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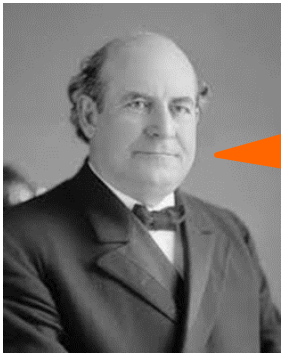
Head of School: Mr K Scanlon



St Anthony's Catholic Primary Sch  
Fordbridge Road,  
Kingshurst,  
Birmingham  
B37 6LW

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2025

*This half term, we are growing to be eloquent and truthful in what we say of ourselves, the relations between people, and the world.*



*Eloquent speech is not from lip to ear but rather from heart to heart.*

William Jennings Bryan – American lawyer

## Welcome back!

We hope you have all had a relaxing and healthy summer. It has been a wonderful first week back in school - the children have come back full of enthusiasm and looking exceptionally smart in their uniforms. They really are a credit to their families. Our new members of staff have all commented on how polite and hard working they are. The biggest joy at this time of year always comes from seeing the new additions to our school family in Reception, Nursery and Tiny Ants - welcoming new families or meeting the next child from families we have known for years. They have all settled in so well and we look forward to working with you all throughout the year.

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*Pope Leo XIV says...*

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Let us not be afraid to ask, even when it seems to us that we do not deserve.

## Summer Reading Challenge



*If your child took part in the Summer Reading Challenge, please encourage them to bring their certificate into school in September so we can celebrate their achievements.*

# Secondary School Open Evenings

Choosing the right secondary school for your child is a huge decision and applications must be made by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025. We would strongly advise visiting the schools you are applying to. Please find information about the open days for our two OLAAS secondary schools below. They are open to families of all pupils in Year 5 and Year 6.

*John Henry  
Newman  
Catholic  
College  
18.9.25*



John Henry Newman Catholic College  
**2025 Open Evening**

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

**4pm to 7pm**

office@jhnc.org | 0121 770 5331

**Heart Speaks to Heart**

*Faith is our Foundation*



We welcome prospective pupils and their families to attend our

**OPEN EVENING**

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September 5.30pm-8.00pm

*St. Peter's  
Catholic  
School  
18.9.25*



St Peter's Catholic School, Whitefields Road, Solihull, B91 3NZ  
Tel: 0121 705 3988 [www.st-peters.solihull.sch.uk](http://www.st-peters.solihull.sch.uk)



# Medication

*REMINDER: Please remember to bring in any medication your child may need including inhalers.*



## Illness and Attendance

### **Student Illness and School Attendance**

To ensure the health and well-being of all students and staff, we kindly ask that you keep your child at home if they are experiencing symptoms of illness. Children should remain home if they have a fever of 100.4°F (38°C) or higher, are vomiting, have diarrhoea or show signs of contagious conditions.

### **Unacceptable Reasons for School Absence**

While we understand that every child may occasionally feel unwell, it is important to distinguish between minor discomfort and genuine illness that warrants absence from school. Vague symptoms such as “feeling unwell,” mild headaches, or general tiredness are not considered valid reasons to keep a child home and absence due to these reasons will not be authorised. In such cases, we encourage parents to use appropriate over-the-counter medication, such as paracetamol, before school. If your child’s condition worsens during the day, school staff will monitor them and contact you if it becomes necessary for them to be collected. Regular attendance is essential for your child’s academic progress and social development. We appreciate your support in ensuring that absences are limited to genuine illness in line with school guidelines.

# School Absence Requests

Parents/Carers please be advised that Solihull Council require parents to give school **4 weeks** notice to put in a leave of absence request which is a change from the current 2 weeks. These changes will be reflected in the school attendance policy when it is updated in November 2025.

## National Threshold

Penalty Notice Fines are issued to each parent who allow their child to be absent from school. There will be a single consistent national threshold for when a Penalty Notice must be considered by all schools in England of **10 sessions** (usually equivalent to five school days) of unauthorised absence within a rolling **10 school week period**. Three siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent who allowed the holiday receiving three separate fines. A five day holiday would meet the national threshold. The 10-school week period can span different terms or school years.

