

Date: 2nd October 2026

St Anne's News.

With Christ in our hearts we live life to the full.

Good afternoon!

This week we started our new virtue 'Citizenship'. The children thought about how they can be good citizens in our community by stopping and noticing when others need help and doing something about it. Please encourage your child to talk about what they have done this week to be a good citizen.

Following this virtue of citizenship, the Faith Council spoke to the school during the worship this morning. They shared that we will be supporting our local community this half term by collecting tinned food as well as toiletries for the Salvation Army, starting on Monday. More information is in a couple of pages!

Well done to all of our certificate winners this week - what role models you are. See the following page for the winners.

Attendance has taken a dip this week unfortunately due to lateness and term time holidays. Please ensure your child is in school between 8:40am and 8:55am so that they have time to come in, settle and be ready to learn.

Mrs Cook will be holding an SEND coffee morning on Thursday 15th October from 8:45am in the canteen. You will find more details in a few pages time.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Atkinson - Headteacher

Our current virtue is:



Living life to the full..

This week, our class winners are:



Year 1 - Gabi



Year 2 - Saif

Year 3 - Evaan & Eshaal

No Year 4 (trip)

Year 5 - Greatness

Year 6 - Adon

The pupil of the week is:



Aryan





The Faith Council would like St Anne's to continue supporting the Salvation Army with their Food Bank Appeal to help local people and families who are in crisis.

Monday 5th October to Monday 19th October
we will be collecting in the following items:



**Nappies/Baby Wipes/Shampoo/Shower Gel/Toothpaste/
Toothbrushes/Soap/Deodorant**

Empty bags for Life/sturdy shopping bags

Please do not send in fresh food.

If you are able to bring in one or more items, please bring them into school before Monday 19th Oct and we will collect them in the Hall.

Many thanks for your generosity.

SEN Coffee Morning

Support ♥ Share ♥ Connect



A relaxed
and friendly
space for
parents and
carers



We warmly invite you to our SEN Coffee Morning,
a chance to meet, chat and find out more about the support
available for your child at our school.



Thursday
15th October 2026



9:00 – 10:30am



Canteen Hall

Tea, coffee and biscuits
will be provided!



Come along to:



Meet the SENCO and
our SEN team



Learn more about SEN support
in school



Ask questions and share
your thoughts



Find out about helpful resources
and services



Connect with other parents
and carers

All parents and carers are welcome –
we look forward to seeing you!



Together we can
make a difference



All
welcome



Just a reminder that we are an allergy aware school. We have a number of children with severe nut allergies. If they come into contact with any form of nuts, they could have a severe allergic reaction. Please check snacks in your child's lunch bags and in treats sent in for birthdays. Typical food items we have seen recently and had to confiscate include: Nutella spread on sandwiches, Snickers/Bounty bars and Kinder Buenos.



Dates for the Autumn term so far

October

Fri 2nd – Year 4 Farm Trip

Wed 14th – School photos

Wed 14th – Year 6 Class Mass

Thur 15th Oct – SEND coffee morning

Thur 15th Oct 3pm – Y3 & 4 Times Tables workshop for parents

19th – Flu vaccinations

21st – Years 5 & 6 Fire safety talks

21st 9:30 Year 4 Class Mass

23rd – Last day of the half term

SCHOOL CLOSED FOR HALF TERM: Monday 26th Oct – Monday 2nd Nov

November

2nd – School closed for training

3rd – Back to school

5th – Parents evening

9th – Fluoride varnish

10th – 10:15 Year 3 Class saint worship

27th – School closed

30th – School closed

December

1st – School open

Thur 10th – 11am & 2:30pm – EYFS Nativity performance for parents

Mon 14th – 4pm KS1 Nativity performance for parents

Wed 16th – Christmas Fayre after school

18th – Last day of term

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS (School will re-open Monday 4th January)

Phonics meetings

Thank you to all those parents who attended our phonics workshops last week in order to learn how to best support your child at home. Below are some useful links.



Online resources available

Ruth Miskin Parents' Page:

<http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/parents/>

Ruth Miskin Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/miskin.education>

Free e-books for home reading:

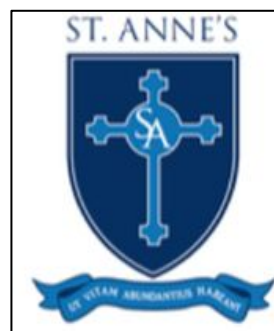
<http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/Reading/>



St Vincent
de Paul Society

England and Wales

Turning Concern into Action



Do you need our help/support?

If you are struggling to afford new uniform for school, including coats, PE kits or school shoes, we are here to help. One of the local SVP groups have offered to support us in buying new uniform for children at St Anne's. We just need to know which sizes and we will get them for you.

If you're struggling for food, we know different charities that can help with food parcels also.

If we can help in any other way, we will, so please get in touch either by email, phone or in person.

We are here to help :)

