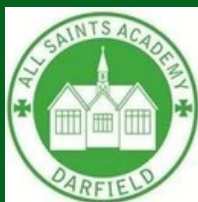


SCHOOL NEWS



Friday 31st
January 2025

YOUR WEEKLY SCHOOL UPDATE

A loving place where we all care, learn and grow together.

Our school vision

At All Saints Academy, it is our vision to provide the 'good soil' for every member of our community to develop deep roots and flourish as a unique individual and achieve their full potential. With the highest of expectations, we nurture and develop each individual so that they can explore who they are and make a positive contribution to our local community and the wider world.



Our school Values

Respect Kindness Honesty Perseverance courage Empathy

What's on next week

Thursday 6th February: Playgroup

Next PTA meeting...

Monday 3rd March 2025
@ 9am

Current after school clubs

Table Tennis Club

15th Jan until 12th Feb

Year 2 Boosters

Monday (Miss Newbould) &
Tuesday (Mrs Parish)

Year 6 Boosters

Starting Tuesday (invites/letters
will be sent)

PTA events

1st April 2025: Easter Disco (3.30-4.30 Reception & KS1, 4.45-5.45 KS2)
Tickets will go on sale closer to the time.

Easter raffle: any prize donations welcome and are appreciated

2nd July 2025: Summer Fair, 2pm-4pm



Our school attendance target: **96%**

Current whole school attendance: **93.2%**
Persistent absence (less than 90%): **22.6%**

Current pupil illness

There is a high level of illness across school at the present time. It is a range of different things from cold/flu, sickness and Chicken Pox. We have spoken with our cleaners who have increased the cleaning of key touch points. We are also reminding the children (more than usual!) to make sure they wash their hands regularly and not put their hands in their mouths. As a precaution we have also contacted Public Health England for advice. They have reassured us that we are doing everything we can and at the current time there is no further action.

Regular After School Provision: Update

Following our update last week, we have had to make the unfortunately decision to withdraw from the government funding to set up regular after school provision from 3.10-6pm daily. The level of interest varied from 2 to 6 pupils maximum. Based on these numbers, the provision would not be financially sustainable.

We are now looking into ways of providing extended care - without the government funding - to support our working families.



Parent/carers questionnaire

We now have 71 responses! However, this still leaves a large number of parents/carers who have not responded. If you haven't, please take a moment to complete the parent / carer questionnaire - it's straight forward and really quick. Your feedback is really important to us. Here is the link. It can also be accessed through Dojo. <https://forms.office.com/e/ri8FnrkCX3>



World Book Day 2025

Thursday 6th March
Details coming soon



Spring term parents' evening

Wednesday 19th March &
Thursday 20th March

Due to the impact on teaching and learning and the cost of covering teachers, we will be offering face to face appointments **only**.

Appointments will run from 3.20-6pm. Appointment letters will be sent out shortly. Appointments will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

Recommended books!

Our Author in the spotlight this term is
Rachel Bright.

A reassuring tale about coping with overwhelming feelings and frustration.

One morning, Stompysaurus wakes from a happy dream, feeling excited for the new day, until things start to go a bit wrong. His brother's being a tease, his breakfast isn't his usual favourite and **NOTHING** is going right. His **STOMPS** and **ROARS** start rising inside him, until they **EXPLODE!**

But a tricky start doesn't have to mean a stomp finish. Can Stompysaurus find a new way of looking at things and turn his day around?

