



St Aidan's Primary School

A Church of England Academy

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Final Week for Afterschool Clubs

Next week will be the final week for all the afterschool clubs. Pupils will receive an afterschool club letter in the Autumn term.



Year 3 DT Week



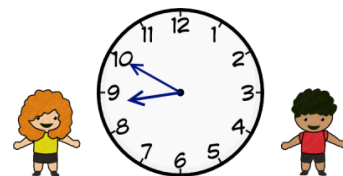
Year 3 will be having a DT week w/c Monday 5th July. They will be looking at different types of bridges and will be creating a product to take home at the end of the week. Please send in £1 with your child to cover the costs of materials. They will take their item home at the end of the week.

Punctuality

There have been a number children arriving after 8.50am and this affects pupil progress. **Please ensure that your child(ren) arrive at 8.50am every morning to avoid disruptions to their lessons and the administrative running of the school.**

Children can come into class from 8.40am ready to start their school day.

School is required by law to pass names of persistent absentees to the Local Authority who may issue a penalty notice.



KS2 Sports Day



We will be having a Sports Day with a difference this year. **Due to the current situation, we are unable to have parents and carers joining us this year.** To allow for bubbles and social distancing in line with current government guidelines KS2 will be holding their Sports Day on Wednesday 30th June in the afternoon.

Please send your child to school wearing their PE Kit (NOT JOGGING

BOTTOMS) and a tee-shirt in the colour of their house – please do not buy a new tee-shirt.

RIBBLE

BLAKEWATER

HODDER

CALDER

Year 4 – Anderton Centre Visit

On Thursday Year 4 visited the Anderton Centre. They climbed trees, went paddle boarding and completed a crate stacking challenge. Everyone had a go at the different activities and they all had a fantastic time.



Year 6 Race for Life Event

On Tuesday 6th July, Year 6 will be taking part in the St Aidan's Race for Life event at Witton Park for Cancer Research UK.

Our youngsters are the generation that could see ground-breaking treatments and cures for cancer in their lifetime.

The event will be a sponsored run/walk in order to raise money for Cancer Research UK.

It would be greatly appreciated if you can help your child to collect sponsors to enable us to raise as much money as possible. A sponsor form has been sent home (please just ask if another is needed)

We also have an online fundraising page.

If you would prefer to make a donation via the online page please use this link

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/st-aidans-primary-school>

Thank you for your support!

Mrs Rourke and Mrs Rey



Class Trips

As part of the pupils theme work, class trips have been organised for the following classes:-



Year 4 – Rawtenstall Town Centre – Tuesday 6th July

Year 5 – Race for Life – Witton Park – Tuesday 6th July (morning only)

Reception & Year 1 – Smithills Farm – Monday 12th July

Year 2 & Year 3 – St. Anne's Seaside Visit – Wednesday 14th July

Please note: A packed lunch will be provided by the school for pupils who normally have a school meal.

Trips are also being arranged for other year groups and you will be informed of these in due course.

Black Shoes

We expect **ALL** pupils to wear black shoes to school. Trainers or canvas shoes will **NOT** be acceptable as part of the school uniform. Please ensure that you have purchased the correct shoes for your child.



Outward Bound Trip

Pupils in Year Four and Five have been given a letter regarding an exciting residential trip taking place from 7th March 2022 – 11th March 2022 to The Outward Bound Trust in Howtown. This trip has been heavily subsidised bringing the cost per pupil down from £400.00 to £150.00. There are **2 payment items** on ParentPay for this trip; £30.00 deposit (non-refundable) and the other Outward Bound payment item is for the rest of the fees that will reduce each time a payment is made.

If you have put your child's name down for the residential please ensure that the deposit has been paid. Please ask at the school office if you require a barcode to pay at a PayPoint terminal.



Dates for the Diary

KS2 Sports Day – Pupils only

Y3 DT Week

Y4 Rawtenstall Town Centre Visit

Y6 Race for Life at Witton Park

Reception & Y1 Smithills Farm Visit

Y2 & Y3 St. Anne's Seaside Visit

Wednesday 30th June

W/c Monday 5th July

Tuesday 6th July

Tuesday 6th July (morning)

Monday 12th July

Wednesday 14th July

Norfolk Street, Mill Hill, Blackburn BB2 4EW Tel: 01254 53148
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ALWAYS House Statistics

ALWAYS following the school rights this week:

HODDER	CALDER	BLAKEWATER	RIBBLE
100%	100%	100%	98%

Congratulations!

Well done to the following children for being chosen to receive an award this week.



	Stars of the Week	Headteacher's Award Winner Christian Values
Reception (Miss Keegan)	Dayton & Amelia	Jay
Year 1 (Miss Rigby)	Emmie & Layla	Abbie
Year 2 (Miss Yates)	Amelia & Shayden	Marisa
Year 3 (Mrs Moss)	Tilly & Blake	Harvey
Year 4 (Miss Hunt)	Terry & Daisy	Ethan
Year 5 (Mr Hammond)	Macey F & Gracie-Mae	Geoff
Year 6 (Mrs Rourke)	Jacob & Kai	Anthony

Kind regards,

Mrs D Greenwood
Headteacher