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for an unauthorised absence, the fine amount will be: • £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days. • Increasing to £160 if paid between days 22-28.

**Second Offence (within 3 years)** The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be: • £160 per parent (who allowed the holiday), per child, payable within 28 days

## **Third Offence and Any Further Offences (within 3 years)**

The third time an offence is committed a Penalty Notice will not be issued and local authorities will need to consider other available measures to address the absence concerns. This may mean that cases are presented before a Magistrate's Court. Prosecution can result in criminal records and fines of up to £2,500. Cases found guilty in the Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to 'failure to secure a child's regular attendance'.

# PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM)

We warmly invite all parents and staff to join us for our PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM) which will take place on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 2:15pm** in the hut.

By being part of our school community, every parent and member of staff is automatically part of the Parent and Teacher Association, so this is an open invitation to all.

- The AGM is a chance to:  
Hear about the events and activities organised by the PTA over the past year.
- Find out how the money raised has been used to benefit the children in our school.
- Share ideas for future fundraising and community events.
- Elect the new PTA committee for the coming year.

Your support and input make a real difference to the life of our school.

Whether you'd like to get more involved or simply find out more, we'd love to see you there!



# Tiny Ants

We have had a fabulous first week back welcoming our new children, who have settled so well. They have enjoyed painting, water play, making pizzas for our friends, making cards for our families, posting with Peppa and rolling cars down the slide.



# Nursery

This week in Nursery we have been making friends and working hard learning each other's names and the names of our teachers. We have also done lots of playing in the sand and water tray and have had lots of fun making playdough creations. Nursery have also loved playing outside on the climbing frame and building obstacles courses with their new friends.

Well done Nursery for a great first week!



## Reminder

Please can you label your child's bag, coat and bottle with their name.

Thank You.



# Reception

Reception have had a brilliant transition week. We began with a beautiful and spiritual time of prayer, reflecting on the words of St Thérèse of Lisieux: "What matters in life is not great deeds, but great love." The children have enjoyed a variety of activities including: playing with playdough, printing with paint, drawing pictures of our school and their new friends, engaging in fun maths games, constructing buildings, and writing all about their holidays.

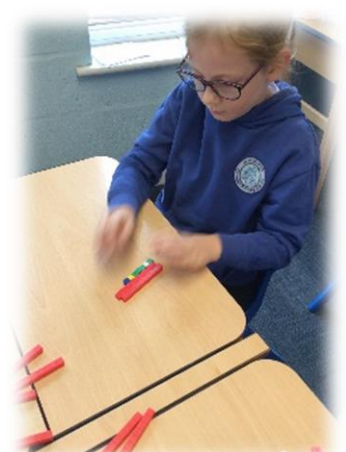
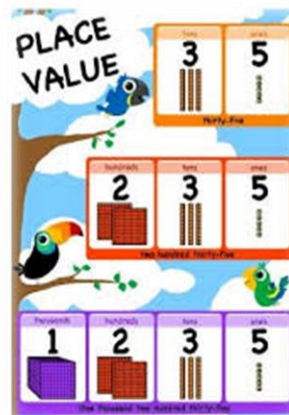
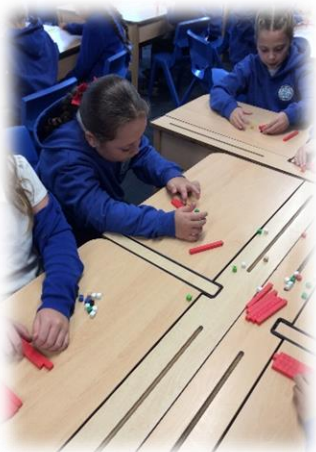
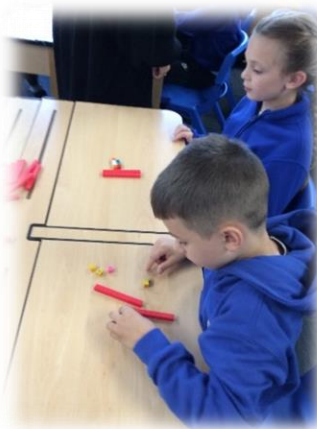
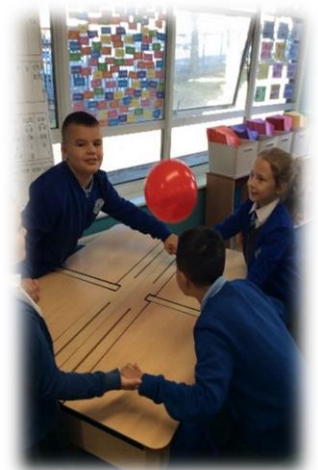
We are so proud of how well they have started their time in Reception!



