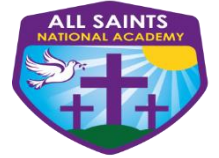


# All Saints Weekly Story!



Issue 1

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

## Welcome Back!

And just like that, we're back at school! It doesn't seem five minutes since we were saying goodbye for the summer at the end of last term!

We hope that you all enjoyed the summer together and we're more than happy everyone in our All Saints family made it back to school safely. You may have noticed that we now have new fencing around the site. It took a while to gain the permission for it but we finally got it! The new fencing ensures that the children are safeguarded to a greater degree whilst playing at break and lunch, it also makes the site more secure on the whole. It really improves the appearance of the school too! We've also had new external doors that again, are more secure, more appealing and safer for the children to use.

## Uniform

Please ensure that your child comes to school in the correct uniform each day. Jewellery is not part of the children's uniform and the only earrings that are allowed are small studded earrings. Please make sure that these are removed for PE sessions as your child will not be able to engage in the physical aspect of the PE lessons. If you have any issues with uniform or are struggling financially, then please let us know.

## Birthdays

There is no expectation for your child to wear uniform on their birthday. They are welcome to wear clothes of their choice. This is so that everyone will know it's their birthday and they'll get lots of birthday wishes!

## Behaviour

Behaviour across the academy during learning time has been fantastic. The children have been both engaged and enthusiastic about their learning and have been able to talk readily about the activities that they are taking part in. We are having a few issues at breaktimes with 'playfighting'. While it starts off harmless and as a game, it can escalate quite quickly and there have been a few accidents linked to this during this week. We've said that it's not acceptable and if you could reinforce this with your child it would be much appreciated. Thank you.

*Have a lovely weekend!*

*With faith in our hearts, we achieve and succeed.*

## **School Money App**

If you need login details for the school money app, then please let the office know and they will sort some out for you. Please remember that school lunches need to be ordered by Thursday for the following week to ensure that your child gets a meal of their choice. Please ask your child which option they'd like before selecting the final one as there can be tears when they children are given something that they don't like.

## **Nasal Flu Vaccinations**

The nursing team will be in school on the 19th October.

Please follow the link below to complete the form.

<https://midlands.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2023/walsall>

Please complete the form even if you do not wish your child to have the vaccination or they have received it elsewhere.

If you have any concerns or questions please contact the Walsall Immunisation Team direct on 01922 902035 or walsall@v-uk.co.uk. Please do not contact the school.

Thanks to Olivia Year 6 for this wonderful poem to mark the start of the school year:

### **Back to school!**

Some people don't like school,

Some people do.

However, it's back to school and that's that!

Back to school can mean lots of questions,

I mean...new year, new teacher!

But once you're used to it, you don't want to leave!

Some may sob but that's okay,

*Have a lovely weekend!*

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It can be scary but there's no need to worry!

Keep going and never give in.

It's back to school!

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Thank you

Miss Adamson

Head of School

### Joke of the week!

*Where do cows go for entertainment?*

*To the moo-vies!*

Thanks to Miss Adamson for this rib-tickler!

Don't forget anyone can post a joke of the week in the box in the office. Maybe yours might feature on here on week!

### **Our family prayer for the week**

*Dear God,*

*Give our children your blessings as they start their new school year,*

*Give them good fortune as they face challenges in the classroom.*

*Guide them in the decisions they make,*

*and watch over them as they learn and grow,*

*Amen*

<b>What's on in Autumn? Take a look at the All Saints Calendar...</b>	
<b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Academy reopens to pupils for the Autumn first half term
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Y6 visit to Carding Mill Valley
<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September</b>	UK fitness day- Sponsored Star Jumps- Children to come in PE kits
<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September</b>	Year 1 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September</b>	Jeans for Genes 50p donation
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Reception 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Year 2 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September</b>	World's Biggest Coffee Morning 8.45am-10am Parents welcome
<b>Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Harvest collections begin

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<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October</b>	National Poetry Day- Whole School poetry competition
<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Year 3 and Year 4 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Reception Phonics morning- parents welcome
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Year 5 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>KS1 Harvest Celebration 9.45am start All Saints Church</b>
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>KS2 Harvest Celebration 9.45am start All Saints Church</b>
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Rec – Year 6 Flu Vaccines
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Year 6 'Look and Learn' Parents invited in at 2.15pm
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October</b>	First Aid Training for years 3, 4, 5 and 6
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>/Thursday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	Parent Consultations 3.30pm-6pm
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	HALF TERM
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Staff and pupils return to academy
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Children's book week starts
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Y6 Cannock Chase Museum Trip
<b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Remembrance Day 11am Minute Silence
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Anti-Bullying week
<b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Children in Need 50p donation
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Whole academy pantomime- In School
<b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas Jumper day 50p donation for Save the Children
<b>Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December</b>	EYFS + KS2 Christmas Parties
<b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>KS1 Christmas Service @9.45am All Saints Church</b>
<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	<b>KS2 Christmas Service @9.45am All Saints Church</b>
<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	KS1 Christmas Parties
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December</b>	School closes at 1.30pm for pupils for the Christmas holidays.

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