ST PAUL'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Weekly Newsletter Friday 29th November 2024

Attendance:

Well done **Year2!** You are our attendance winners this week!

Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
93.9%	97.1%	99.2%	97.3%	98.8%	96.1%	97%

Number of times pupils were late:

Well done Year 3! You are our punctuality winners for this week.

Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
3	3	4	1	8	2	2

Urban Outreach Charity Donations

Thank you so much for your kind donations of chocolate for our non-uniform day today. All donations will be taken to Urban Outreach on Monday, where they will go towards local families in need across Bolton.

Into Film Festival

Years 1, 3 & 4 enjoyed a visit to Cineworld this week as part of the Into Film Festival. They had a great time watching '200% Wolf' and 'Dogtanian.'

Year 5 Sharples Observatory Visit

Year 5 had an excellent morning at Sharples School on Monday, learning more about space. The children had the opportunity to experience the observatory at Sharples School, which linked to their topic in Science at the start of Year 5.

Y5/6 Lacrosse Festival

Some of our Year 5 & 6 children took part in a Lacrosse Festival at Bolton School on Tuesday. It was great to see them enjoying trying out a new sport, which was so much fun! We are planning on getting the organisation into school next year so our classes can have a go at trying Lacrosse too.

EYFS and KS1 Nativity Performances

Tickets for the EYFS and KS1 Nativity performances are now available from the school office. Please contact Miss. Crook to reserve them for your family.

Winter Bake Off

We will be hosting our popular 'Winter Bake Off' event again this year on **Monday 9th December**. Details will soon be sent about the event, which is always a very popular family activity to get involved with.

Sharples School Christmas Market

Sharples School are hosting a Christmas Market for the local community on Friday 13th December. The event will open from 3.15pm, with food stalls, raffle prizes, gingerbread making, jewellery making, hot chocolate and many more activities! Our Year 6 children will be visiting from 2.15pm.

Wild Wood

Our next class in The Wild Wood is **Year 5** on **Wednesday 11th December**. Please send your child into school on this date with suitable clothing and a pair of wellies. We have waterproof clothing available for children in school.

Dates for the diary

Friday 6th December – Year 4 visit to Seven Acres Nature Reserve
Monday 9th December – Choir performance at BWFC Carol Concert 7pm
Monday 9th December – Winter Bake Off
Wednesday 11th December – Year 5 in the Wild Wood/ Year 6 at Bolton SICT WWII Codebreakers workshop
Wednesday 11th December – The Nook awards ceremony, Breaking Barriers Charity event 7pm
Friday 13th December – Winter Woollies Day & Bolton Hospice Reindeer Dash/Year 6 at Sharples Christmas Market
Monday 16th December – EYFS Nativity performance 9.00am/KS1 performance 1.15pm
Tuesday 17th December - KS1 nativity performance 9.15am
Friday 20th December – School closes at 2pm
Tuesday 7th January 2025 – School re-opens

Stars of the Week

A huge well done to our stars of the week:

Nursery – Amaar **Reception** – Aafsah **Year 1 –** Ahmed **Year 2 –** Ava **Year 3 –** Aadilah
Year 4 – Khalil **Year 5 –** Millie **Year 6 –** Usaim **The Nook** – Bilal

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Whole School Learning Overview week ending Friday 29th November 2024

Little Saints

This week we have been learning about:

- Story of the week – The wheels on the bus
- Maths – Categorising objects by 2 colours
- Making a bus ticket and travelling on the bus

Nursery

This week we have been learning about:

- Topic- Transport in the past
- Painting using big movements
- Practicing pre writing shapes

Reception

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths – Counting to 6, 7 and 8
- Topic – Ernest Shackleton's expedition
- RE – Nativity story

Year 1

This week we have been learning about:

- English - Meesha makes friends
- Maths - Addition
- History - What is it like in our community?

Year 2

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths – Adding and subtracting 10s
- Geography – How the UK uses transport to the rest of the World
- English – Using subordination in sentences

The Nook

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Story telling words
- Maths – Number bonds
- PSHE – Things that can help us with different emotions

Year 3

This week we have been learning about:

- English- Sequencing and planning a fantasy story.
- Maths- Multiples of 10, 5 and 2
- History- Iron Age Britain

Year 4
This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing a diary entry
- Maths - Area
- History – Religion in Anglo-Saxon England

Year 5
This week we have been learning about:

- English- Writing a narrative to entertain
- Maths- Multiplying by 10, 100 and 1000
- History- Fables and myths in Ancient Greece

Year 6
This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing using cohesion to link paragraphs.
- Maths – Problem solving by adding and subtracting fractions.
- Geography – Learning about the terrain and climate in Jamaica

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