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SO PROUD  
OF YOU

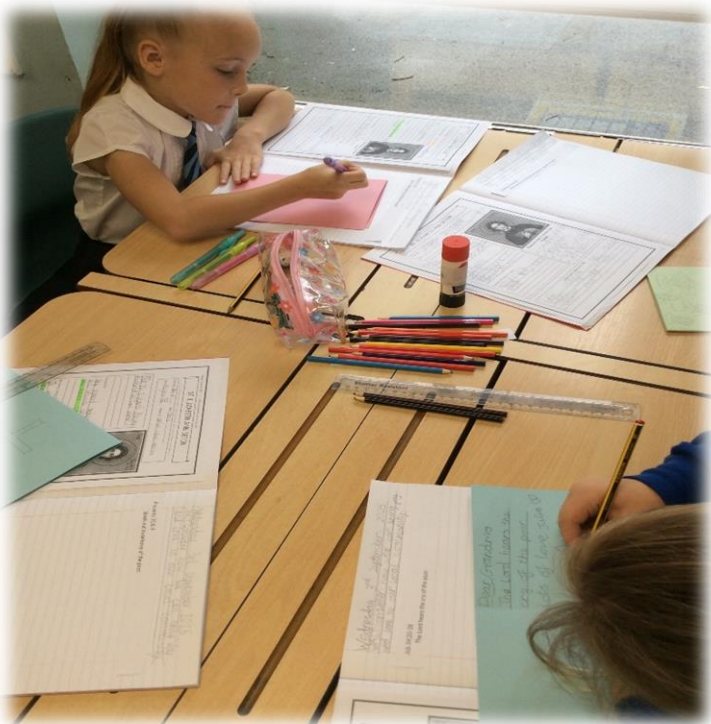
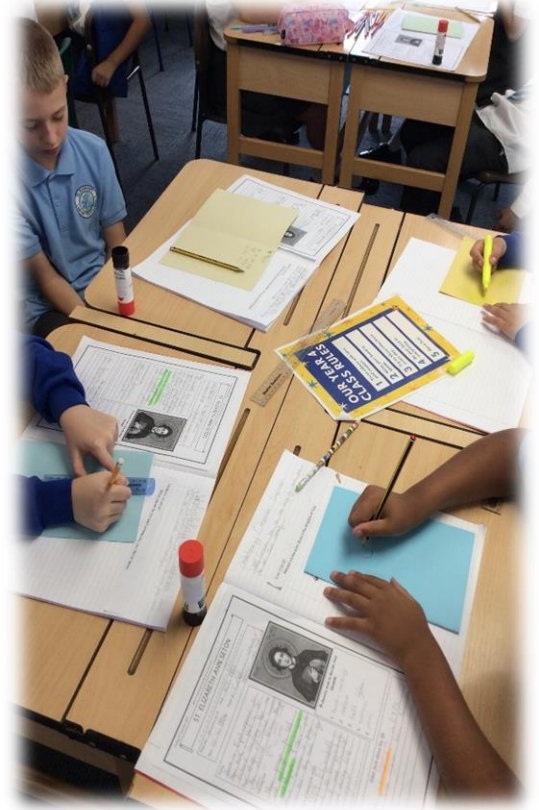
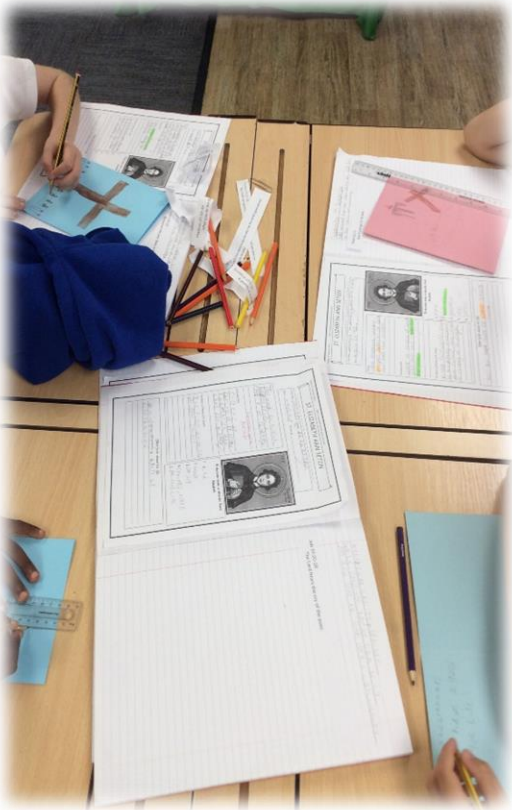
# Year 3

