



It is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.

Parable of the Mustard Seed- Matthew 13:31-32

Message from Miss Mills

Dear Families

As we come to the close of the spring term, I want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a wonderfully successful and enriching few months here at St. Andrews. Our children have thrived through a variety of enrichment activities, church events, sporting competitions, and memorable trips that have brought learning and community spirit to life.

The Mother's Day and Easter services were truly a delight. A heartfelt thank you to all the families who contributed by creating such beautiful Easter bonnets – your creativity and support made these celebrations very special for everyone.

I would also like to express my deepest gratitude to our dedicated staff. Their hard work and commitment every day ensure that your children grow and flourish in a nurturing environment, one that reflects our shared values and vision.

A special thank you goes to SASA for their tireless efforts in raising funds to enhance our school facilities. We are excited to share that the sensory path is nearly complete, promising even more opportunities for our children to learn and play in a stimulating environment.

As we head into the Easter break, I wish you all a joyful and restful holiday. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for an exciting summer term filled with new opportunities and continued growth.

“Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.” – Galatians 6:9

Warmest regards,

Rachel Mills

Executive Headteacher

What's coming up this week...

Monday 13th April

Return to school!
PE Kit - Willow & Oak

Tuesday 14th April

Wednesday 15th April

PE Kit - Maple

Thursday 16th April

PE Kit - Maple
Swimming Gala Final @ the Snowdome 6-8pm

Friday 17th April

Ukulele lessons Willow - Please bring in your instrument
PE Kit - Willow
Rock up & Read - 8:45-9:15am

Please access the Schools' website for key events -

St Andrew's- [Upcoming Events | St. Andrew's CE Primary School](http://st-andrews-cliftoncampville.staffs.sch.uk)
(st-andrews-cliftoncampville.staffs.sch.uk)

Dates to note...

April

- 6th April - Clifton Campville Craft Group - Wall-Hanging Ceremony - 10am in the village hall - flyer below
- **13th April - Return to school!**
- 16th April - Swimming Gala Final @ the Snowdome 6-8pm
- 17th April - Rock up & Read - 8:45-9:15am
- 20th April - Chaplaincy Service sessions 1:30pm-3:30pm please book
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScnd4XPkkjX_L2tqXomGWveuj5C8RlcS42c263IWA7KKydl_g/viewform?usp=header
- 23rd April - KS1 Trip to Rosliston Forestry Centre - please complete google form on Dojo and make payments on Arbor
- 29th April - The Boccia Event @ The Howard - 4-5:30pm

May

- **4th May - Bank Holiday!**
- 6th May - KS2 - Walsall Art Gallery Trip - Details to follow
- 8th May - Rock up & Read - 8:45-9:15am
- 11th - 15th May - Year 6 SATS week
- 18th - 22nd May - Walk to School Week
- 18th-20th May - Year 5-6 Residential to Standon Bowers, please continue to make payments the balance is due on May 4th.
- 21st May School census day - please help us by ordering a school dinner if possible!
- 22nd May - Values Celebration worship 9am in school
- **25th - 29th May - Half Term!**

Dinners for Week Commencing 13th April 2026 - Week 1

Please all can you preorder your childrens meals on Arbor



WINTER MENU FROM NOVEMBER 2025



V Vegetarian
VE Vegan
GF Gluten Free
DF Dairy Free

Week 1

Monday

Mains
Beef Bolognese
100% beef bolognese with sliced garlic bread

Sides
Seasonal vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Homemade Apple Cake (v) or Fresh Fruit

Tuesday

Mains
Tuna and Cheese Pasta Bake
Served with sliced herby potatoes

Sides
Seasonal vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Natural Yoghurt (v) or Fresh Fruit

Wednesday

Mains
Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Homemade Pizza Dough topped with Cheese and Tomato. Served with Potato Croquettes

Sides
Seasonal vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Freshly Baked Oat and Raisin Cookies (v) or Fresh Fruit

Thursday

Mains
Roast Chicken
100% Chicken breast, served with roast potatoes, yorkshire pudding and gravy

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Apple and Berry Crumble (v) or Fresh Fruit

Friday

Mains
Fish Fingers
Breaded cod served with oven fried chips

Sides
Seasonal vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Ice Cream (v, ve, gf) or Fresh Fruit

Daily Options

Jacket Potatoes
Freshly baked jacket potatoes. 1 filling from a choice of Tuna, Cheese or Beans (v, ve, gf)

Tomato Pasta Bake
Wholemeal pasta in a tomato sauce (v, ve, gf)

Homemade Toasties
50/50 bread, with filling options of Tuna, Cheese or Ham.

