



NEWSLETTER

THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

Welcome back to our final half term of the academic year. It is hard to believe how quickly the year has passed, and we have much to look forward to in the weeks ahead.

This half term will be a busy one, filled with exciting learning opportunities, celebrations, trips and sporting events. Whilst there is much to celebrate, it is also an important time for learning, with every day helping children to build on their progress and prepare for the next stage of their education.

You will have received our attendance reset letter this week. We are encouraging all families to prioritise excellent attendance so that every child can make the most of these valuable final weeks.

Thank you for your continued support. Together, we can ensure that every child finishes the year feeling successful, confident and proud of all they have achieved.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 12th June - Non uniform day - Donation of bottles

Saturday 13th June - YR3 First Holy Communion

Tuesday 16th June - YR1 & YR2 trip to Conkers

Thursday 18th June - YR 6 Confirmation 7pm

Friday 19th June - Non uniform Day - Donation of toiletries

Wednesday 24th June - Nursery & Reception trip to Statfold Railway

Thursday 25th June - YR4 trip to the ThinkTank

Thursday 25th June - YR6 trip to Drayton Manor

Friday 26th June - Non uniform day - Donation of toys

Wednesday 1st July - INSET Day - School closed

Thursday 2nd July - YR5 trip to the Black Country Museum

Wednesday 8th June - Non uniform day - Donation of cakes

Wednesday 8th July - Summer Fayre

Thursday 9th July - Sports Day

Wednesday 15th July - Nursery & Reception Sports Day 9am

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ATTENDANCE



In school, on time,
ready to shine.

**Every Day Counts
at St. Wilfrid's**

There are **190** school days
in each academic year.
When children miss school,
the days add up quickly.

5 days absent = **1** week of learning lost

10 days absent = **2** weeks of learning lost

15 days absent = **3** weeks of learning lost

19 days absent almost **4** weeks of learning lost

At St. Wilfrid's, we want every child:

 **In school** ★  **On time** ★  **Ready to shine**

★ Punctuality Matters ★

Being late is lost learning

 **5 mins** late each day = **3** days lost

 **10 mins** late each day = **6.5** days lost

 **15 mins** late each day = **10** days lost

This week's winners are

3G

4M





CATHOLIC LIFE AND MISSION

This week we have been celebrating Pentecost - the Holy Spirit came and continues to guide us each day

Mini Mission

How can we be a guide to others?



BUILDING THE KINGDOM

As we enter the last half term of the school year, we reflect upon all the ways in which we have built the kingdom of God this year and how we have so many more opportunities over the next few weeks.

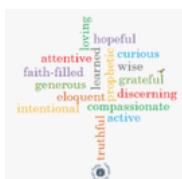


VALUES AND VIRTUES

This half term we are remembering to be Attentive and Discerning

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHINGS

We are Stewards of Creation
Dignity of the Worker





READING SUITCASES !

Our new Reading Suitcases, which will continue to be coming home with children every Friday . These special suitcases are designed to encourage families to enjoy some quality time together through reading. Inside, you'll find a lovely book to share, a notebook to jot down your thoughts, and even some hot chocolate to enjoy while you read! We hope this becomes a cosy and fun weekly tradition for you and your child.



Please return the suitcase by the following Wednesday so it can be shared with another family.
Happy reading!



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British Values

On Tuesday, the children enjoyed learning about a faith other than Christianity as part of their understanding of different beliefs and cultures. Across the school, classes explored religions including Buddhism, Islam, Sikhism, Judaism and Hinduism. The children learnt about the core beliefs of these faiths and discovered important symbols and traditions linked to them.

In some year groups, children proudly brought in special items from home and confidently spoke about their significance and the importance of their faith. This was a wonderful experience for all, helping to promote our British Values, particularly **mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.**



Each week, our children and staff will be sharing a little bit of news from somewhere in the world. If you want to find out more about the story, log onto BBC Newsround www.bbc.co.uk/newsround or scan the QR code!

SCAN



Imagine pulling a banknote out of your pocket and seeing a frog, hedgehog or butterfly looking back at you. If you could vote what would you chose to be the picture on a bank note?



AWARD WINNERS

Merit of the Week

Nursery	Arham	YR4B	Jacob
REC	Misheal	YR4M	Saphia
YR1	Phoebe	YR5W	Kaiden
YR2	Muntaha	YR5B	Olivia
YR3G	Alesia	YR6M	Houdheyfa
YR3H	Adayah	YR6RM	Connor

Reader of the Week

		YR4B	Alexis
REC	Mira	YR4M	Anabia
YR1	Annie	YR5W	Eesa
YR2	Aahil	YR5B	Hannah
YR3G	Ruairi	YR6M	Diaraye
YR3H	Aero	YR6RM	Ava

Wise Owl
Isabella - 3G

Sports Award
Remirez, Daanish, Xamora,
Diaraye, Sarim, Victor & Julia

Music Award
Xamora

Values & Virtues
Brodie Yr!
Ethan - 3G

Lunchtime Award

Alessia - 3G

Tiana - 5W

Class YR1

Well Done to Everyone!



We wish all of our families a restful and happy half term break.
Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Mrs Milligan, Mrs Husted and all of the staff look forward to
welcoming everyone back for an exciting final half term.



TERM DATES

25/26

AUTUMN TERM	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
Monday 1st September 2025 to Friday 19th December 2025	Monday 5th January 2026 to Friday 27th March 2026	Monday 13th April 2026 to Monday 20th July 2026
Autumn half-term break	Spring half-term break	Summer half-term break
Monday 27th October 2025 to Friday 31st October 2025	Monday 16th February 2026 to Friday 20th February 2026	Monday 25th May 2026 to Friday 29th May 2026
Christmas Holiday	Easter Holiday	
Monday 22nd December 2025 to Friday 2nd January 2026	Monday 30th March 2026 to Friday 10th April 2026	

Teacher Training Days for 2025–2026 School Closed to all Pupils

Monday 1st September 2025

Tuesday 2nd September 2025

Friday 24th October 2025

Monday 23rd February 2026

Wednesday 1st July 2026

Monday 20th July 2026



**Nursery Places
Available!
Start in Sept
2026**

**Contact school
office for detail
0121 675 3319**