Year 3 have had a wonderful start to the term! We kicked off with some fun Kagan games and then began our learning on place value in Maths. We started looking at fractured fairytales in English, and have been enjoying reading our class novel 'Planet Omar'. We learned a lot about our class saint - St Gianna Boretta Molla - and assessed how we can use our God-given gifts and talents wisely in RE.



# Year 4

What an exciting week for Year 4! We have settled in fantastically and even started our new reading book, 'Llama Out Loud' (with plenty of laughs about a very chaotic llama!). We have also been rooted in faith while learning about our new class saint - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Thinking about helping the poor and vulnerable, we created cards to share this worthy messages with others.



# Year 5

Year 5 had a fantastic first PE lesson yesterday. Their topic at the moment is multi-skills so they were practicing running, throwing, jumping and fitness exercises.



# Summer Uniform

*Summer uniform can be worn after Easter until Autumn Term in October.*

## School Caps

*School caps are recommended during the hot weather, these can be purchased from the School Office and are £6 (please pay on ParentPay)*

*\*\*School caps only – no other caps to be worn\*\**



## Boys

*\*Grey trousers or school shorts*

*\*White sleeved shirt with a school tie or blue or white polo shirt*

*\*Black school shoes*

*\*Blue school jumper*

## Girls

*\*Grey skirt, trousers, pinafore or blue gingham dress*

*\*White blouse with tie or blue or white polo shirt*

*\*Black school shoes (no heels, no sandals)*

*\*Blue school cardigan or jumper*

# Lansdown Dental Practice...

We are thrilled to share that Lansdown Dental Practice is currently accepting NHS patients for dental treatment! We are excited to welcome you to our practice and provide you with the best dental care.

## Our Details:

- Practice Name: Lansdown Dental Practice
- Address:711 Chester Road, Castle Bromwich, B36 0LN
- Contact Number:0121 770 8090



## Special Announcement:

We understand how busy life can get, especially for families. That's why they offer child-friendly practice appointments during the school holidays, providing a convenient solution for managing your family's dental care. Don't delay—act today! Give us a call to secure your spot and avoid disappointment.

New Patient Registration is Available: They are currently accepting new patient registrations for a limited period at Lansdown Dental Practice. This is a great opportunity to start your journey towards a healthier smile. We look forward to helping you and your family maintain healthy smiles!

## **REMEMBER CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS OLD ARE ENTITLED TO FREE DENTAL TREATMENT**

Additionally, if you or your partner receive certain benefits, you can also get free NHS dental treatment, including:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Pension Credit Guarantee Credit
- Pension Credit Guarantee Credit with Savings Credit
- Universal Credit (only if your income is below a certain amount)

Just call one of our friendly reception team who will only be more than happy to assist you. They are excited to announce that Lansdown Dental Practice is currently accepting

# Are you a young carer...

## ARE YOU A YOUNG CARER? DOES YOUR CHILD COMPLETE ANY OF THESE TASKS FOR AN ADULT AT HOME?

You may be a young carer if you support someone at home by helping them do any of the following because they can't do it themselves due to needing care and support.

