

# THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

DATE: FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025



Good morning,

Welcome back to a new academic year! It really has been wonderful welcoming the children back to school and there is a calm feeling amongst all the classrooms, and the children have impressed their new teachers with their behaviour and work ethic.

Next week, the children move to their normal timetables so they may feel a little more tired as they get used to new routines and new subjects. The parent workshops also begin next week, and we would urge you to attend these. Not only will they give you chance to meet your child's new teacher (or teachers in some cases), but you'll also find out a little more about what life is like in their new year group. Each workshop begins at 8.45am and should last no more than 30mins. Year 6 have theirs on Wednesday, with Year 5 following on Thursday.

There are lots of useful dates included in this bulletin, many of which were given out at the end of the summer term. Please make a note of these in your diary.

## Important information about your classes

Class	Teachers	Parent Workshop	Class Trip
Nursery	Mrs Khan & Mrs Muhsen	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June Ash End Farm
Reception	Mrs Shaw & Miss Humphries Miss Vassel & Ms Sobiecka	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> October 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April Tamworth Castle
Year 1	Miss Mapother & Mrs Jones Mrs Kalsi	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> January Think Tank Museum
Year 2	Miss Elliot & Mrs Barnett	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> April Mount Pleasant Farm
Year 3	Mr Galligan & Mrs Deocades Mrs Kalsi	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May Warwick Castle
Year 4	Mrs Mohan, Mrs Hickman & Mrs Finnegan Mrs Baxter	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> May Botanical Gardens
Year 5	Mrs Hensman, Mrs Edgington & Miss Plant	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March National Memorial Arboretum Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June Alton Castle Residential
Year 6	Mr McNamara, Mr Clewer & Mr Lahert Mrs Baxter	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> September 8.45 - 9.15am (School Hall)	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> October National Memorial Arboretum Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June Alton Castle Residential

## Our School Day

Start: 8.30am (Gates open at 8.25am)

Finish (Monday - Thursday): 3.20pm (Nursery & Reception) 3.30pm KS1 & KS2

Finish (Friday): 1.00pm

# Important information for the week ahead

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> Sept
		<b>Year 6 Parent Workshop</b> 8.45 – 9.15am School Hall	<b>Year 5 Parent Workshop</b> 8.45 – 9.15am School Hall	<b>Celebration Assembly</b> 8.45 – 9.15am School Hall

## Catholic Life at St Rose

### Catholic virtues for Autumn 1

This half term, our Catholic Virtues are: Eloquent and Truthful

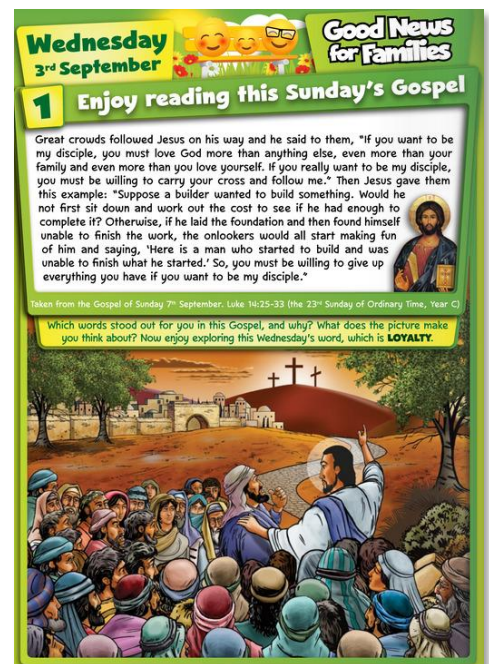
**Eloquent** means to be able to articulate what we believe and feel to do so in a way that engages and persuades others.

**Truthful** means to be able to speak the truth about ourselves, about others, about God and the world around us. Education is the search for truth and the eloquent articulation of what we discover.



### Wednesday Word

Click on the image to access this week's copy.



## A prayer for parents at the start of a new year

As this new school year begins, we thank You for the gift of our children and for the joy they bring to our lives.

Bless us as parents with patience, wisdom, and courage, so that we may guide, support, and encourage them each day.

Grant us peace in times of worry, strength in times of challenge, and joy in celebrating their growth and achievements.

May our homes be filled with love, kindness, and understanding, and may this year be one of learning, friendship, and new opportunities.

We place our trust in You, Lord, and ask You to walk with our families in every step of this journey.

Amen.

# Important Information

## School Uniform

At the start of the new academic year, it's important your child's uniform is in line with the school policy. This is as follows:

### Combined School & PE Girls' and boys' active uniform (All Year groups)

- Royal blue V-neck sweatshirt / cardigan with school badge and gold stripe
- white polo T-shirt
- plain black joggers (NOT leggings)
- plain black trainers or trainer shoes, suitable for all weathers.

There will be no exceptions to plain black trainers and joggers - children who come in patterned/logoed trainers will be loaned a pair of school pumps. Children who come in patterned/logoed joggers (or if they wear leggings) will be loaned some plain joggers for the day.

**As an active school, skirts are not permitted for girls under any circumstances.**

[Click here to read the full uniform policy.](#)

Please label your child's jumper or cardigan with their name and year group.

