ST PAUL'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Weekly Newsletter Friday 10th October 2025

Attendance:

Well done **Year 6!** You are our attendance winners this week!

Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
96.%	96.3%	98.1%	100%	93%	97.6%	97.6%

Number of times pupils were late:

Well done Year 2! You are our punctuality winners for this week.

Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
4	6	3	10	5	15	5

Reception 2026 intake Open Morning

On Thursday 9th October Mr. Morgan showed prospective parents round school. As I'm sure you can all remember it's a daunting decision to make and it was wonderful to see how excited the parents were as they left. That is testament to all the incredible children and staff we have at St. Paul's who create such a warm, caring and purposeful learning environment.

Asda Heroes

A selection of children from Year 4 and Year 5 have been chosen to work alongside Christine the community champion at Asda to work on a sustainability project over the course of this year. As part of this work the children spent an hour with Christine and Dave Bagley the Co-founder and Chief Executive of Urban Outreach working on their project ideas. The heroes will be joining other children from Bolton at a celebration and presentation day at Asda house in Leeds in June 2026. More details of the project will be shared soon.

Junior Parkrun

As a school we have signed up to become a parkrun primary. The aim is to get as many children/families as possible to go to Queens Park in Bolton at 9am to take part in a 2K run. This is a weekly, free event, run by volunteers where the children get an accurate time it took to complete the run. It is open to any child between the age of 4-14. (adults can run to support). You will have to register your child to via this link register | parkrun UK You then print out the barcode and turn up when you like. We are going to arrange one Sunday before Christmas where we can take part as a school community. It would be amazing to have lots of us there on the same day. Details of the date will be shared next week. We will be celebrating any children who join up (by showing their barcode in assembly) and any children who complete a parkrun will be invited to a weekly 'Parkrun party' with treats and celebration certificates to share in assembly.

Wild Wood

Year 4 are our next class in The Wild Wood on Wednesday 15th October. Please ensure your child comes to school in suitable clothing and with a pair of wellies.

Dates for the diary

Wednesday 15th October – Y5/6 Wrestling Festival
Thursday 16th October – Key PE football league
Thursday 23rd October – School finishes for half term at 3.15pm (after school clubs still available)
Monday 3rd November – School re-opens at 8.40am

Stars of the Year

A huge well done to our stars of the Year:

Nursery – Skylar **Reception** – Zaynan **Year 1 –** Rumaysa **Year 2 –** Muhammad H **Year 3 –** Isaac
Year 4 – Zahra **Year 5 –** Umair **Year 6 –** Muhammad L **The Nook** – Muhammad J

Whole School Learning Overview week ending Friday 10th October 2025

Little Saints

This week we have been learning about:

- Head, shoulders, knees and toes
- Singing songs involving numbers 1-5
- Using tweezers and bowls to categorise colours

Nursery

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths – Patterns
- Fine motor skills – Using our pincer grip to make dot paintings
- Topic – Seasonal changes in Autumn

Reception

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths – 3D shapes
- PSHE – What are feelings?
- PE – Teamwork skills

Year 1

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Describing character features
- Maths – Number sentences
- PSHE – A good friend recipe

Year 2

This week we have been learning about:

- Geography – The 4 countries and capital cities of the UK
- Maths – Counting in 2s, 5s, and 10s
- PSHE – How to be a good friend

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Year 3

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Identify features of a diary entry
- Maths – Adding 1s across 10
- PE – How to change direction at speed effectively

The Nook

This week we have been learning about:

- Topic – role playing café
- Outdoor – Looking at spider webs
- PE – bat and ball skills

Year 4

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Organising information
- Maths – Rounding
- Geography – What is the journey of a river?

Year 5

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing a diary entry as Annie Edson Taylor
- Maths – Adding numbers with more than 4 digits
- Geography – Capital cities in Europe

Year 6

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths – Dividing a 4 digit number by a 2 digit number
- English – Making predictions about our new text for Black history month
- Geography – Where are the Tatra mountains

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