Here are some examples of the type of tasks you may do as a young carer:

- Get washed.
- Get dressed.
- Help with reading, writing and hearing.
- Shopping.
- Paying bills or managing money.
- Medication.
- Organising family life.

Come and speak with Miss Watkins who can help make a referral to The Carers Trust.



# Online Safety for Parents and Carers

## 10 Top Tips for Parents and Educators

# RECOGNISING & MANAGING STRESS

According to recent studies, over 60% of young people report feeling regularly overwhelmed – with stress impacting their learning, emotional wellbeing and social connections. If left unaddressed, stress can lead to more serious concerns such as anxiety, depression or disengagement. This guide offers ten practical, evidence-based strategies to help children and young people recognise, manage and recover from stress in healthy ways.

### 1 SPOT THE SUBTLE SIGNS



Look out for changes in mood, behaviour, or energy levels, such as irritability, withdrawal, clinginess, or frequent headaches. These may indicate that a child is feeling overwhelmed. By tuning into these cues early and offering a calm, non-judgemental space to talk, adults can help children feel heard and supported before issues escalate.

### 2 KEEP CONVERSATIONS FLOWING



Make time for open, informal check-ins – whether it's during car journeys, over dinner, or in quiet classroom moments. Let children know it's okay to talk about what's bothering them. Regular, low-pressure conversations create a safe space where emotions are validated, not dismissed.

### 3 MAKE MOVEMENT PART OF THE DAY



Physical activity can dramatically reduce stress hormones while improving mood and focus. Encourage movement through activities children genuinely enjoy – from team sports to dancing around the kitchen. Even light activity like stretching or walking the dog can help us all unwind.

### 4 SUPPORT HEALTHY SLEEP PATTERNS



Poor sleep makes stress harder to manage. Establish a calming evening routine that avoids screens before bedtime and promotes winding down, such as reading, listening to music, or chatting quietly. Good sleep hygiene helps reset mood, enhances concentration, and boosts emotional resilience.

### 5 PRACTISE MINDFULNESS



Mindfulness doesn't have to mean long periods of meditation. A few slow breaths before lessons or short family meditation sessions before bed can make a real difference. These simple habits help children ground themselves, reduce emotional reactivity, and build inner calm over time.

### 6 SET DIGITAL BOUNDARIES



Excessive screen time, especially before bed or on social media, is linked with higher stress levels. Set clear expectations for when and where devices can be used and suggest screen-free alternatives like crafts, nature walks, or board games to promote digital balance and reduce overstimulation.

### 7 NURTURE SOCIAL CONNECTIONS



Strong relationships act as a buffer against stress. Whether it's a trusted adult, a sibling, or a good friend, ensure children have people around them they can talk to and spend quality time with. Help them build those bonds through shared activities and meaningful interaction.

### 8 PROGRESS OVER PERFECTION



Set realistic goals and praise effort, not just outcomes. When children feel pressured to be perfect, stress naturally follows. Celebrate small wins and help them reframe setbacks as learning opportunities. This helps build confidence and reduces the fear of failure.

### 9 TEACH EVERYDAY PROBLEM-SOLVING



Use real-life scenarios to build resilience. Encourage children to identify problems, consider possible solutions, and choose a plan of action. Practising these steps builds a sense of control and reduces the helplessness that often accompanies stress.

### 10 BE THE MODEL THEY NEED



Children notice how adults respond to challenges. Model healthy coping strategies such as taking breaks, asking for help, or calmly expressing frustration. By showing how you manage stress constructively, you help normalise these behaviours and encourage children to do the same.

## Meet Our Expert

Anna Bateman is Director of Halcyon Education Ltd, Director for Wellbeing and Family Services at Leigh Trust, and lead expert for mental health at The National College. Anna specialises in strategic mental health solutions for schools, supporting educators and families to improve resilience, emotional literacy, and overall wellbeing for children across the UK.



