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'Growing in faith, hope and love. But of these three the greatest is love'.
1 Corinthians 13:13

Tuesday 17th June 2026

Staffing update

I am delighted to share with your that Mrs Horrocks will be joining the staffing team from September. Mrs Horrocks is an experienced primary teacher and we look forward to welcoming her to the St Andrew's family. Mrs Horrocks will be teaching year 1.

Ms Rowley, who has been our school SENCo since September 2025, will be retiring at the end of the year. We offer her our sincere thanks and gratitude for all the work she has done to review, refine and ensure robust systems are in place to identify and support children with SEND. Recruitment is currently underway for a new SENCo.

We also offer our sincere thanks to Mrs Day who has been teaching our Reception children since February. Her last day with us will be Thursday 25th June.

Staffing for September 2026

Class	Teacher	Teaching assistant
Reception	Mrs Tanner	Mrs Barrett
Year 1	Mrs Horrocks	Mrs Lilley
Year 2	Miss Partington	Mrs Ahmed
Year 3	Miss Quinlan Mrs Glynn (Wednesday pm)	Miss Chambers Mr Hackley
Year 4	Mrs Bainbridge Mrs Blackhurst (Wednesday)	Mrs Weikert
Year 5	Mrs Richardson Mrs Blackhurst (Thursday)	Miss Berry
Year 6	Mr Glynn Mrs Glynn (Monday pm)	Mrs Musaji

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	Mrs Blackhurst will be giving PPA to reception, year 1 and 2 teachers. Mrs Weikert will be giving PPA to year 3,4,5 &6 teachers.

Transition Day - Children will all be offered the opportunity to move to their new class on **Wednesday 1st July** for the afternoon session. Children will return to their original class ready for home time.

On a very wet **Thursday 11th June** children from reception, year 1 and 2 participated in a brilliant '*We're going on a Bear Hunt*' themed sponsored event. we brought the story alive! The bear was waiting in the 'cave' ready to have a dance with the children. Such a fantastic event which has raised in the region of a **fantastic £1200- AMAZING!**- a huge thank you to all the PTFA members and a brilliant bear who all gave so much time to ensure the event was such a success despite the persistent rain. A great big thankyou to all of you who sponsored and helped raise this fantastic total, to go towards our new reading scheme. *We thank you so very much for your continued support.*

Congratulations to all the children who took part in Bolton Iron Kids, it was great to celebrate their success in celebration assembly!

Spirited Arts week

Children across school have produced some amazing art work linked to their class theme as part of 'Spirited Arts' week. Children have been given this opportunity to explain a range of arts including dance and producing art work on canvas. Please do come along to the exhibiton here in school on **Monday 22nd June from 3.30pm.**

Friday 26th June from 3.30pm

Plans are underway for our summer Fair. We just need the sunshine!
Hopefully this will take place outdoors with a climbing wall, bouncy castle and penalty shoot-out available. There will be a BBQ and a range of stalls. The school choir will be opening the fair at 3.40pm.
Please contact the school office if you can help before, during or after the event.
Do you know anyone who would like a stall at the fair- please contact school.

a reminder of the PTFA events coming up…

Friday 19th June	Father's Day 'Breakfast in a bag'	Bags purchased go home on this day
Friday 26th June	Summer Fair	From 3.30pm
Thursday 9th July	End of term disco	KS1 3.20- 4.30 KS 2 5.30- 7

Upcoming dates for your diary	Events
Friday 19th June	Non- uniform donate a coloured item for the hampers.
Friday 19th June	Year 4 trip to Blackpool
Monday 22nd June	Swimming starts for children in year 4
Monday 22nd June	Spirited Arts WEEK Exhibition
Tuesday 23rd June	Sports day KS 1 in the morning / KS 2 in the afternoon
Wednesday 24th June	Tri golf competition
Thursday 25th June	Non-Uniform – bottles
Friday 26th June	Alfresco outdoor workshops Reception and Year 1

Friday 26th June	Summer Fair- from 3.30pm
Thursday 2nd July	Year 6 Leaver's service at Manchester cathedral
Wednesday 8th July	The Next Big Step end of year performance from year 6 1.30pm
Thursday 9th July	End of year disco
Monday 13th July	Reports Home
Wed 15th & Thurs 16th July	Year 6 Bikeability
Friday 17h July	End of Year service in church School closes at 1.30pm