

# All Saints Weekly Story!



Issue 8

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2022



Welcome back! We hope that you had a lovely week together and that you managed to make some wonderful memories despite the weather. The children have got straight back into the flow of learning this week, there have been some fantastic activities and sessions undertaken within the academy. In Year 1 the children have been reading Stickman by Julia Donaldson. They used a

selection of natural materials to create their own versions! In Reception the children have been focusing on numbers and we heard some excellent mathematical vocabulary during their discussions around number 6. In Year 2 the children have been working hard on their sounds, distinguishing the difference between graphemes and phonemes. There was some really impressive phonic knowledge displayed by the children. Excellent!



## Snacks and Lunchboxes

Over this last week we have had a number of difficulties with some of the items coming in children's packed lunches and also those being sent in as mid-morning snacks. We do appreciate that it is nice for your child to have a treat however we do ask that mid-morning snacks consists of a cereal bar or some fruit only. You are welcome to pack crisps or chocolate in their lunchboxes but we do ask that you limit these to one item per day. For drinks, we expect the children to have water or juice, fizzy drinks and energy drinks are not allowed as they have a high sugar content which can potentially make children less able to concentrate in the afternoon and may therefore affect their ability to learn. Could you also check that children do not bring any nuts or nut-based products into school as we are a nut-free setting. For more advice or support with snacks and lunches visit the links below:

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/>

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/healthy-lunchbox-ideas-kids>

*Have a lovely weekend!*

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

## End of school collections

Please let staff know in advance if someone else is going to be collecting your child at the end of the school day. You can contact the office or let staff know via Class Dojo. You will be able to set up a password that the adult will need to pass on in order for the child to be released into their care.

Many Thanks

Miss Adamson.

Head of school.

## Our family prayer for the week

*Give us wisdom to make the best choices for our family.*

*Give us grace to trust in you even when we don't see immediate answers.*

*Give us hope to carry on in spite of the circumstances around us.*

*We thank you for hearing and answering our prayer.*

*We thank you for your constant care and peace.*

*Amen*

<b>What's on in autumn term 2? Take a look at the All Saints Calendar...</b>	
<b>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October</b>	<b>Academy reopens to staff and pupils</b>
<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November</b>	World Book Week starts- children invited to come in dressed as a book character on the Monday. <b>Class 1RG phonics workshop for parents</b>
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Remembrance Day. Minute silence at 11am <b>School Photographer to take pupil photographs</b>
<b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Anti-Bullying Week
<b>Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Children in Need- wear something spotty or silly 50p donation
<b>Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas Jumper Day. £1 donation to Save the Children
<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Break up for Christmas Holiday. <b>School closes at 1.30pm to staff and pupils.</b>

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