# #WakeUpWednesday

The National College

*Support for Parents and Carers*

# Family Helpline

**Early Help support for families  
and professionals in Solihull**

**0121 788 4327**

**Live from 3 March 2025**

**Available Monday-Thursday 09:00-16:30,  
Friday 09:00-16:00**

**Our dedicated team of duty workers support  
with topics such as:**

- **Parenting and family guidance**
- **School attendance and support in coordinating Early Help assessments and plans**
- **Signposting to local services such as Solihull Family Hubs**
- **Child behavioural issues and social development**
- **Health and emotional wellbeing**
- **Referrals to Family Support Workers**

**For safeguarding concerns, such as if a child is at risk of being harmed, call the Solihull Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) on 0121 788 4300**



**Working  
for Children  
and Families  
in Solihull**



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METROPOLITAN  
BOROUGH COUNCIL

# Support for Parents and Carers

Evergreen  
Family Hub



## Timetable

September 2025



Wherever you live in Solihull, we're here to support you

Family Hubs are local centres where children, young people, and families can access support and take part in fun activities! Our friendly staff and service providers work in partnership with you and your community to access the information and support you need. Some services offer drop-in sessions, whilst others require booked appointments. The Hubs are a safe space for you and your loved ones.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><b>Employment, training, and digital skills support – 09:00-16:00</b> Support with job searching, creating, emailing and sending your CV. Drop in or call <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a> to book an appointment.</p> <p><b>Buggy walk – 13:00-13:45</b> <i>Weather dependant</i> Times may change for the stay and play workshop dependant on the weather. Families to be notified through the <a href="#">Evergreen Facebook page</a> or changes to app.</p> <p><b>Stay and play – 13:30-15:00</b> Come and play and meet new friends. Suitable for ages 0-4 and their parents/carers. No booking required, just come along and join in with the fun!</p> <p><b>After-school club – 15:30-16:30</b> Play board games, do quizzes, art, table tennis and other fun activities. Suitable for ages 4-12, parents/carers must stay and supervise their children.</p>	<p><b>Health Visitor clinic – 09:00-14:00</b> Booked appointments for parents and their babies and children with the Health Visiting team. Book by speaking to your Health Visitor.</p> <p><b>Midwifery team – 09:30-15:30</b> Community midwives that provide maternity care outside of a hospital setting. Parent consultation workshops with midwifery team.</p> <p><b>Community coffee morning – 10:30-12:00</b> Come in for a cuppa and tell us what you would like to see happening at Evergreen or find out more about volunteering and other services in your local area.</p> <p><b>Sensory room – 14:30-onwards</b> Slots available for the sensory room. To book, call Evergreen on <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a>.</p>	<p><b>Employment, training, and digital skills support – 09:00-16:00</b> Support with job searching, creating, emailing and sending your CV. Drop in or call <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a> to book an appointment.</p> <p><b>Health in the hearts of our community social group – 10:30-12:00</b> Social group including fun, games and a cuppa! Learn more about heart health through one-to-one consultations.</p> <p><b>Health visitors' sensory play – 13:00-15:00</b> <i>Weather dependant Every second and last week of the month – 10 and 24 September</i> To book, call the Health Visiting Team on <a href="tel:07507332563">0750 733 2563</a>.</p> <p><b>Family support worker drop-in – 13:00-16:00</b> Drop-in service, advice, support and signposting to other services. Helpline is provided at Evergreen on Wednesday afternoon on <a href="tel:01217884327">0121 788 4327</a></p> <p><b>Sensory room – 14:30-onwards</b> Slots available for the sensory room. To book, call Evergreen on <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a>.</p> <p><b>Seasonal crafts – 15:30-16:30</b> Autumn-themed craft workshop.</p>	<p><b>Health Visitor clinic – 09:00-14:00</b> Booked appointments for parents and their babies and children with the Health Visiting team. Book by speaking to your Health Visitor.</p> <p><b>Family support worker workshop – 10:00-13:00</b> Solution focused workshop</p> <p><b>Sensory room – 15:00-onwards</b> Slots available for the sensory room. To book, call Evergreen on <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a>.</p>	<p><b>Employment, training, and digital skills support – 09:00-15:30</b> Support with job searching, creating, emailing and sending your CV. Drop in or call <a href="tel:01217791724">0121 779 1724</a> to book an appointment.</p> <p><b>Midwifery team – 09:30-15:30</b> Community midwives that provide maternity care outside of a hospital setting. Parent consultation workshops with midwifery team.</p> <p><b>Stay and play – 10:00-11:30</b> Come and play and meet new friends. Suitable for ages 0-4 and their parents/carers. No booking required, just come along and join in with the fun!</p> <p><b>Family activities – 13:30-15:30</b> Bring your homework, play board games, do quizzes, art, table tennis and other fun activities. Suitable for 4-12 years, parents/carers must stay and supervise their children.</p>

