



St Ann's Church of England

Primary School



Always our best for God, each other and ourselves. Together, we aim high; with God's love, we can fly!

Value of the Half Term

Compassion

Newsletter Issue 2

Friday 10th September 2021

When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

Matthew 9:3

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MEET THE TEACHER WORKSHOPS

Thank you to everyone who attended our EYs & KS1 Meet the Teacher Workshops. We hope all who attended found them to be useful and a good reminder about what we are all about at St Ann's. Next week, our KS2 Meet the Teacher Workshops will take place. Please refer to the separate letter for details. Meet the Teacher workshops will take place at 5pm (3C, 4B, 5D, 6FM) and 5.30pm (3E, 4P, 5H, 6O).

Y3	Monday 13 th September	3C	3E
Y4	Tuesday 14 th September	4B	4P
Y5	Wednesday 15 th September	5D	5H
Y6	Thursday 16 th September	6FM	6O

VISIT FROM THE MAYOR

This week our newly appointed Head Boy, Head Girl, House Captains and School Councillors were presented with their special badge by the Madame Mayor, Councillor Sue Murphy. Huge congratulations to the children elected into these positions.



Y5 & Y6 BIKEABILITY

This half term Y5 & Y6 will be taking part in the Bikeability scheme. Please refer to separate letter for details about Bikeability including what the children need to wear and bring to school on that day. The exact day that your child is taking part in Bikeability will be confirmed the week before their class' session.

Friday 17th Sept: 5D (6 children)

WB 4th October: 6O (6 children per day)

WB 11th October: 5H (6 children per day)

WB 18th October (Mon – Thurs): Remaining 5D children, (6 children per day)



FAMILY WORSHIP

6FM will lead their family worship in the school hall on **Friday 17th September @ 9.00am**. In line with our risk assessment no more than 2 family members per child are permitted to attend. Please walk down the pedestrian walkway at the side of school which will lead you to the hall at the back of school.

The next Family Worship will be led by 6O on Friday 1st October @ 9am in the school hall.

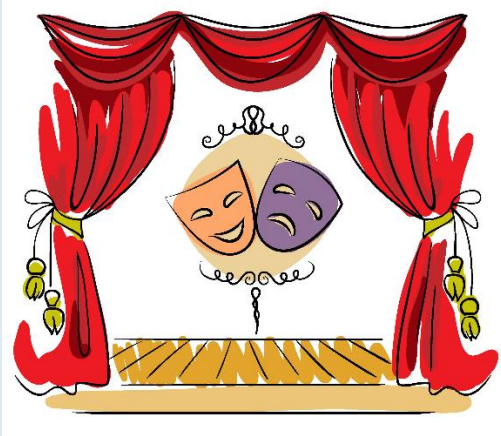
SCHOOL AIMS

This year we will be reviewing our school aims. The aims of the school were written over 10 years ago. The intention of our school aims is to identify how our school vision is achieved. Our school vision is **'Together, we aim high; with God's love, we can fly.'** This half term parents/ carers will be sent a survey so that you can have input into this exercise. We want our whole school community to be a part of this very important process.



Y6 CLONTER OPERA CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

On Friday 17th September, Y6 are very lucky to receive their first Cultural Experience of the year. The chosen topic of 'Shakespeare' will be brought to life through theatre. They will explore music composition, set design and lighting design in a one day workshop. There is no cost to parents for this wonderful experience and we are sure that Y6 will have a great day.



CIRCUS SKILLS

On Friday 17th September (Y1 + Y2) and Friday 24th September (Y3,4,5,6), children will take part in a circus skills workshop. This is a very exciting opportunity for the children which was rescheduled from the Summer Term. We are sure that the children will have an enjoyable day.



MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

In line with our Risk Assessment, please find below the arrangements for Macmillan Coffee Morning this year.

