



Bishop Aldhelm's CE Primary School

Loved by God; United in Learning

Headteacher: Scott Tait Deputy Headteacher: Sarah Dawson

Important Dates 2025/26

Friday 26th September 2025

9:00-11:00am Macmillan Coffee Morning

Monday 29th September 2025

1:15pm RESERVE Year 1 & 2 Sports Day

Tuesday 30th September 2025

9:15pm RESERVE Year 3 & 4 Sports Day

1:15pm RESERVE Year 5 & 6 Sports Day

Friday 3rd October 2025

9:30am Tour for potential new starters

Monday 6th October 2025

KS2 Harvest Festival @ St Aldhelm's
Church (pupils only)

Tuesday 7th October 2025

House Captains Food Bank Trip

Tuesday 7th October 2025

1:30pm Tour for potential new starters

Wednesday 8th October 2025

9:15am, 2:30pm & 5:00pm

Foundation Phonics Workshops

Friday 10th October 2025

INSET Day

Monday 13th October 2025

10:00am-11:30am Time Together

Coffee & Collective Worship

Tuesday 14th October 2025

9:30am Tour for potential new starters

Monday 20th October 2025

1:30pm Tour for potential new starters

Thursday 23rd October 2025

3:30pm Stay & Play for potential new
starters for 2026/2027

Friday 24th October 2025

3:15pm Last Day of Half Term

INSET DAYS

Friday 10th October 2025

Monday 5th January 2026

Friday 6th March 2026

Monday 1st June 2026

Academic Year 2025 - 2026

Autumn term: 3 September 2025 to
19 December 2025

Autumn half term break: 27
October 2025 to 31 October 2025

Christmas holiday: 22 December
2025 to 2 January 2026

Spring term: 5 January 2026 to 27
March 2026

Spring half term break: 16 February
2026 to 20 February 2026

Prayerful Reflection—Wednesday 24th September 2025

This week, we are reminding ourselves that God calls us to serve others. We have examined the story of Jonah and considered what we might be called to do in our communities.

Jonah 1:2

"Get up! Go to the great city of Nineveh and preach..."

Dear God, Thank you for our new House Captains and Head Pupils. Bless them and help them to lead us with kindness and to inspire us all to be the best that we can be. Amen.

Christmas Shoebox Appeal Returns to Bishop Aldhelm's!

We're delighted to be supporting the Wessex Rotary Shoebox Scheme once again this year—a wonderful opportunity to share joy and kindness with children and families across Eastern Europe.

Last year marked the relaunch of this cherished tradition at Bishop Aldhelm's, and we were truly overwhelmed by the generosity of our school community. Thanks to your incredible support, over 200 shoeboxes were lovingly filled and sent to children in Moldova, Montenegro, Romania, and Ukraine. It was a powerful reminder of the compassion and care that defines our school.

This year, we hope to build on that success and continue making a meaningful difference. If you'd like to learn more about the scheme and how the boxes are distributed, please visit the [Wessex Rotary Shoebox Scheme](#) website.

How to Get Involved:

- Flat-pack shoeboxes are available to collect from the school office—please pick one up as soon as possible.
- The final deadline for returning completed boxes is Thursday 23rd October 2025.

If you feel it's appropriate, you're welcome to share the website link with parents and carers to help spread the word.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and generosity. Together, we can bring a little light and love to children who need it most this Christmas.



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