

# St Berteline's Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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## St Bert's News

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### Happy New Year!!!

First of all, Happy New Year and welcome back. We hope you enjoyed a peaceful Christmas and that you and your loved ones have managed to have share some quality time together with family and friends.

We look forward to a busy and exciting Spring term together.

Thank you everybody for your support and patience when coming into school today. The staggered start really helped ease congestion and it was lovely to see the children all back in.

Tomorrow we will offer a staggered start again from **8:45am to 9:15am**. Based on the current weather forecast, we are aiming to open all pedestrian gates as usual and run the drop and go system but if there are significant changes over night, we will notify you by 8:00am tomorrow.

Please ensure you walk on the **gritted paths** into the school premises and into school.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

### New Years Resolution

Our school New Year's Resolution for 2026 is 'Perseverance'. Mrs Moss has been talking to the children, about being able to do hard things if we preserve.

### A Big Thank you to.....

A big thank you to those parents who sent in gifts for teachers and other staff before Christmas. They were very much appreciated and brightened the days of many.

Thank you to Heather and Tracey who spent a considerable amount of time organising the tickets for our school productions.

### Dates for your Diary

Dates for your Diary are being emailed out today.

Alternatively, why not head over to our website and view all

activities, residentials, assemblies etc on our school calendar. Which is located at the bottom of the page.

### Alder Hey Children's Hospital

A big well done to Isla Hill who sold beauty blenders, slime and bookmarks in school in December. Isla raised £207.26 for Alder Hey Children's Hospital.

Well done Isla!

### Tattenhall Residential

We wave goodbye to our Year 2 children next Thursday and Friday (15<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> January) when they visit Tattenhall.

Please ensure you have completed all paperwork and the residential has been paid for.

### Residentials

Please note the dates for our residentials.

### Burwardsley - Year 4

Group 1 - 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> February

Group 2 - 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> February

£130

There will be a meeting for all Year 4 parents with regards to this residential on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 3.30pm in the school. Please do your best to attend.

### Menai - Year 5

5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> May

### Year 6 Day Out

TBA

Please note that all residentials will be available on the SchoolHub system by the end of the week if they are not there already. We encourage all our parents to pay in instalments via Schoolhub. By doing this you can spread the cost so its not a large amount to find at the last minute.

### Attendance Policy

At St Bert's, high levels of attendance and punctuality are expected in order for children to reap the full benefits of what our school has to offer.

Our target is 96%



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### Happy Birthday



Happy Birthday to the following children who celebrate their

birthday this week:

Poppy Woosey  
Harper Jones  
Oscar Jenkins  
Jacob Butler-Hughes  
Daisy Boulton

We hope you have a wonderful birthday.

### Clubs

More information to follow.

### Choir

A separate email will be sent out tomorrow with regards to Choir.

### Stationery/PE Kits

A large number of children are running out of stationery as they have been working so hard last half term. Please could parents ensure their KS2 child has a working fountain pen (blue) and a red and black fine liner for school every day.

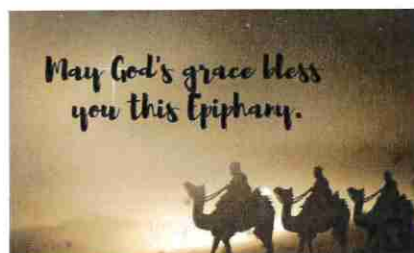
Please ensure your child has the correct kit for their PE lessons

in school. An indoor and outdoor kit is needed.

### Volunteers

Do you have some spare time in the mornings to support our class teachers first thing in the morning. We have a number of children who need daily reading practice in order to progress and develop their reading ability. If there are any parents or grandparents who could spare approximately 20 mins every morning to listen to a child read, then please speak to your child's teacher or Mrs Moss. Thank you!

### Quote of the Week



### Prayers

Prayers this week are for all the people effected by the tragic events in Switzerland.

God Bless them.