On Friday 24th September, we will be hosting a Macmillan Coffee Morning in school. We kindly ask that children bring in a cake or biscuit to enjoy with their class and a voluntary donation towards this fantastic cause. All donations received will be donated to Macmillan. This will be a school-based event only.

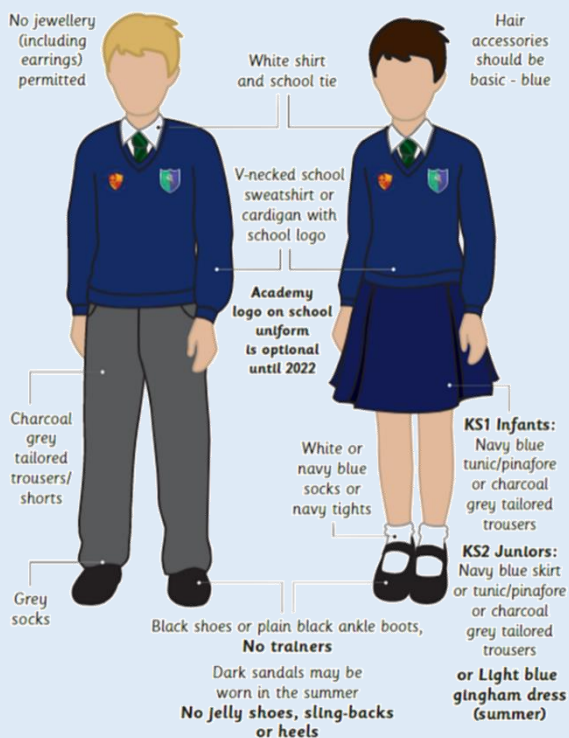
**WORLD'S BIGGEST
COFFEE
MORNING**

**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**

SWIMMING LESSONS

Y6 will commence daily swimming lessons, Monday-Thursday for 2 weeks commencing Monday 20th September. Lessons will take place at Knowsley Leisure and Culture Park. Please refer to the separate letter sent out in July, containing information about what children should wear.

SCHOOL UNIFORM REMINDERS



SCHOOL SHOES REMINDER



WEEKLY REMINDERS

TOAST

Please see email dated 6th July for details of Toast payments and cutoff dates for academic year 2021-22. Please note that the cutoff date to receive Toast in Autumn 1 was 16th July 2021. Please see attached flyer for more information. Details for children in Foundation Stage will follow in shortly.

GENERAL INFORMATION

TERM DATES

	Open on	Close on
Autumn Term	2 nd September 2021	21 st October 2021
	1 st November 2021	22 nd December 2021
Spring Term	10 th January 2022	11 th February 2022
	21 st February 2022	1 st April 2022
Summer Term	19 th April 2022	27 th May 2022
	6 th June 2022	20 th July 2022

PURCHASING SCHOOL ITEMS

If you wish to purchase a school item this can now be done through Arbor. If you make a purchase please email the School Office at stannsce@three-saints.org.uk so that arrangements can be made to issue the item.

Current prices are as follows:

School Bag	£9.00
Junior Tie	£3.50
Elasticated Tie	£3.00
Replacement Planner	£4.00

Courtesy

Care

Concentration

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‘But those who trust in the Lord, they will find new strength.

