

St Bartholomew's News



12th January 2024



Happy New Year to all our children, parents and families.

Something Mrs Wainwright has enjoyed this week has been seeing the children return to school after the holiday with such a positive attitude.

Worship – Our new theme is Perseverance and this week we have started to look at what that means and how we can use our faith and beliefs to help us keep going when things become difficult.

Attribute - The new half-termly attribute that we will be promoting and rewarding is Resilience.

What we are doing to make things better - We are currently developing the old cloakroom areas in years 5/6 into much needed working spaces for groups and interventions.

CAR PARKING – Unfortunately, several of our parents have received parking fines this week. These have been issued by wardens for parking on the yellow lines or mounting the curb to park where the yellow lines are. We again ask you to park legally and safely. We also ask that if you park at the other side of school you do not block residents' drives. We are aware of how difficult parking is around school as there is such little space but we have no influence over this and can only ask you to consider how and where you park if coming to school to drop off and collect your children by car.

URGENT

Primary School Application - If your child is due to start Reception in September 2024, the deadline to apply is Monday 15th January 2024.

Attendance – Last term (September – December) attendance was a great improvement on the previous year but we want to be better. Being in school on time is the only way our children are going to make the best progress and reach their potential and fully join in school life.

Nursery – 89.2%

Reception to Year 6 – 95.5%

We expect all children to be in school every day unless too ill to attend, this does not include a common cold. If you have any issues with getting your children to school on time, please ask and we may be able to offer you support with this.

Year Group Leaders – If you want to ask a general question or want to arrange to speak to your child's year group leader and it is not urgent you can email them and they will get back to you as soon as they can.

nursery@stbartsleeds.org.uk

reception@stbartsleeds.org.uk

year1year2@stbartsleeds.org.uk

year3year4@stbartsleeds.org.uk

year5year6@stbartsleeds.org.uk

If you need any help or support with anything and are not sure who to ask, please see Mrs Wainwright and we will do our best to support you. Call in or email and she will get back to you as soon as she can.

headteacher@stbartsleeds.org.uk

If you need any family support around parenting, uniform, referrals for food support etc. or safeguarding concerns please see Miss Lawson or email fs@stbartsleeds.org.uk.

School Dates 2023 - 2024:

Friday 26th January 2024

Friday 9th February 2024

Monday 19th February 2024

Thursday 28th March 2024

Monday 15th April 2024

Friday 3rd May 2024

Tuesday 7th May 2024

Friday 24th May 2024

Monday 3rd June 2024

Friday 14th June 2024

Friday 19th July 2024

Training Day- No Children in School

School Closes at 3.30pm

School Opens at 8.30am

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Training Day- No Children in School

School Closes Summer Break at 3.30pm

School Dates: 2024-2025

Monday 2nd September 2024

Friday 25th October 2024

Monday 4th November 2024

Friday 20th December 2024

Monday 6th January 2025

Friday 14th February 2025

Monday 24th February 2025

Friday 4th April 2025

Tuesday 22nd April 2025

Friday 2nd May 2025

Tuesday 6th May 2025

Friday 23rd May 2025

Monday 2nd June 2025

Monday 21st & Tuesday 22nd July 2025

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Training Days to be confirmed