



**All Saints'**  
family, faith, flourish  
*"God gave you that gift... Now let it flourish, as a small fern grows into a tree" (2 Timothy 1:6-10)*

Year 1 Autumn Term 2 2025

# NEWSLETTER

## Our class texts...



## Key Learning this term...

This term our topic is 'Pole to Pole'. We are looking forward to learning about the arctic and animals that live in cold climates.

In Phonics we will continue to use Little Wandle to ensure our children can read fluently and with prosody and understanding. This term we are continuing to learn our Phase 5 sounds and new tricky words. Please encourage your child to read at home with you using their fabulous prosody (special reading voice!).

In Literacy we will continue to practice letter formation and keeping our letters on the line. We will practice using finger spaces as well as using capital letters and full stops to punctuate sentences. We will continue to practice using our new sounds and tricky words in our independent writing.

In Maths we will be using the Part Part Whole model to add objects together. We will be learning about numbers to 20.

In History we will be learning about Ernest Shackleton and Ann Daniels.

In Geography we will be learning about the North and South poles and some of the animals that live there.

In Science we will be animal groups and how we can sort animals according to their characteristics and what they eat.

In Art we will be working with wool and other textiles to weave, knot and wrap.

In PSHE we will be discussing 'bullying'. We will be thinking about how we can show kind behaviour as well as discussing some simple strategies to resolve arguments between friends.

In RE we will be learning about incarnation and the Christmas story.

## Reminders...

Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school each day.

All school items should be clearly labelled.

Homework is sent home each Wednesday to be returned the following Wednesday.

Our value this term is:

**Trust**

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight."  
(Proverbs 3:5-6)

## Key Dates

- PE- Every Wednesday
- 10<sup>th</sup> Friendship Week
- 11<sup>th</sup> Nov- Remembrance Day
- 12<sup>th</sup> Nov - Odd socks day
- 14<sup>th</sup> Nov- Children in Need
- 24<sup>th</sup> Nov - INSET
- 10<sup>th</sup> Dec - Panto
- 12<sup>th</sup> Dec- Christmas jumper day
- 15<sup>th</sup> Dec- Christingle Service

## Recommended Read!

