



St George's C of E School

St George's CE Primary

Newsletter 8 – Friday 7th November 2025



What has been happening in school this week:-

-Thank you to all parents and carers who supported our Eco Council efforts for Outdoor Classroom Day this Thursday – we loved seeing our school filled with a sea of blue and green. Eco Council have planted wildflowers at the front of the school to help support biodiversity and wildlife. These will hopefully flower in Spring.

-Mr Young spoke about Bonfire Night as part of Picture News in worship this week.

-Key Stage One Christmas Craft club have been busy this week making tricky paper snowflake decorations – all children persevered brilliantly!

-In Year 1, our young mathematicians have been exploring part-whole models to deepen their understanding of early addition. We used natural resources to show how a whole can be split into two parts.

-Year 2 have been exploring using an Atlas in order to identify continents and oceans.

- Year 4 have been using Chromebooks sensibly and responsibly to research. They made sure they explored appropriate 'Content' and showed good 'Conduct'.

- Our Year 5 cohort have been on a 'nature walk' to find inspiration for writing their own haiku poems this week as part of their very own 'Poetry Week'

-In Year 6 this week children have been exploring artist Wilfred Stanley Haines as part of their new art topic for this half term 'World War Wilfred' – see social media for updates.

Diary Dates

Date	Event
9.11.25	Westhoughton Remembrance Parade – all welcome, see newsletter for details.
10.11/14.11.25	Anti Bullying Week in school
13.12.25	'50 Things to do at St. George's' Passport Launch
14.11.25	Children in Need – see newsletter for details
28.11.25	Year 5 trip – Mayor's Christmas Party – see additional letter for details
9.12.25	Year 6 trip to Eatock Lodge
10.12/11.12	Year 6 Bikeability – further details to follow
10.12.25	9.15 – Key Stage One Nativity 2.00 – EYFS Nativity
11.12.25	Christmas Dinner 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
18.12.25	KS1/ KS2 Pantomime – see additional letter

50 things to do at St George's...

We're excited to announce that on Thursday 13th November 2025, we will be launching our brand-new "50 Things to Do at St George's" Passport! This special passport is filled with fun and memorable activities for children to enjoy during their time at school – from exploring nature to helping others and celebrating our school values. We can't wait to see all our pupils living out our school vision "living life in all its fullness"!

It is with great sadness that we inform you that Keith, fondly known to generations of St George's families as "the uniform man" has passed away. For over 25 years, Keith worked tirelessly to provide our students with their school uniforms, always greeting everyone with his warm smile and helpful spirit. His dedication, reliability, and kindness made him a cherished part of our community. We are deeply grateful for his many years of service and the care he showed to every family he helped. Keith will be greatly missed and fondly remembered by all at St George's.



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 – Gabrielle
Reception – James
Year 1 – Ava
Year 2 – Ellis
Year 3 – Sophie B
Year 4 – Dexter
Year 5 – Oscar
Year 5/6 - Jasmine
Year 6 – Skye

Gospel Values Award

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

Florence, Lottie, Isla, Aedan, Aster, Rocco, Amara, Elizabeth, Destiny and Mia F.

Headteacher's Award:

Reuben W – settling in so well at nursery

George - For showing perseverance in your learning! Your determination and focus make you a wonderful example for others! Keep shining bright and inspiring those around you.

Addison – It's fair to say your time as part of the St George's family has been nothing short of amazing – you have made phenomenal progress in such a short space of time and we wish you lots of luck and send our St George's love as you enter into your next chapter on life's journey – go on to live life in all its fullness.

Hugo: Since you walked back through the door after half term you have not stopped being the best you can be in EVERY WAY. You and your efforts are AMAZING!

Amaya – you brighten each and everyday with your very special shine and sparkle and you are quite literally a changed girl this year! We love having you in the Year 5/6 mix spreading your love and smile wherever you go!

Please see below important information regarding scheduled PE and Outdoor Learning days for all children in all classes this half term:

PE Timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 3	Reception Year 4	Year 2 Year 5/6 Year 6	Nursery	Year 1 Year 5

Outdoor Learning:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Year 5	Year 3 Year 5/6 Year 6	Year 1	Year 2 Year 4



Blue, Green and Blooming Bright for our Eco Council!

Outdoor Classroom Day 2025...

This week we celebrated Outdoor Classroom Day!

The children came to school dressed in blue and green to show their support for our Eco Council and their latest fundraising project. The money raised will go towards buying seeds and plants to help make our school grounds even more beautiful as part of the 'St George's in Bloom' Eco Council initiative.



Everyone enjoyed learning and playing outside while helping to make a positive difference for our environment — well done, everyone!



Thank you for your continued support.

St George's School Council is proud to present...

Children in Need 2025

On Friday 14th November 2025 it is time to dig out your brightest, spottiest attire to support our fundraising efforts for Children in Need.

From 'Bear Pong' to 'Pin the nose on Pudsey Bear' children will partake in a range of fun, exciting activities to commemorate this special fundraising effort.

All donations to be made via

Parent Pay on or before

Friday 14th November 2025.

Thank you for your continued support.

ST GEORGE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS...

CHILDREN IN NEED 2025!

FRIDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2025

Come dressed in your own clothes — the brighter, the better!

BRIGHT, SPOTTY, AND ALL THINGS PUDSEY BEAR!

Get ready for a fun-filled day packed with:

- Creative activities
- Games and challenges
- Music and laughter
- Fundraising fun for a great cause!

Let's make a difference together and help support BBC Children in Need!

DONATIONS WELCOME ON THE DAY

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"At the going down of the sun and in the morning, We Will Remember Them"...

This Sunday our Ethos and Worship group, Year 6 prefects and Head Students will take part in Westhoughton's Remembrance Parade. The service will begin at 10AM followed by the parade which will conclude at The Fairways — all welcome! We look forward to celebrating our Year 6 students as they join members of the wider community in honouring this important occasion.

