

'Together with God, Making Learning A Life-Long Friend'

ST ANNE'S C.E.

PRIMARY SCHOOL



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www.st-annes-browndedge.staffs.sch.uk

CLASS AWARDS
On a Friday each teacher nominates two pupils from the class for the 'Star of the Week' award. Each winner is presented with a certificate.

EY
W/C 18.05.2026
Molly B / Beatrice H
Always Edward M
W/C 01.06.2026
Tahlia WB / Jacob B
Always Noah S

Y1
W/C 18.05.2026
Lola-Belle W / Bertie M
Always Iasmina A
W/C 01.06.2026
Reuben K / Arthur H
Always Reggie M

Y2
W/C 18.05.2026
Evie C / Grace B
Always Hunter McC
W/C 01.06.2026
Cicely D / Finley B
Always Phoebe N

Y3
W/C 18.05.2026
Whole Class
Always Ella J
W/C 01.06.2026
Carter-Harrison D / Noah G
Always Zack P

Y4
W/C 18.05.2026
Lizzie W / Bobby G
Always Hattie LB
W/C 01.06.2026
Whole Class
Always Lizzie W

Y5
W/C 18.05.2026
Eleanor E / Teddie-Rex L
Always Libbie C
W/C 01.06.2026
Ella H / William B
Always Georgia T

Y6
W/C 01.06.2026
William D / Ewan Whalley
Always Rosie Machin

Start children off on the way they should go and even when they are old they will not turn from it. (Proverbs 22:6)

VISION

We aspire to be guided in all that we do by our inclusive Christian ethos. We are enthusiastic about life-long learning and share wisdom in serving each other and our world. We encourage all to live lives of hope and aspiration, inspired through acquiring new skills and attributes. Dignity and respect are at the heart of our school.

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,
This week, Environmental Health visited the school to review our school meals provision. I am delighted to congratulate Laura Rudge and Sarah Jamieson, who achieved a rating of 5—the highest possible standard.

We were also pleased to welcome Cllr Joe Porter, who presented the winners of the well-dressing competition. A huge congratulations to Eleanor (Year 5) for winning the competition, and to Isaac (Year 2) and Oliver (Year 5) for their excellent runner-up entries. During his visit, Cllr Porter also announced the new St Anne's Church Queen, with Queen Theadora set to take over from Queen Evie this summer. We wish Theadora every success in her new role and thank Evie for her service.

As we begin one of the busiest terms of the year, there are many trips, events and activities planned. Please keep an eye on Class Dojo, this newsletter and your emails for the latest updates. Where possible, we kindly ask that you respond promptly to any consent requests to support us in organising these events effectively.
Kind Regards,
Mr E. Hobson

PRAYER

Dear Lord, thank you for helping us come back to school safely and thank you for all the fun we can have this term. Amen

ATTENDANCE:

W/E: 22.05.2026 Y4 97.7%
W/E: 05.06.2026 EY 99.5%











P.E. KITS - We are asking classes to wear P.E. kits on their designated P.E. days. Kits should consist of tracksuit bottoms / shorts, trainers, school t-shirt, school hoodie or school jumper. P.E. days are as follows: EY Tues, Y1 & Y2 Wednesday, Y3 & Y4 Friday and Y5 & Y6 Thursday

KIDS CLUB - When booking your children into Kids' Club, whether it be before or after school, please could you book via School Money or if paying by vouchers notify Kids' Club by the Friday of the previous week what days your child will be attending.
Kids Club : 07855 639630

KIDS CLUB

OPEN TO ALL!
Do you need to book your child into After School or Breakfast club?
Please book all of these in advance where possible and clear any outstanding arrears online. If you use club a lot you may wish to think about Tax Free Childcare Vouchers to help with the cost.
<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>
All children are welcome!

KIDS CLUB AFTER-SCHOOL CARE ACTIVITIES

Week Commencing	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8 th June	Jenga Challenge 	Chalk Designs 	LEGO 	Skipping Games 	Obstacle Course 
15 th June	Soil Fun 	Summer Bingo 	LEGO 	Water Painting 	Ball Games 

Individual

BRITISH VALUES

Liberty

The rule of Law

Democracy

Tolerance

Mutual

Respect

SCHOOL VALUES

PERSEVERANCE

RESPECT

COMMUNITY

KINDNESS

FAITH

HONESTY

HOUSE POINTS

Earth 420 Fire 458


Air 400 Water 486

CLUBS

Mon - Y4 - Y6 World Cup Football finish at 4.30 p.m. on the field starts Mon 8th June for 4 weeks last one being 29th June inclusive
Y3/Y4 Homework, Times Tables and Reading at lunchtime

Wed - Y5/Y6 Lunchtime Book Club

Thurs -Y5/Y6 Cricket Club finish 4.30 p.m. starting 23rd April

Y6 Play - Miss Turner will advise depending on scenes 

School Council Meetings 2026

Thursday 18th June @ 1.00 p.m.

ECO Council Meetings 2026

Thursday 18th June 2026

Worship Council Meetings 2026

From 24.6.27 when Naomi returns

YEAR 6 AND RECEPTION HEIGHTS and WEIGHTS

As part of the National Child Measurement Programme, school nurses visited this week to record height and weight measurements for most children in Reception and Year 6. National data from the programme helps build a clear picture of children's growth across the UK, while local results allow healthcare providers to deliver targeted support. This includes offering families free guidance on healthy eating and active lifestyles where needed.

TESTING DATES

Year 1 Phonics Test- Week commencing 8th June 2026
Year 4 MTC Weeks commencing 2nd + 9th June 2026
PLEASE NOTE IT IS VITAL THAT YOUR CHILD IS IN SCHOOL DURING THESE DATES.

WORSHIP

We are very fortunate in Worship to receive several visitors, who come and talk to the children. Over the past couple of weeks Rev Karen from St Anne's Church has explain Pentecost to the children; Ian Wolvers from Connect 2 Church explored the theme of being Chosen and Pastor Stuart Cullen from Emmanuel Church Bradley looked at the theme of diversity in the Bible.

STANDON BOWERS

Before half term Year 6 visited Standon Bowers. This was great timing as a post-SAT's treat for them. The children took part in climbing, BMX'ing, high ropes challenges, low ropes assault course and much more. The behaviour was exemplary and the way the children challenged and supported each other was wonderful to see: we are all really proud of them.

MENTAL HEALTH WALKS

On week commencing 18th May, all classes (apart from Year 6) went on their annual Mental Health Walk to mark Mental Health Awareness Week. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 walked around the local area and all children were a credit to the school with their safe and sensible behaviour. On Thursday, Year 3,4, and 5 enjoyed a leisurely walk to and round Knypersley Reservoir. Once again, we had to bravely navigate our way through the local residents (the cows) not to worry we were all fine because we had our favourite cow whisperer Mrs Eardley with us. Everyone had a fabulous time.

GOVERNOR UPDATE

The Outcomes Committee met to review pupil progress, school improvement priorities and key aspects of provision. Updates on attendance, staff wellbeing and adaptive teaching evidenced continued improvement and strong inclusive practice. The Committee also considered curriculum development, collective worship, and communication with parents, with several actions agreed to strengthen these areas further. Governors were encouraged by the school's progress and the commitment to support pupils' achievement and wellbeing.

POLITE NOTICE We have once again had complaints from local residents and parents regarding inconsiderate parking on the zig zag lines outside school, parking dangerously and blocking driveways. **PLEASE PARK SAFELY**- the safety of our children is paramount at all times. Please support us in registering complaints to www.staffs Moorlands.gov.uk/article/2723/ 

DATES

W/C 8th Jun 2026 - Y4 Multiplication Tests
W/C 8th Jun 2026 - Phonics Test Week
Mon 8th Jun 2026 - Y6 Bikeability Week
Tue 9th Jun 2026 - Y5/Y6 Cricket @ Oakmoor
Thur 11th Jun 2026 - Town Field Athletics @ Northwood
Fri 12th Jun 2026 - Y4 World Cup Penalty Out whole school
Tues 16th Jun 2026 - Academy Photography
Wed 17th Jun 2026 - Sports Day
Thurs 18th Jun 2026 - Town Track Events
Fri 19th Jun 2026 - Fathers Day Breakfast
Fri 19th Jun 2026 - K2M Music Concert
Mon 22nd Jun 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Mon 22nd Jun 2026 - New Parents Reception Sept 2026 Parents Evening
Tue 23rd Jun 2026 - Y5 Trip to Stanley Head
Tue 23rd Jun 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Wed 24th Jun 2026 - Summer Film Night
Thur 25th Jun 2026 - School Council Trip
Thur 25th Jun 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Fri 26th Jun 2026 - Girls Cricket @ Leek Cricket Club
W/C 29th Jun 2026 - Assessment Week
Mon 29th Jun 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Tue 30th Jun 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Wed 1st Jul 2026 - Y6 Play
Thur 2nd Jul 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon

Thur 2nd Jul 2026 - Y4 JustDance Off whole school
Mon 6th Jul 2026 - City Gala Swimming
Mon 6th Jul 2026 - EY, Y1, Y2 Trip to Trentham
Mon 6th Jul 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Tue 7th Jul 2026 - House Prize
Tue 7th Jul 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Wed 8th Jul 2026 - Y6 @ Endon High School (Arts Gala)
Thur 9th Jul 2026 - City Athletics
Thur 9th Jul 2026 - Reception 2026 Transition Afternoon
Fri 10th Jul 2026 - Rock Steady Concert
Fri 10th Jul 2026 - Last swimming lesson for Y5
Fri 10th Jul 2026 - Summer Fayre Day
Mon 13th Jul 2026 - Transition Day St. Anne's
Mon 13th Jul 2026 - Y6 Transition Day @ Endon High School
Mon 13th Jul 2026 - Parent Drop In
Tue 14th Jul 2026 - Transition Day St. Anne's
Tue 14th Jul 2026 - Y6 Transition Day @ Endon High School
Wed 15th Jul 2026 - Y6 Leavers Lunch
Thur 16th Jul 2026 - Y6 Church Service
Thur 16th Jul 2026 - School Disco
Fri 17th Jul 2026 - Leavers Assembly
Fri 17th Jul 2026 - School Closes for Summer
Mon 20th Jul 2026 - School Closed Inset Day

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