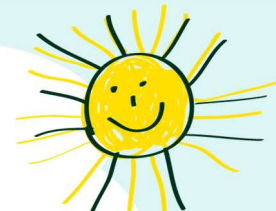


St Andrew's C of E Infant School Newsletter



13th February 2026



Learning, Caring and Growing Together in Faith

Message from Mrs Glass-Brook:

As we come to the end of half term, it's a wonderful opportunity to reflect on and celebrate all the achievements we have made together. The children have all made so much progress and we are very proud of them.

A huge thank you to all the parents who were able to join us for our Year 1 Toy Museum this week - the children were so proud and absolutely loved showing you around.

Our focus value this half term has been compassion, and it has been great to see the children demonstrating this through the care and kindness they show to one another each day. We have also enjoyed exploring Bible stories to deepen our understanding of this important value.

I wish you all a very happy half term and hope you enjoy making special memories with family and friends. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 23rd February.

'The Lord is compassionate and merciful, slow to get angry and filled with unfailing love.' Psalm 103:8

Compassion is our
current school value

Ladybirds: Henry
Honeybees: Alice
Butterflies: Noah
Owls: Noah L
Kingfishers: Soffia
Dragonflies: Carter

Shining Star awards this
week go to:

Ladybirds: Kylon
Honeybees: Mia
Butterflies: Alice
Owls: Esme
Kingfishers: Hayley
Dragonflies: Amelia

Weekly Attendance Scores

Ladybirds: 93%
Honeybees: 99%
Owls: 98%
Butterflies: 90%
Kingfishers: 97%
Dragonflies: 97%
Best Class of the week is:
Honeybees



Important Dates

Founders Day - Friday 27th February - To celebrate the birthday of Lord Baden Powell and the worldwide movement of Scouting, on this day children who are involved in Scouting, Rainbows or Brownies may come to school in their uniform (jumper and neckerchief) to celebrate.

World Book Day - Thursday 5th March - Please book a time for this using School Spider

Parent/Teacher Meetings - Thursday 5th March - Please book an appointment slot between 1:30 and 6:30 using School Spider from 5pm today

Y2 trip to the British Commercial Vehicle Museum - Wednesday 11th March - Please give consent and make payment using School Spider

Mother's Day Afternoon Tea - Thursday 12th March - Please book on from 5pm today

Easter Bingo - Thursday 19th March 6:00pm - 8:00pm - Please book on from 5pm today

Easter Service - Tuesday 24th March 9:30am in Church - parents/carers invited



BOB's Book of Brilliance

Kingfishers

Abi, Hugh, Harry, Hattie, Chloe and Finley for detailed History work

Abi for super maths

Hayley, Milly, Ivy and Bella for amazing maths

Xander for a great healthy living guide

Josh, Charlotte, Bonneigh, Xander, Poppy and Amelia for amazing writing about significant people

Owls

Liam for writing about misbehaving robots

Jack, Esme and Bobbie for reading and discussing robot poems

Carter, Reenie and Noah L for super under arm throwing in PE

Butterflies

Phoebe for super gymnastics

Kohen and Harry for great number work

Evie for super independent writing at home

Dekota for amazing independent learning and for codes in English

Harry for amazing independent writing

Ivy for solving tricky maths challenges

Grayson for super sentences using *and*

Alice for great throwing in PE

Honeybees

Alexander, Lilliana, Eliza and Theo for amazing sentence writing in Drawing Club

Well done everyone!



World Book Day

Book and Breakfast – book your slot now on School Spider.

All week we will be inviting parents to come in and be a 'mystery reader'. Family members can offer to come into their child's class to read a story at the end of the day. This will be a 'surprise' to the children as they will not be told who is coming. Please message your teacher if you would like to volunteer.

We will be holding a competition – Who can read in the most unusual place? Please send entries to your child's class teacher. You can send them in any time from now. Why not use the half term to find somewhere really unusual!

