



St John Fisher Catholic Primary School
"With God's love, we are a family,
**CARING, LEARNING and
GROWING together.**"

Newsletter 6th March 2026

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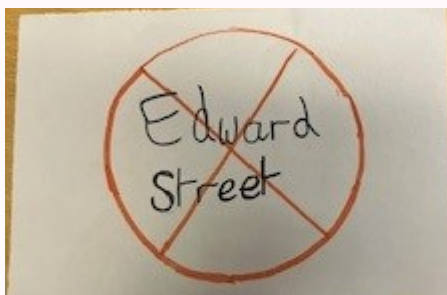
Despite our best efforts to make people aware of the dangers of parking on Edward Street people are still parking here, making it unsafe for our children.

We cannot stress enough how important it is to keep our children and families safe at drop off and pick up.

SHOW YOU CARE AND PARK ELSEWHERE

**KEEP EDWARD STREET CLEAR
NO TURNING AT THE GATES.**

**PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE TO OUR NEIGHBOURS AS
WE HAVE HAD A NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS WITH
PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE OF DOUBLE PARKING AND
BLOCKED PATHS.**



Attendance Matters – Every Day Counts!



Why Attendance Matters

- Good Attendance = Better Learning + Wellbeing + Safeguarding
- Every day in school matters, small amounts of absence add up.
- DfE expects schools to monitor attendance & support families early.

Parent Notifications via School Spider

Stay Informed at Key Attendance Levels

Below 96% (School Target)	93% & Below (Approaching Persistent Absence)	90% & Below (Persistent Absence)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Parents Notified ✓ Attendance Monitored 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⚠ Initial Notification 🕒 Monitored Weekly + Fortnightly Updates 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⚠ Initial Notification 🕒 Monitored Daily + Weekly Updates

Working Together for Success

- Early Support to Overcome Barriers
- Helping Every Child Attend & Achieve



Check the School Spider App Regularly!

Need Support?

- Concerns about illness, transport, or other issues?

Contact the School – We're Here to Help!



St. John Fisher Primary -
Attendance
2nd March to 6th March 2026

Year Group	Present: Marks	Late Marks	Weekly Rank- ing
Year R	90.7%	3	
Year Y1	98.3%	7	1st
Year Y2	96.4%	4	
Year Y3	97.3%	4	3rd
Year Y4	98.2%	3	2nd
Year Y5	95.8%	6	
Year Y6	97.0%	4	

Congratulations to the following Children who have been awarded our Smile, Dojo and Superstar awards



**Congratulations to the following
Children who won our Junior Safety
Officer competition**



**And to our wonderful choir (a few are
pictured below) who took part in the
Young Voices concert.**





The Cycle Partnership Ltd working with Halton Council and the BikeAbility Trust are proud to offer the following Holiday Courses: - Learn 2 Ride

Lessons are Fully Funded and Free to Halton School Children

School Year 3 – 6



1 Hour Sessions – 1000 – 1100, 1115 – 1215, 1300 - 1345

Children must be accompanied by an adult

Bike and Helmet can be supplied with notice

To Book click follow the Q Code or visit the website www.thecyclepartnership.co.uk/bikeability

Thursday 9th April
Brookvale Recreation Centre
Barnfield Avenue
Runcorn
WA7 6EP



Friday 10th April
Frank Myler Pavillion
99 Liverpool Road
Widnes
WA8 7EY



Terms and Conditions:

Only 1 place per person – we cannot take multiple bookings for the same person.

Your child's bike will be checked by our instructors and if found not suitable the bike will not be used.

Your child must be attending a Halton school in the academic years above.

The consent form must be filled in fully by the Parent or responsible adult.