**Wellbeing and advice**

**Here2Help**

Family Hubs can help with food, toiletries, fuel, money, staying well, and keeping safe. To find out more, visit [www.solihull.gov.uk/here2help](http://www.solihull.gov.uk/here2help).

**Health visiting**

To speak to a health visitor, text Chat Health on 0750 733 2563 between 09:00-16:00, Monday-Friday.

**Women's Aid**

If you or someone you know needs support, call Women's Aid at 0808 800 0028. Available seven days a week, 09:15-17:15.

**Mental health support**

The Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust provide guidance and reassurance to people of all ages. Call 0800 915 9292 or 0121 262 3555.

**Midwives**

Please call your midwife using the phone number in your red book.

**What else can the Family Hubs offer?**

**Help and support**  
Speak to our friendly staff

**Stay and play area**  
Toys, books, and soft play

**Sensory room**  
To book, call [0121 779 6943](tel:01217796943)

**Computers and private work pods**  
Internet and phone access

**Community wardrobe**  
Free clothing

[42 Kinshurst Way, Kinshurst, Solihull, B37 6DX](https://www.solihull.gov.uk/42-kinshurst-way-kinshurst-solihull-b37-6dx)

[Family Hubs | solihull.gov.uk](https://www.solihull.gov.uk) [Solihull Family Hubs](https://www.solihull.gov.uk) [evergreen@colebridge.org](mailto:evergreen@colebridge.org) [0121 779 1724](tel:01217791724)



## Attendance Support

Chloe and Liz will be completing weekly drop in sessions in the north and south of Solihull. They will be offering attendance advice, support and guidance.

Drop in session details:

**Tuesday 12-1.30pm @ Elmwood Place**

**Wednesday 9.30-11.30am @ Monkspath Juniors and Infants School**

Located in the bungalow to the left of the school building.

There is no need to make an appointment. Just drop in during the drop in times above.

Does your child worry about going to school?

Do you feel you have tried everything to ensure your child attends school but nothing seems to be working?

Do you feel there has been a relationship breakdown with your child's school?

Do you have general questions around school attendance?

Then please attend one of our drop in sessions for attendance support.

Elmwood Place  
37 Burtons Way,  
Birmingham  
B36 0UG



Monkspath Juniors and Infants  
5 Farmhouse Way,  
Shirley,  
Solihull,

If you have any questions please email [attendancenquiries@solihull.gov.uk](mailto:attendancenquiries@solihull.gov.uk)

# Support for Parents and Carers

Did you know Solihull now has a new Family Help Line?



This has launched to support families and the people around them. You can now call 0121 788 4327 for advice, information, strategies & support on things like:

- Parenting support
- Family conflict particularly because of difficulties managing children's behaviours
- Parents/carers needing support if they are struggling to get their child/ren into school and getting in trouble because of this
- Parents/carers struggling to manage their child's health, developmental or social needs (including mental health)

The team can offer:

- Signposting to services and what's on offer at the Family Hubs
- Referral to a Family Support Worker
- Advice and Support on the wider Early Help offer & how this works

**\*\* This is not a safeguarding or social work service, so if you are worried about a child being unsafe – please call the MASH on 0121 788 4300.**