They will soar high on wings like eagles’ **Isaiah 40:31**

Parents' Suggestion/Comment Slip

DAY	DATE	EVENT
Monday	13 th September 2021	Y3 Meet the Teacher 3C – 5pm, 3E 5.30pm
Tuesday	14 th September 2021	Y4 Meet the Teacher 4B -5pm, 4P 5.30pm
Wednesday	15 th September 2021	Y5 Meet the Teacher 5D – 5pm, 5H 5.30pm
Thursday	16 th September 2021	Y6 Meet the Teacher 6FM 5pm, 6O 5.30pm
Friday	17 th September 2021	6FM Family Worship 9.00-9.30am Clonter Opera visit for Y6 Y5 Bikeability KS1 Circus Skills Day
Mon-Thurs	20 th -23 rd September 2021	Y6 Swimming
Friday	24 th September 2021	Macmillan Coffee Morning KS2 Circus Skills Day
Mon-Fri	27 th -30 th September 2021	Y6 Swimming
Friday	1 st October 2021	6O Family Worship 9.00-9.30am
Mon-Fri	4 th – 8 th October 2021	Y6 Bikeability
Friday	8 th October 2021	Poetry Recital Coffee Morning (linked to National Poetry Day) (Time TBC)
Mon-Fri	11 th -15 th October 2021	Y5 Bikeability
Friday	15 th October 2021	Y4 Lead Harvest Service 2.15-3.00pm (St Ann's Church)
Mon-Thurs	18 th -21 st October 2021	Y5 Bikeability

Thursday	21 st October 2021	Dedication of the School Year Service 2.00-3.00pm – Presentation of Bibles to EYs pupils & all other news starters since November 2020
Thursday	21 st October 2021	School Closes
Monday	1 st November 2021	School Opens
Mon-Fri	1 st -5 th November 2021	Outdoor learning session for each year group to take place this week (day TBC). Children will require wellies or similar
Friday	12 th November 2021	5H Family Worship 9.00-9.30am
Tuesday	16 th November 2021	Parent Forum for Class Reps 1.30-2.30pm
Thursday	18 th November 2021	5D Family Worship 9.00-9.30am Individual and Family group photos
Mon-Fri	22 nd -26 th November 2021	Autumn Assessment Week (inc. Y2 Phonics Screening Check)
Friday	26 th November 2021	4B Family Worship 9.00-9.30am
Friday	3 rd December 2021	Y3 Christmas Workshop
Thursday	2 nd December 2021	4P Family Worship 9.00-9.30am
Monday	6 th December 2021	3E, 3C, 4B & 4P Mentoring Conversations
Tuesday	7 th December 2021	EYR,5H, 5D,6O & 6FM Mentoring Conversations
Wednesday	8 th December 2021	EYP, 1A, 1H, 2H & 2T Mentoring Conversations
Friday	10 th December 2021	SEN Coffee Morning 1.30-2.30pm
Thursday	16 th December 2021	EYFS Nativity (2 performances in school) KS1 Nativity (2 performance at Rainhill High School TBC)
Friday	17 th December 2021	Enterprise Fair (details TBC) Christmas Jumper Day
Monday	20 th December 2021	EYFS, Y1 & Y2 Christmas Parties
Tuesday	21 st December 2021	Y3 & Y4 Christmas Parties
Wednesday	22 nd December 2021	Y5 & Y6 Christmas Parties
Wednesday	22 nd December 2021	Y3 Lead Christmas Service 2.15-3.00pm (St Ann's Church)
Wednesday	22 nd December 2021	School Closes



Mellors

FLEXING our MENUS IN challenging TIMES

Like many restaurants and caterers, Mellors local suppliers are experiencing shortages of certain food items from sausages and peas to margarine and cooking oils.

This is due to various pressures in the food chain. These include low numbers of crop pickers in the farms, staff shortages due to Covid, lorry driver shortages both to and from our suppliers and the impact of brexit (remember Brexit?)

WHERE THERE ARE SHORTAGES,
MELLORS WILL SUBSTITUTE WITH OTHER
INGREDIENTS TO ENSURE YOU ALWAYS
GET A FRESH AND HEALTHY LUNCH.

www.mellorscatering.co.uk



TOAST

If you would like your child to have Toast every half term please see below for the amount due each half term and the date the amount is required by.

Payments should be made to your Arbor Toast account. Payments can be made in advance of these dates if you wish

	Amount Due	Date Toast Account to be in
Autumn 1	£7.20	16th July 2021
Autumn 2	£7.60	15th October 2021
Spring 1	£5.00	17th November 2021
Spring 2	£6.00	8th February 2022
Summer 1	£5.60	29th March 2022
Summer 2	£6.60	24th May 2022