

**St Andrew's Church of England Primary School**  
**Crescent Avenue**  
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**Head Teacher: Mrs S. C. Abram**

Friday 9th October 2026



**Huge thank you for your support at the recent Macmillan coffee morning. It was great to welcome so many members of the school and church family. Many thanks for the amazing donations of cakes. We raised a fantastic total of £408 for such an important cause.**

**Harvest-** it was wonderful to welcome so many family members to our Harvest service. Each class gave a fantastic contribution to the service. Many thanks for all your generous donations to Urban Outreach.

**Meet the Teacher-** we hope you found the evening useful and an opportunity to meet your child's teacher. There will be an opportunity in the spring term to see your child's books and talk in details about the progress they are making. SEND children have iSP- individual support plans, they will be reviewed in November and new targets set for the Spring term. These will be shared with families in December. All children will receive their assertive mentoring report which each class teacher create following end of term assessments and 1:1 mentoring meetings.

**Lunches-** please can you ensure that at least two weeks is given if you wish to switch your child onto a packed lunch or onto a school dinner. **Please can you ensure that packed lunches do not include sweets or chocolate bars.**

**Safeguarding-** you may have noticed a significant reduction in posts on face book from our classes. This is dues to the recent publication of **Keeping Children Safe in Education** document which talks, worryingly, about the increase use of children's images being copied, taken and manipulated by ai tools. We want to protect and safeguard our school family and so have made the decision to reduce the images of our children shared on social media.

**Open Afternoon-** please let other families and friends you know with young children looking to start school next September, that is our Open afternoon on **Monday 12th October from 3.45pm and on Tuesday 13th October from 1.30pm**, they would be very welcome to visit us.



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**Christmas Fair** – the annual event will be taking place in school on Friday 4th December. We would welcome any offers of help to prepare in advance of the fair. This event is always well supported and raises significant funds for school. **In order for it to be a successful we do need your help.** There is a meeting in school from 3.45pm next Wednesday, the 14th October to plan for the Christmas Fair. Please do come along and lend your support. If you are unable to attend this meeting then please do let the school office know if you are able to help on Friday 4th December. **Thank you for continued support.**

| Upcoming dates for your diary                              | Events                                   |
|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <b>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October</b>                       | 'Hello Yellow' supporting Young Minds    |
| <b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>                      | Open Evening 3.45-5.30pm                 |
| <b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October</b>                     | Open Afternoon 1.30- 3.00pm              |
| <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct</b>                       | Class Assembly in school at 9am – Year 6 |
| <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October</b>                   | 'Book at Bedtime' 5.30- 6.30pm           |
| <b>Wed 21<sup>st</sup> &amp; Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct</b> | 'Flat Stan' first aid workshops          |
| <b>Mon 19<sup>th</sup> -23<sup>rd</sup> October</b>        | Multi Faith week                         |
| <b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October</b>                      | End of half term                         |

*Please look out for letters coming home which will give further details of some of these events listed.*

