

St Austin's R.C. Primary

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Weekly News Update 10th to 14th October 2022

"Every Day Counts"



To minimise disruption to lessons and the start of the school day, please ensure that your child arrives for school on time.

This week's Attendance Champions are:

R—95.5% R

Y6—93.5% Y6

This week's overall attendance figure for the whole school is; **94.5%**
Our attendance target is 96%

Please remember to contact the school on the first day of absence. Tel: 01744 678000

Contact information
Please ensure your contact details are up-to date. Please ring the school office with any amendments.

Carve a Pumpkin Day

This will be held on Wednesday, 19th October 2022. Your child's pumpkin should be brought to school from Monday, 17th October and collected at the end of the day on Wednesday, 19th October. Prizes will be awarded on the day, Good luck!

Spooky Sponsored Walk

A Spooky Sponsored Walk will take place on Friday, 21st October 2022 in order to raise funds to subsidise events throughout the year. Pupils may wear spooky, age appropriate costumes on this day. Pupils have taken home a letter and sponsor form this week.

End of term

School closes on 21.10.22 and re-opens to pupils on Tuesday, 1st November 2022.

Nursery Applications

Places are still available in our Nursery Unit if your child was aged 3 before 31.8.22. The school also operates a January and April intake for those children who are aged 3 before Christmas 2022 or Easter 2023. We also have limited 30 hour places available this academic year. Please contact the school office to obtain an application form.

Primary and Secondary Applications Important Dates:-

Primary—If your child is aged 4 before 31st August 2023, the Primary on-line application portal opened on 19th September 2022 and closes on the 15th January 2023.

Y6 Pupils - Secondary - applications

Parents are now able to apply on-line. The **Closing Date for Secondary applications is 31st October 2022.**

Please follow the link below to apply on-line for Primary and Secondary places:

<https://www.sthelens.gov.uk/admissions>

Health and Safety

For health and safety reasons, please do not allow your child/children to play on the meadow area. Pupils are only allowed on this area when supervised by a member of staff during the school day.

Extra-Curricular Activities w/c 17.10.22 until half term:

Monday

Y1 & Y2 Multi-skills
8am to 9am for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Tuesday

Y4,Y5 & Y6 Football 3.30pm to 4.30pm for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Thursday

Y5&Y6 Multi Skills—
8am –9am for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Wednesday

Y3 & Y4 Multi Skills—8am-9am for those pupils

Y1, Y2 & Y3 Football

3.20pm to 4.20pm for those pupils who have been allocated a place