Homemade Soup and Sandwich
Soup made using fresh seasonal vegetables. Some vegetables are grown in the school allotments at selected schools. 50/50 bread, with filling options of Tuna, Cheese or Ham.

All options are served with seasonal vegetables, potato option of the day and fresh salad bar

Week 2

Monday

Mains
BBQ Chicken
100% chicken breast, topped with BBQ sauce and sliced peppers

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Chocolate and Caramel Cake
Cocoa chocolate and sugar free condensed milk caramel cake (v) or Fresh Fruit

Tuesday

Mains
All day breakfast
100% Pork sausage, beans, hash brown and an egg omelette

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Homemade Raisin Flapjack (v, ve) or Fresh Fruit

Wednesday

Mains
Cottage Pie
100% beef. Topped with sliced potatoes and gravy.

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Apple Crumble (v) or Fresh Fruit

Thursday

Mains
Roast Ham
100% pork, served with roast potatoes, yorkshire pudding and gravy or cheese sauce

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Homemade Chocolate Brownie (v) or Cocoa chocolate brownie or Fresh Fruit

Friday

Mains
Fish Fingers
Breaded cod served with oven fried chips

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Ice Cream (v, ve, gf) or Fresh Fruit

Daily Options

Jacket Potatoes
Freshly baked jacket potatoes. 1 filling from a choice of Tuna, Cheese or Beans (v, ve, gf)

Tomato Pasta Bake
Wholemeal pasta in a tomato sauce (v, ve, gf)

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Week 3

Monday

Mains
Pork Meatballs
Pork meatballs served in a tomato and basil sauce with wholemeal pasta and Garlic Bread

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Natural Yoghurt (v) or Fresh Fruit

Tuesday

Mains
Sausage and Bean Casserole
Pork sausage in a baked bean casserole sauce topped with sliced potatoes

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Lemon Cake (v) or Fresh Fruit

Wednesday

Mains
Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Homemade Pizza Dough topped with Cheese and Tomato. Served with Potato Croquettes

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Pancakes and fresh fruit (v) or Natural Yoghurt

Thursday

Mains
Roast Chicken
100% Chicken breast, served with roast potatoes, yorkshire pudding and gravy

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Fresh Berry Sponge Cake (v) or Fresh Fruit

Friday

Mains
Fish Fingers
Breaded cod served with oven fried chips

Sides
Seasonal Vegetables of the day and Homemade fresh salad bar

Desserts
Ice Cream (v, ve, gf) or Fresh Fruit

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All of our food is made on site using the freshest ingredients and complies with all Government legislation for nutritional value for schools

This Weeks Attendance @ St Andrews

Government guidelines on attendance

Full attendance (100%) should be the standard expected.

Attendance of 97% or above is very good,

97-95% is good,

95-90% is poor

Below 90% is a serious cause for concern.

Reception	96.7%
Year 1	100.0%
Year 2	100.0%
Year 3	96.4%
Year 4	98.3%
Year 5	90.3%
Year 6	88.9%

Well done to Year 1 and 2 for this week's 100% attendance!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

ATTENDANCE DURING ONE SCHOOL YEAR	EQUALS APPROXIMATE DAYS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY WEEKS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY LESSONS MISSED
95%	9 days	2 weeks	40 lessons
90%	19 days	4 weeks	80 lessons
85%	29 days	6 weeks	120 lessons
80%	38 days	8 weeks	160 lessons
75%	48 days	10 weeks	200 lessons
70%	57 days	11 ½ weeks	230 lessons
65%	67 days	13 ½ weeks	270 lessons

GETTING YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL REALLY DOES MATTER

DID YOU KNOW...?

In a school year, if your child is late every day by...

In a school year, if your child is late every day by...	Your child would have lost approximately...	or they would have missed approximately...
5 minutes	3 days from school	12 lessons
10 minutes	6 days from school	24 lessons
15 minutes	9 days from school	36 lessons
20 minutes	12 days from school	48 lessons
30 minutes	18 days from school	72 lessons

PLEASE ENCOURAGE PUNCTUALITY TO MAINTAIN ATTENDANCE

THE CLIFTON CAMPVILLE CRAFT GROUP
INVITES YOU TO OUR
WALL-HANGING CEREMONY @ 10:00
MONDAY - 6th APRIL, 2026
AT THE VILLAGE HALL
COME & SEE HOW YOUR PROPERTY HAS BEEN
DEPICTED FOR YEARS TO COME!

