



St George's C of E School

St George's CE Primary

Newsletter 11 – Friday 28th November 2025



What has been happening in school this week:-

- Well done to all our pupils this week who have given 100% to all assessments that have taken place in school, you have made us all very proud and we would like to take this opportunity to remind you assessments only measure a very small amount of who you really are!

-Year 2 visited St Bart's Church earlier this week to share in worship with other schools in the cluster, the children represented school brilliantly. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all helpers who attended this event.

- This week in Year 3 they've had lots of fun with Stone Age learning! They created a giant toilet-roll timeline in History, wrote their own non-chronological reports in English and experimented with levers and sliders in D&T to see how moving mechanisms work.

-Year 5 have enjoyed 'The Mayor's Children's Christmas Concert' at the Victoria Halls today – all children represented school brilliantly and had a wonderful time living life in all its fullness.

-Year 6 conducted an interesting Science experiment considering adaptation of animals this week, they had three different types of 'beak' (tweezers, clothes pegs and cooking tongs) and three different types of 'seed' (Maltesers, Chewits and Millions). We had to see how many seeds we could collect in 30 seconds – we now understand how animals adapt over time in order to survive and how different beaks are better for picking up different seeds. See social media for pictures.

Diary Dates

Date	Event
28.11.25	Year 5 trip – Mayor's Christmas Party – see additional letter for details
9.12.25	Year 6 trip to Eatock Lodge
1.12/2.12	Year 6 Bikeability – further details to follow
10.12.25	9.15 – Key Stage One Nativity 2.00 – Nursery Nativity
11.12.25	Christmas Dinner – now available on Parent Pay Christmas Jumper Day Reindeer Run in aid of Bolton Hospice – further details to follow. 2.30PM – Key Stage One Nativity
12.12.25	Interim reports sent home Reception Christmas Carol Concert – further information to follow
17.12.25	KS2 Carol Concert
18.12.25	KS1/ KS2 Pantomime followed by party food – see additional letter/ Parent Pay.

Year 2 Shine at St Bart's!

Year 2 had a wonderful visit to St Bart's on Wednesday, where they joined other schools in a special time of worship. Members of the cluster commented on how smart our children looked and how beautifully they represented our school. We are very proud of the way they put our gospel values into action throughout the visit. Thank you to all parent/ carer helpers who helped with the walk to church, your support is very much appreciated.



Congratulations to the stars of this week:

Stars of the week are awarded for excellent attitude towards learning, demonstrating outstanding behaviour, displaying compassion and respect towards others.

Nursery – Lillie
Reception – Delilah
Year 1 – Bonnie
Year 2 – Seth
Year 3 – Sophie B
Year 4 – Oscar S
Year 5 – Finlay
Year 5/6 - Alice
Year 6 – Mia F

Gospel Values Award

'Children who demonstrated love and tolerance within and around school:-

Scarlett, Ethan, Lucas B, Phoebe F, Tallulah, Amelia J, Baran, Logan and William.

Headteacher's Award:

Lettie - for working hard with her handwriting and to form letters in her name correctly and independently..

Arlo - For stepping in at the last minute to do a church reading and really pushing himself out of his comfort zone. You were brilliant and a credit to the school. We are very proud of you.

Sophie Kelley for an outstanding attitude to school life — arriving each day with excitement, trying your absolute best in everything you do and showing remarkable commitment, even when feeling under the weather.

James - For living out all of our British and Gospel values constantly. John 10:10 embodied



WOODBRIDGE SEND SERVICE

PARENT WORKSHOP

Understanding & Developing Your Child's Language Skills

UNDERSTANDING AND DEVELOPING YOUR CHILD'S LANGUAGE SKILLS

Language difficulties affect approximately two children in every classroom impacting on literacy, learning, friendship and emotional well-being. During this workshop parents and families will have the opportunity to learn how language develops so they can have easy-to-use strategies for building their child's communication, expanding vocabulary and foster meaningful interactions within the home.

Cost: £15 per family maximum 2 to attend
Date: 23rd January 2026, 9.30-10.30

Woodbridge Training Hub
Waggon Road, Bolton
www.woodbridgesend.co.uk



An exciting opportunity for the parents and carers of children at St George's...

Woodbridge SEND Services are proving a parent workshop focusing on 'Understanding and Developing your Child's Language Skills' and you are all invited! Taking place on 23rd January 2026 from 9.30-10.30 for a small cost of just £15 per family, you have the opportunity to understand the importance of language skills as well as gaining a wide range of skills and strategies that you can use and implement for years to come!

A day packed with smiles and snow! ❄️

Some of our Y5 and Y6 pupils had an amazing time at the Snow Centre earlier this week, taking part in exciting activities in the Snow Park from tubing to sledging. Such a brilliant opportunity to build confidence, teamwork and resilience through PE in a totally new environment! ❄️

Thank you to **Bolton School Games** for organising.



"Christmas Cheer and Reindeer Gear... On your marks, get set, GO!"

Christmas Jumper & Christmas Dinner Day – Thursday 11th December 2025

We are excited to let you know that **Thursday 11th December** will be our festive **Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day!** This will be a **non-uniform day**, and children are warmly encouraged to wear their favourite Christmas jumpers and join in the seasonal fun. Our Christmas Dinner is now open to all pupils, including those who usually have packed lunches. The cost is £2.65, payable via the "St George's School Meals" item on ParentPay.

On the same day, as part of our next school council initiative, all children from **Nursery to Year 6** will also be taking part in a special, age-appropriate **Reindeer Run**. This will be a fun outdoor activity, and depending on the weather, the children may get a little **wet or muddy**. **Please ensure they come dressed in suitable clothing and footwear for running in outdoor conditions, even if wearing festive attire or send this into school separately on the day of the event.**

Further information about the event and **details of fundraising** will be shared with families soon.

We look forward to a fantastic festive day whereby all our children can 'live life in all its fullness' and make a real difference! 🦌 🦌