According to Ofcom, 90% of children are watching online videos and browsing the internet regularly. Children may love to stream videos and look up information, it's a fun way to learn and relax after all but they must be guided. The e-space is filled with inappropriate content and dangerous material. It is important that parents and even teachers, are able to steer their pupils and youngsters, towards the right places when online. Internet Matters has published a guide dedicated to supporting adults in setting digital boundaries for children, so that they can make smart choices and build healthy online habits. In the Internet Matters guide you'll find practical tips on managing content access, the use of safety controls, advice on setting boundaries and ways to educate children on how to stay secure online. If interested please follow the link below:

[Browsing and watching online safely guide Internet Matters](#)

# Lunch menu for wb. 8th September

**FOOD FESTIVAL**  
By Aspens

**LUNCH TIME**

**TRADITIONAL**  
Week 3

**Spring Summer 2025**  
05/05/25, 26/05/25,  
16/06/25, 07/07/25,  
28/07/25, 18/08/25,  
08/09/25, 29/09/25,  
20/10/25

**THE MAIN EVENT**  
BBQ Sweetcorn  
Pizza Slice  
with Wedges

**MEAT-FREE MAGIC**  
Veggie Dish  
Macaroni  
Cheese

**RAINBOW ALLEY**  
Vegetables and Salads  
Green Salad

**BIG TOPPING**  
Filled Jockats  
Beans,  
Cheese or  
Tuna Mayo

**DESSERT TROLLEY**  
Strawberry  
Frozen  
Yoghurt

**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**

**DAILY SANDWICHES AVAILABLE**

**DAILY SALAD BOWL, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD, YOGHURTS AND CUT FRUIT AVAILABLE DAILY**

**PASTA TWIRLER**  
AVAILABLE EVERY DAY  
Topped Pasta  
Hot Pasta  
topped with  
Homemade  
Tomato Sauce &  
Cheese

W1

Due to school dinners being cooked fresh, please ensure that you pre order meals that your child will eat. Unfortunately, we cannot offer alternatives

## Blue Runner

It is essential that all parents/carers have registered for a Blue Runner, even if your child does not order a school meal. You can register using the following link is <https://olaas.myschoolmealorders.com/login>. If you need any support in signing up, please let the school office know.

Thanks to the majority of parents who have signed up and who are pre ordering meals. We have had some brilliant Blue Runner feedback!



# Diary Dates



Term dates 2025 - 2026			
	Term starts	Half term	Term ends
Autumn	1 <sup>st</sup> September 2025	27 <sup>th</sup> Oct – 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	19 <sup>th</sup> December 2025
Spring	5 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	16 <sup>th</sup> Feb – 20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	27 <sup>th</sup> March 2026
Summer	13 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	25 <sup>th</sup> May - 29 <sup>th</sup> May	20 <sup>th</sup> July 2026

*Inset days:* 1<sup>st</sup> September, 24<sup>th</sup> October, **5<sup>th</sup> January**, 23<sup>rd</sup> February, **13<sup>th</sup> April**, 20<sup>th</sup> July

**\*\* The deadline for Secondary School applications is:  
31<sup>st</sup> October 2025 \*\***



Details of after-school clubs will follow



## P.E Days

Week beginning Monday 8th September

Reception – Friday

Year 1 – Monday & Wednesday

Year 2 – Monday & Friday

Year 3 – Tuesday & Friday

Year 4 – Wednesday & Thursday

Year 5 – Tuesday & Thursday

Year 6 – Tuesday (swimming) &  
Thursday





# Head Teacher's Awards



# Congratulations!

**Reception** – Well done to all of our Reception children; who have settled in so well!

**Year 1** – Olivia – for always trying her best, and setting an example for the rest of the Year!

**Year 2** – Ila – for an outstanding start to Year 2, and living out our school mission statement by loving others and learning joyfully following Jesus Christ.

**Year 3** – Marley – for a fantastic first week back – your positive attitude, hard work and enthusiasm have made you an absolute pleasure to teach 😊

**Year 4** – Ava-Mae – for putting her hand up in every subject, and treating others with love and respect.

**Year 5** – Kenny – for a fantastic first week in Year 5 😊

**Year 6** – Robyn – for showing our virtues in everything she does. You have really shone this week!

