



ALL SAINTS INTER-CHURCH ACADEMY

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SERVICE	THANKFULNESS	UNDERSTANDING
We serve one another; We follow instructions We look after our school and family	We give thanks; We use kind words & actions	We are growing in understanding; of ourselves and others We forgive others and ourselves
SAFE	HAPPY	LEARNING

11th October 2024

We pray for the people of the Middle East, and all those parts of the world suffering from conflict and violence: may the ways of reconciliation, justice and peace prevail. Lord, in your mercy

Find out what is happening in our dioceses of East Anglia and Ely: <https://www.rcdea.org.uk/schools/>
<https://www.elydiocese.org/schools/>

Site Safety

We sought external consultancy to review safety concerns in relation to the use of our school carpark at the start and end of the school day and concluded that there is not enough space to safely allow parents to use this for drop off and pick up. Even with the permit system that we operate, we have judged this to be a risk and therefore decided that only staff have vehicular access to the site. If you are concerned about this, please do not hesitate to contact me to arrange to discuss the matter. Mr Pickard.

Year 6 middle level visit

On Tuesday, Year Six received a visit from the Middle Level Commissioners. They explained about their role in Fenland's flood prevention, drainage, navigation and conservation. We now know why there are so many drains and ditches around our local area and how these are looked after. Also visiting, was Max from



Balfour Beatty, who is working with the Middle Level to help desilt many of the local waterways. After learning about rain gardens and how they can help to manage rainwater after a downpour, we were asked to come up with our own designs for a competition. The exciting news is that the winning design will be built by Balfour Beatty in our school grounds!



Harvest festival

We are collecting again this year for the food bank in March. We will be accepting any donations in school over the next 2 weeks. All Donations would no matter how small will be gratefully received. Thank you in advance for your kind generosity.

Cooking in school

Both reception and year 2 have been cooking this week. Reception has made bread rolls.



While year 2 made pasta salads and herby pitta bread crisps.



FRIENDS

At the fireworks on the 8th November friends will be running a couple of pre loved stalls. If anyone has any books or teddies they wish to donate please leave them with Mrs Lawrence at the school office.

The school chapel

The school chapel is open 8.15am – 8.45am every Friday to anyone who would appreciate a quiet place for prayer and reflection.

Parent teacher consultations

Parent teacher consultations are 21st – 24th Oct:
Reception – Monday and Tuesday
Year 1 – Monday and Tuesday
Year 2 – Monday and Tuesday
Year 3 – Monday and Tuesday
Year 4 – Monday and Wednesday
Year 5 – Monday and Wednesday
Year 6 – Monday and Tuesday

The boards to book your slot are at the school office.

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Attending school if unwell

If your child has a sickness/diarrhoea bug then they need to be kept off school for 48hours after their last bout of sickness/diarrhoea. If your child is sick due to coughing or overheating then they are free to return to school when they feel well enough. Children are welcome to come to school with a cold or cough if they feel able too. However if they have a temperature please keep them home until it returns to normal. For any queries regarding illness please refer to the NHS website. <https://www.nhs.uk>

Ensuring a safe and calm school environment for all members of our school family.

A reminder that you are responsible for your child in the playground before and after school. Please do not let your children use the climbing wall, play ball games or ride scooters and bikes on the playground. We encourage a calm and respectful start to the school day. Please also remember that all smoking, vaping and pets are forbidden on school grounds

Uniform

If you require any uniform please visit March library. They have pre loved uniforms free to anyone, so take a look to see if they have what you need. March library also collect any uniform that you no longer use and wish to donate. All left over lost property is washed and donated at the end of each term.

Ten Ten

The school uses Ten Ten resource to support our collective worship, parents can follow this at home:

<http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

We hope it is a useful resource for your family prayer time. You can also see the collective worship page

Parents as Partners

Many thanks from us all for your continued support of the children and staff here at All Saints. If you have any queries or concerns, in the first instance please speak to Mrs Lawrence in the office or your child's teacher at the end of the day.

Look ahead

Week beginning 21 st October 2024	Teacher, parent consultations after school. Boards to book your slot are in the office.
24 th October 2024	Flu vaccination team in school, please go online to give consent for your child.
	Non school uniform day – wear what you like for a sweet/chocolate tombola donation.
25 th October 2024	School closed training day, before half term week.
4 th November 2024	Children return to school.
8 th November 2024	FRIENDS fireworks gates open 5pm tickets are available from the school office.

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