

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

ST ANNE'S C.E.

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our school website is:-
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 01.09.2025
Whole Class / Nancy-Leigh S / Arthur H
Always Beatrice H
W/C 08.09.2025
Lottie K / Radleigh CH
Always Jayden E

Y1
W/C 01.09.2025
Reggie M/Iasmina A
Always Manahil J
W/C 08.09.2025
Roxie-Rose S/Oscar M
Always Isla-Rose W

Y2
W/C 01.09.2025
Dylan C /Nyx P
Always Evie C
W/C 08.09.2025
Ellie-Rose R/Finley B
Always Walter M

Y3
W/C 01.09.2025
Rockwell T / Penelope CH
Always Bonnie-Bleu S
W/C 08.09.2025
Marnie B/Lola CD
Always Ruby J

Y4
W/C 01.09.2025
Seren L / Tyler P
Always Ajay J
W/C 08.09.2025
Ellie C/ James W
Always Jenson P

Y5
W/C 01.09.2025
Eleanor E/Seb G
Always Oliver W
W/C 08.09.2025
Millie M/Ronnie T
Always Eliza M

Y6
W/C 01.09.2025
Matthew W /Saffie T
AlwaysScarlet D
W/C 08.09.2025
Milo C/Mason G/Rosie M
Always Willow H

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, I am delighted to welcome you all to the start of a brand new school year. Whether you are returning to us after the summer break or joining our school community for the first time, we are so pleased to have you with us. A new school year is always an exciting time, full of possibilities and opportunities. Children's energy and enthusiasm has filled the school once again. Together, we will continue to build a nurturing, inclusive, and inspiring environment where every child is supported to achieve their very best. We welcome three new staff members to St Anne's; Mrs Carpenter, Mrs Pearson and Mr Buxton, who have settled in seamlessly to the school. They have compiled welcome messages on this newsletter to introduce themselves to you. We do have a Teaching Assistant vacancy currently. More details can be found on Dojo and Facebook. Kind Regards Mr E. Hobson.

HEAD BOY / GIRL and HOUSE CAPTAINS

It is with great delight and excitement that we have selected our House Captains / Head Boy / Head Girl for 2025-26

Meet the House Captains for 2025/26:

Head Boy: Keyaan Issah

Head Girl: Isla Molloy

Earth House Captains: John Bailey and Piper Cox

Fire House Captains: William Sheldon and Teddy Corbett

Air House Captains: William Davenport and Emelie -Jean Parkes

Water House Captains: Max Cogan and Elizabeth Smith

PRAYER

Dear Lord, Thank you for giving us the opportunity to have an education and to be able to go to school. Thank you for the teachers who give up their time to teach us. Thank you for the responsibilities that we are allowed to have. Amen

ATTENDANCE:

W/E: 05.09.2025 Y4 100%
W/E: 12.09.2025 Y5 100%

P.E. KITS - We are asking classes to wear P.E. kits on the 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 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

MEET THE TEACHER

This week many of you have met the new class teachers for your children in our Meet The Teacher sessions. If you were unable to attend please contact the class teacher for the content and expectations of the year.

Individual

BRITISH VALUES

Liberty
The rule of Law
Democracy
Tolerance
Mutual Respect

WORLD'S BIGGEST
COFFEE MORNING

MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT



MACMILLAN COFFEE AFTERNOON

We are holding our MacMillan Coffee Afternoon on Friday 26th September from 1:45pm. Please book on via School Money. (Please see Dojo and letter for more details)

SCHOOL VALUES

PERSEVERANCE
RESPECT
COMMUNITY

KINDNESS
FAITH
HONESTY

HOUSE POINTS

Earth Fire
Air Water

CLUBS

Mon - Lego (external provider)
 St. Anne's Singers starts 15th Sept finish 4.10 p.m.
 Y5/Y6 Dance starts 15th Sept finish 4.25 p.m.
 Y6 Micro:BIT Programming 4.00 p.m.
 Tue - KS2 Cross Country started 9th Sept finish 4.20 p.m.
 Y2/Y3 Hama Bead starts 16th Sept finish 4.00 p.m.
 Wed - Gymnastics (external provider)
 Y5/Y6 Drama starts 17th Sept finish 4.30 p.m.
 Thur -
 Fri - Y5/Y6 Mixed Football starts 12th Sept finish 4.40 p.m.



School Council Meetings 2025

Wednesday 17.09.2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

Wednesday 01.10.2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

ECO Council Meetings 2025

Thursday 11.09.2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

Thursday 25.09.2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

Worship Council Meetings 2025

Monday 15.09.2025 @ 1.30 p.m.

Monday 29.09.2025 @ 1.30 p.m.

TESTING DATES

Year 6 SATS- Week commencing 11th May 2026
 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.

FEED THE HUNGRY

We are excited to be part of the Millionaire Meal Maker with the charity 'Feed The Hungry'. On 14th October, St Anne's C.E. