

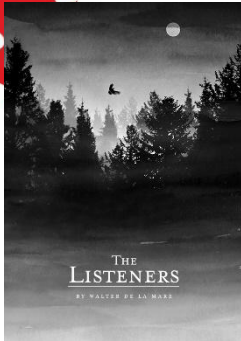


**All Saints'**  
family, faith, flourish

Year 6 Spring Term 2026

# NEWSLETTER

## Our class texts...



## Key Learning this term...

As part of our literacy lessons we will be reading 'Running on Empty' by S. E. Durrant. We will be using this to write a persuasive text. The children will then move onto reading an autobiography text and write their own- we can't wait to read them! We will continue to start each literacy lesson with a grammar focus providing the children with an opportunity to use these principles to further improve their writing. On a Friday the children will have an opportunity to take part in a focused reading session.

In Maths we are finding the area and perimeter of parallelograms, triangles and compound shapes. We are now moving on to volume and ratio. Later in the half term we will be looking at properties of shapes and statistics. We will consolidate our arithmetic learning through daily short fluency sessions. We are focusing our morning work on multi-step mathematical problems from a range of mathematical areas.

In Geography we will explore time-zones and use technology to map a route that covers various time zones. In Art we will focus on 'Picasso' and draw our own abstract portraits. Our PSHE sessions will focus upon the value of money and how taxes are used to support our local community, the children have engaged well with this so far. In RE we will be looking at Incarnation.

## Dates for the diary...

PE every Friday (arrive in your PE kit)

5<sup>th</sup> March - World Book Day!

Please see message regarding bike ability dates (Arbor email)

Please see school newsletter regarding science experiment dates.

20<sup>th</sup> March- Red Nose Day

## Reminders...

Please make sure your child brings their bag to school every day, with their reading books and planner to use in school.

The children will arrive to school in their PE kit every Friday and do not need to get changed.

Homework will be handed out every Wednesday and returned for marking the following Wednesday.

If you need to contact a member of staff we advise that you contact to the office for a follow up telephone call or a face to face meeting.

## Recommended Read!

The recommended read for this half term is from the year 6 team:

We recommend 'Wolf Brother' by Michelle Paver. This is the first of a series of books told through the eyes of the wolf. Children love this book as it is full of many twists and turns and leaves you on a cliff-hanger!