Pre Loved Uniform

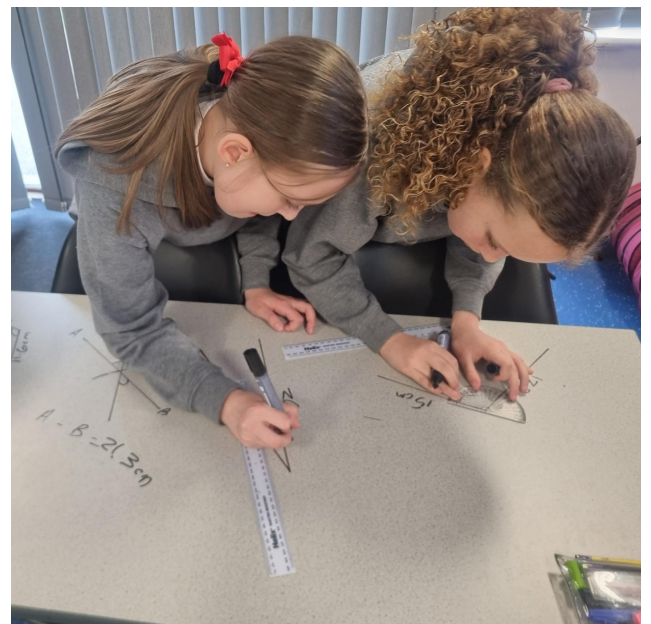
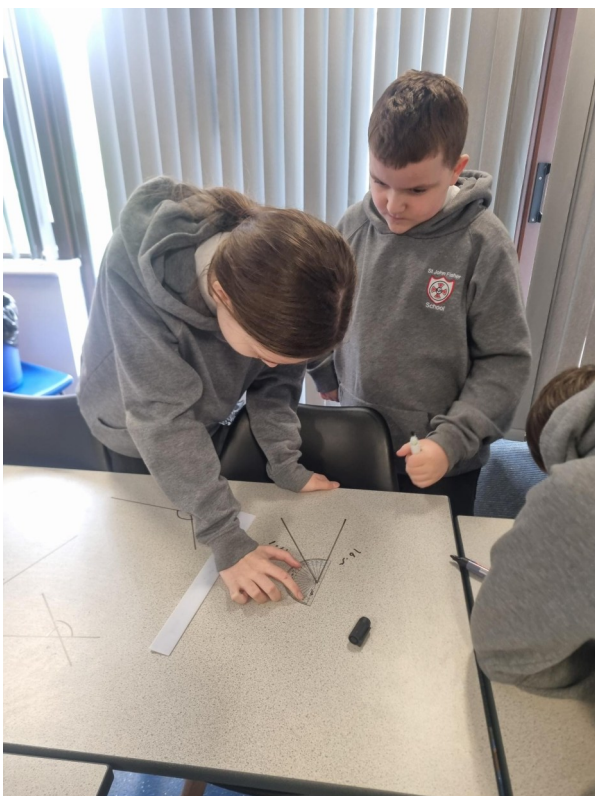
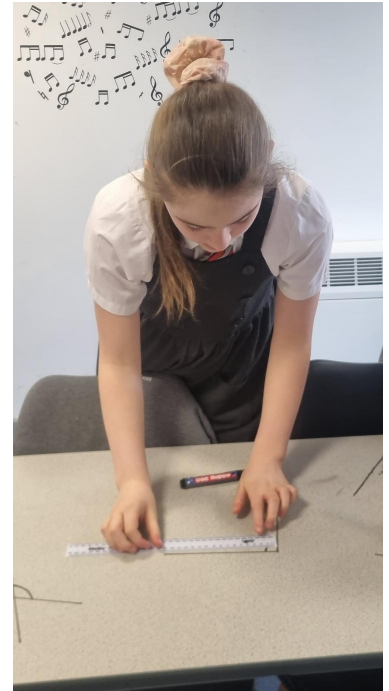
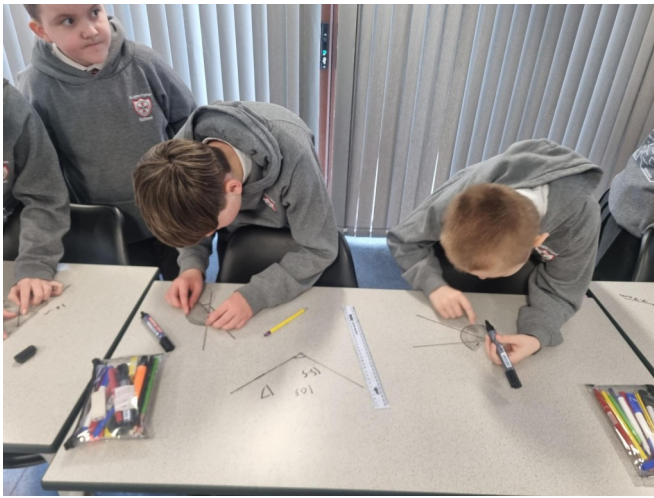
As part of our Live Simply Award we have lots of preloved uniform looking for a new home. If you need any pieces of uniform please email Mrs. Harrison with your request and she will see what we have and let you know.

Joanne.harrison@SJFprimary.co.uk

Year 6—Maths in action

Year 6 practised measuring and drawing angles by working in teams and using whiteboard pens directly on the desks.

A fun, practical way to build accuracy and confidence with protractors.





Monday Football Sessions

February 23rd, March 2, 9, 16, 23

FRANK MYLER PAVILION

5– 6pm: School years 6,7,8,9

- Sessions will be ran on the MUGA
- No experience required.
- Trainers.
- Shin pads advised but optional

To book your child a place contact:

Colin Powell on:

Colin.Powell@halton.gov.uk or

Phone: 07554 113264

Please note sessions may be cancelled due to bad weather or sessions altered to suit the needs of those booked on

www.activehalton.co.uk



Tuesday Football Sessions

February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24.

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Wednesday Futsal 2026

March 4, 11, 18, 25.

Brookvale Recreation Centre

4.30-5.30pm: 7 – 11 years

- Sessions will be ran indoor in the sports hall.
- No experience required.
- Trainers.
- Shin pads advised but optional

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MARCH

Fri 13th –Jungle Book Theatrical Production

Wed 18th–P&P Choir Spring Concert

Friday 20th–Dress down and donate for the Bingo

Tues 24th–KS2 Stations of the Cross

Wed 25th– HPAN Choir concert–The Brindley

Thurs 26th–Easter Bingo

Friday 27th–Our Big Lent Walk

**SCHOOL CLOSSES ON FRIDAY 27TH MARCH AT 1.30PM AND
REOPENS ON**

MONDAY 13TH APRIL

**EXTRA CLUB WILL BE OPEN ON THE LAST DAY UNTIL
4PM.**



**For
Your
Information**

Don't miss what's happening in school!

We regularly share photos of learning, celebrations and special moments from across the school on our Instagram page.

Follow us at @stjohnfisherwidnescps to see what the children have been up to and stay connected with school life.

8.40am Gates Open

KS1 use the Reception wooden gate and KS2 use the large green gate.

8.45am Bell rings and children line up.

8.50am School day starts, anyone in after this will get a late mark.

3.05pm GATES OPEN

3.15pm School day ends

ALLERGIES

Our kitchen is nut free—we would ask that you do not send products containing nuts in to school in lunch boxes or snacks. Thank you for the support with this as it will limit the risk for our children with nut allergies.



<https://www.paperturn-view.com/wednesday-word/good-news?pid=MTA101634&v=163.4>