Coffee Shop will be
open as usual
(9:30 - 12pm)
Serving cake, crumpets,
toast, croissants, Tea &
Speciality Coffees

*We hope you can
join us on this
momentous day to
celebrate with our
community*

PLUS,
DON'T FORGET TO
VISIT THE
THE CRAFT GROUP'S
MINI CRAFT FAIR
BEFORE
YOU LEAVE!

Spelling Bee

Spring Spelling Bee Reminder

Please don't forget to practice your Spring Spelling Bee words in preparation for the next round of heats scheduled for the week commencing 23rd March.

To access the latest list of Spring Spelling Bee words, please visit the school website.

Good luck to all our spellers as you continue to grow and flourish!

St Andrews: <https://st-andrews-cliftoncampville.staffs.sch.uk/children/spelling-bee>



Wraparound Care!



**Wrap
Around
Care**

After School Club (Everyday)

- ✓ Lego
- ✓ Crafts/Arts
- ✓ Board Games
- ✓ ICT
- ✓ Outdoor Activities

After school club session 1 (3.30 – 4.30 pm): £5.20
After school club Session 2 (3.30 – 5.15 pm): £9.05 Includes a drink and a snack
Fruit and water are available to all children throughout the sessions

**BOOKABLE VIA ARBOR AND COMPLETE ALL
FORMS AND SIGN POLICY AVAILABLE ON
WEBSITE**

Please go onto the website for registration, medical and policy forms - download and complete and give to the office.

<https://st-andrews-cliftoncampville.staffs.sch.uk/our-school/care-club>

Please also book your place via Arbor

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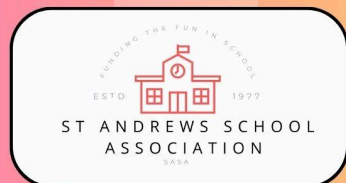
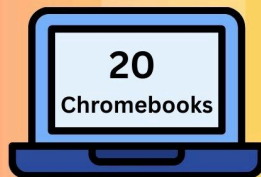
Thank you for all your generosity!
SASA have been able to support our school with resources,
enrichment, & improved outdoor spaces!

We are excited to announce our next:

FUNDRAISING GOAL



£5,000



THANK YOU!!

Last term we raised £2,229.87!

FUNDRAISED (PROFIT)

Reading Shed Opening
£36.87
Break The Rules Day £63
Rocket & Roll Disco £164.32
Breakfast With Santa
£824.26
Christingle £133.33
SASA School Lottery
£887.20
Christmas Cards £36.50
Reindeer Races & Crimbo
Cash Grab £84.39

Total £2,229,87

FUNDED

Zactiv Gladiator Visit (&
foam fingers) £430.84
Christmas Gifts £105.13
Pantomime £280
Coach for Statfold trip £40

Total £855.97

Reminders

Trips

The Rosliston Trip for Maple class and the Residential to Standon Bowers are available to pay on Arbor, please make payments by the deadline stated on Dojo and Arbor.

Arbor payments

Would you please check your Arbor Parental Portal for any outstanding payments. We would like to keep all accounts in credit or cleared of any debt.

Thank you for your understanding.

Important: Urgent Safety Notice Regarding School Access

We are writing to ask for your urgent cooperation regarding morning drop-offs and afternoon pick-ups. To ensure the safety of all our pupils and to allow the school to function smoothly, please adhere to the following:

No Access to School Gates: Please do not drive into the school gates at any time. This area must remain clear for staff access and emergency vehicles.

Keep Zig-Zags Clear: Do not park or pull over on the yellow zig-zag lines. These are in place to provide a clear line of sight for children crossing the road.

We ask that you park safely further up the road and walk the remaining distance to the gates.

Current parking behaviours are creating significant safety risks for our children and preventing staff from entering the car park. We appreciate your support in keeping our school environment safe and accessible for everyone.

Term Dates 2025-2026

Spring Term 2026

Term Starts: Tuesday 6 January

Holiday: Monday 16 February – Friday 20 February

Term Ends: Friday 27 March

Holiday: Monday 30 March – Friday 10 April

Easter Sunday: Sunday 5 April

Summer Term 2026

Term Starts: Monday 13 April

May Day: Monday 4 May

Holiday: Monday 25 May – Friday 29 May

Term Ends: Friday 17 July

Inset: Monday 20 July

Holiday: Monday 20 July – Monday 31 August



OPERATION ENCOMPASS

We are an Operation Encompass School

For further information, please come and see us.

OPERATION ENCOMPASS
In every force. In every school. For every child.

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

The poster features a photograph of five children from diverse backgrounds standing in a line with their arms around each other's shoulders, viewed from behind. The background is a soft-focus outdoor setting. The text is overlaid on the image, and logos for Operation Encompass, Staffordshire Police, and the local authority are at the bottom.