

ST. ANDREW'S C.E. INFANTS' SCHOOL

'Learning Together in Friendship and Faith'

Dear Parents/Carers,

No. 18 January 2026

Congratulations to all our year groups! We are amazed and delighted with the vocabulary our pupils are immersed in and using this week.

Year 1's drawing club has looked at words such as: 'petrifying, courageous, stupendous'!

FS through their reading of Super Worm have explored words such as: Super human, courageous, zooming and indestructible!

And Year 2 having being using tier 3 words such as: horizon and vast with tier 2 words such as: mysterious and powerful! Do let us know if your children use these at home. Thank you! 😊

DATES FOR DIARY

23rd Jan: Foodbank Friday

28th Jan: Festival of Light

6th Feb: PTFA Quiz

13th Feb: Last day of term / Mufti Day (Scola)

16th–20th Feb: Half Term—School Closed

23rd Feb: School re-opens—Term 4

ATTENDANCE

Well done to Seahorse Class, whose attendance was 99.44% this week.

ONLINE SAFETY

Our Safer Internet Day will take place on 11th February.

For your information please see below an Online Safety Check list (with thanks to Open View Education).

Setting up parental controls

Supervise online activities

Setting clear expectations

Talk about it

Go online together

SOMETHING SPECIAL

School Council spoke with our Diocesan Adviser. They said how important Worship was "being a time of calm".

A beautiful flower given on a grey day.

TEAM AROUND THE FAMILY

Family life can be complicated. Whatever your worry, you can call the Family Advice Line on **01323 464655** to access information, advice and guidance to support for you and your family. Phone lines are open Monday - Thursday 8.30am to 5pm & Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm

SOME FS QUESTIONS TO HELP OUR LEARNING:

Have you tried something like this before?

How are these the same?

Why is this one better than that one?

THANK YOU

To all your generous donations for the Foodbank. We have 12 carrier bags full and know that they will be delighted to received these.

Many thanks.

EARLY MORNING CLUB

Our calm, cheerful start to the day has a few places available if you would like a place please speak to the office for more info.



P.T.O

TAKE THE PLUNGE INTO WEEKLY LESSONS

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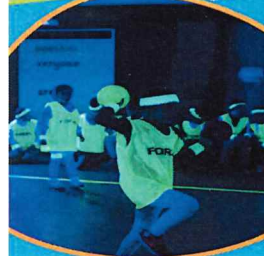
FEBRUARY

HALF-TERM HOLIDAY CAMPS

Tollgate Junior School, BN23 6NL

17TH - 20TH February, 8:30 - 15:30

Sibling & block discounts available
£27/day



Action Packed Activities

- Glow in the Dark Dodgeball
- Archery
- Inflatable
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Football / Basketball
- Gymnastics / Dance



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