## School Photo Day

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.

Please ensure your child has their jumper or cardigan on for their photographs



## Class Trips

All the class trips are now on Parent Pay to enable you to make regular payments. If you need help signing up to Parent Pay, please speak to the office.

## Water Bottles and Snacks

We are a healthy living school. Please ensure your child brings in healthy snacks and has water in their water bottles.

Chocolate, crisps and sweets are not permitted for snacks.



## After School Clubs

All after school clubs begin next week. Sports clubs finish at 4.25pm, with the Lighthouse Group and Sign & Sign finishing at 4.15pm. Please ensure you collect your child promptly.

You will receive a text if your child is part of the club.



Have a wonderful weekend.  
Mr Carroll & Mrs Hensman



# Autumn Term Key Dates

## September

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

- Children return to school at 8.30am

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 6 Parent Workshop

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 5 Parent Workshop

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 3 Parent Workshop

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 4 Parent Workshop

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 2 Parent Workshop

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September

- Year 1 Parent Workshop

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September

- Macmillan Coffee Morning

## October

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October

- Reception Parent Workshop

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October

- Nursery Parent Workshop

w/c 6<sup>th</sup> October

- Harvest Festival Week

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October

- Mental Health Day

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October

- Year 6 Trip to Memorial Arboretum

- Year 5 Stay and Pray

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

- Year 6 Stay and Pray

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

- Our Heritage Day

- Children break up at 1pm

## November

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November

- Children return to school at 8.30am

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November

- Year 4 Stay and Pray

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November

- Parent Consultation Afternoon

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November

- Year 3 Stay and Pray

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November

- Children in Need Day

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November

- Year 2 Stay and Pray

## December

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December

- Year 1 Stay and Pray

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December

- Children break up at 1pm

## Years 5 & 6 Swimming

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> - Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November AND

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December



## Christmas performances

EYFS & Year 1

- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 2pm
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30am

Year 2 & KS2

- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 3.30pm





# Spring Term Key Dates

## January

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January**

- Children return to school at 8.30am

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

- Year 6 Parent Workshop

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January**

- Year 5 Parent Workshop

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> January**

- Year 4 Parent Workshop

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

- Year 3 Parent Workshop

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January**

- Year 2 Parent Workshop

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January**

- Year 1 Parent Workshop

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January**

- Reception Parent Workshop

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January**

- Year 1 Trip to the Think Tank Museum
- Nursery Parent Workshop

## February

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

- Year 6 Stay and Pray

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February**

- Year 5 Stay and Pray

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**

- Children break up at 1pm

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

- Children return to school at 8.30am

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February**

- One Life Retreat Day

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February**

- Year 4 Stay and Pray

## March

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**

- World Book Day

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

- Year 3 Stay and Pray

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March**

- Parent Consultation Afternoon

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

- Year 5 Trip to Black Country Living Museum

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

- Year 2 Stay and Pray

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

- Year 1 Stay and Pray

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March**

- Children break up at 1pm

## Years 3 & 4 Swimming

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> January AND

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> January

## World Book Day

For World Book Day this year, EVERY child will need to bring in a **cheap** plain white t-shirt!

WORLD  
BOOK  
DAY





# Summer Term Key Dates

## April

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April**

- Children return to school at 8.30am

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April**

- Year 2 Trip to Mount Pleasant Farm
- Year 6 Stay and Pray

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April**

- Reception Trip to Tamworth Castle
- Year 5 Stay and Pray

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April**

- Year 4 Stay and Pray

## Test Dates

- KS2 SATs: 11<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> May
- KS1 SATs: Throughout May
- Year 1 Phonics: w/c 8<sup>th</sup> June
- Year 4 Multiplication: w/c 1<sup>st</sup> June

## Years 1 & 2 Swimming



Monday 11<sup>th</sup> - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May AND  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

## May

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May**

- Bank Holiday - SCHOOL CLOSED

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

- Election Day - SCHOOL CLOSED

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May**

- Year 4 Trip to Botanical Gardens
- Year 3 Stay and Pray

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May**

- Year 3 Trip to Warwick Castle

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May**

- Year 2 Stay and Pray

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May**

- Children break up at 1pm

## Summer Fair



**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July**  
**ADVANCE NOTICE**

School will close at 3pm to  
allow all the staff to run stalls  
at the Summer Fair

## June

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June**

- Children return to school at 8.30am

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**

- KS2 Sports Day (TBC)

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June**

- Year 5 & 6 Residential to Alton Castle

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

- Year 1 Stay and Pray

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

- Nursery Trip to Ash End Farm
- Reception Stay and Pray

## July

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July**

- Transition Day

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

- Nursery Stay and Pray

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July**

- Healthy Living Week

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July**

- Charity Day

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July**

- EYFS Sports Day 9.00 - 10.00am
- KS1 Sports Day 10.30 - 11.30am
- Summer Fair 3.00 - 4.30pm

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July**

- Year 6 Leaver's Mass (TBC)

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

- Year 6 Leaver's Performance 2.00pm

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

- Children break up at 1pm