**ST PAUL'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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# Weekly Newsletter Friday 7th March 2025

**Attendance:**

Well done **Year 3!** You are our attendance winners this week!

| Rec | Y1 | Y2 | Y3 | Y4 | Y5 | Y6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 94.17% | 95.42% | 97.98% | 99.61% | 97.5% | 98.44% | 98.48% |

**Number of times pupils were late:**

Well done Year 1 & 6! You are our punctuality winners for this week.

| Rec | Y1 | Y2 | Y3 | Y4 | Y5 | Y6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 0 |

## Parental Conferencing

Our spring term parental conferencing will take place later this term. Bookings on Arbor is open now. The evening appointments will be held on Wednesday 26th March. During this week, we will also have the Scholastic book fair in school with lots of new titles for the children to enjoy.

## World Book Day

Our staff and children looked amazing on Thursday as we celebrated World Book Day with the theme of 'Our Wonderful World of Words.' Thank you so much for supporting this event with such creative ideas!

## Pancake Sale

The pancake sale has been a huge success this week, with just over £200 raised for the school. A huge thank you to our PTFA for organising the event, and to our wonderful volunteers who have been busy all week making pancakes for the children.

## Mini First Aid

This week, we welcomed Julia from Mini First Aid back to school to train the whole school in first aid skills such as how to deal with cuts, bruises, choking and CPR. Julia was thrilled with how much the children had remembered from the last time she trained the children last year.

## Into Cinema Festival

On Wednesday 12th March, Year 5 & 6 will be visiting Cineworld as part of the Into Film Festival, where they will be watching a film by the popular children's author, Michael Morpurgo called 'Kensuke's Kingdom.'

## PTFA Events this term

Following the success of our recent PTFA meetings, we have some exciting events planned in school for the rest of the spring term. Please see the dates below – further information about each event will be sent out next week.

## Year 6 Football League at Ladybridge

Well done to our football team who played in the Key PE Sports football league on Thursday evening. A special mention to Ethan, whose performance was mentioned in The Bolton News this week.

## Wild Wood

Our next class in The Wild Wood is **Year 4 on Wednesday 12th March**. Please ensure your child comes into school in suitable clothing, including a pair of wellies. School will provide waterproof clothing should it be required.

## Dates for the diary

**Wednesday 12th March** – Year 5 & 6 Into Film Festival, Cineworld visit
**Wednesday 12th March** – Year 4 in The Wild Wood
**Wednesday 19th March** – Year 5 in The Wild Wood
**Friday 21st March** – Non-Uniform for donation of Easter Egg
**Monday 24th March** – Easter Egg Bingo
**Monday 24th-28th March** – Parental Conferencing Week
**Thursday 3rd April** – Eid party in school, own clothes
**Friday 4th April** – School finishes for Half-term

## Stars of the Week

A huge well done to our stars of the week:

**Nursery –** Aaisha **Reception** – Maariyah **Year 1 –** Hamzah **Year 2 –** Maleekah **Year 3 –** Rumaysa
**Year 4 –** Blossom **Year 5 –** Cian **Year 6 –** Yousouf **The Nook** – Muhammad P

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# Whole School Learning Overview week ending Friday 7th March 2025

## Little Saints

This week we have been learning about:

- Story of the week – Head, shoulders, knees and toes
- Maths – Noticing patterns
- Naming body parts from our song

## Nursery

This week we have been learning about:

- Story of the week – Jack and the Beanstalk
- Do seeds need water to grow?
- Maths – Exploring positions and routes

## Reception

This week we have been learning about:

- Topic – What do seeds need to grow?
- Maths – counting on and counting back
- RE – The Easter Story

## Year 1

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing a story
- Maths – Mass and capacity
- Geography – What is the flag of the UK and the flags of other countries?

## Year 2

This week we have been learning about:

- Maths - Multiplying
- RE - Special places for Muslims
- English – Draw alongs with famous illustrators and writing character descriptions

## The Nook

This week we have been learning about:

- English – Joining in live lessons to different stories for World Book Day
- Maths – Subtraction and addition word problems
- Topic – Making a sandwich – using cutting and grating skills


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Year 3
This week we have been learning about:

- English- Making observations and predictions about our new book Big Blue Whale
- Maths- Measuring in mm, cm and m
- History- When and why did the Romans invade Britain?

Year 4
This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing a narrative
- Maths – Adding and subtracting fractions
- Geography – Locating places using lines of longitude and latitude

Year 5
This week we have been learning about:

- English- Writing an autobiography
- Maths- Multiplying fractions and mixed numbers
- Geography – What are contour lines on a map and what are they used for?

Year 6
This week we have been learning about:

- English – Writing a persuasive letter
- Maths – Fractions to percentages
- Geography – Exploring different types of renewable and non-renewable energy sources and the impact they have on our planet


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