 th Sep	Meet the Teacher	Mon 2 nd Nov	School Opens at 8.45am
Tues 15 th Sep	New Intake Open Day – 9.30am	Tues 3 rd Nov	New Intake Open Day – 4pm
Tues 15 th Sep	After School Sports Club starts – Y2	Fri 13 th Nov	Own Clothes Day – Xmas Fair Donation
Thurs 17 th Sep	Choir Starts – 8.15am	Wed 18 th Nov	New Intake Open Day – 9.30am
Wed 23 rd Sep	Individual Photos	Fri 20 th Nov	Own Clothes Day – Xmas Fair Donation
Fri 25 th Sep	Macmillan Coffee Morning – 9am	Fri 27 th Nov	Own Clothes Day – Xmas Fair Donation
Mon 5 th Oct	New Intake Open Day – 1.30pm	Fri 4 th Dec	Own Clothes Day – Xmas Fair Donation
Tues 13 th Oct	Disco – Y1, Y2, Y3 – 3.30pm – 4.45pm	Fri 4 th Dec	Christmas Fair – 3.30pm
Tues 13 th Oct	Disco – Y4, Y5, Y6 – 5pm – 6.15pm	Fri 18 th Dec	School Closes at 2.30pm
Thurs 15 th Oct	Flu Vaccinations	Fri 18 th Dec	BAASC Closes at 4.30pm
Thurs 15 th Oct	Parents Evening Y1 – Y6		
Fri 16 th Oct	School Closes at 3.30pm		
Fri 16 th Oct	BAASC Closes 5.30pm		

NOTICES

Parking – Please remember that we are located in a busy residential area when considering parking. Please park respectfully and safely to drop off and collect your children.

School day - Our classroom doors open at 8.45am and the school day starts at 8.50am and closes at 3.30pm (3.20pm for FS1). Please ensure your children are at school on time and ready to learn.

Term Time Holidays - Improving school attendance is both a government and school priority. Holidays must not be taken during term time as this has an extremely detrimental effect on your child's education. A fixed penalty notice is the least of the costs: it is the impact on your child's future educational success that presents the greatest cost. We urge you to prioritise the long-term benefits of regular school attendance over the short-term impact of a holiday.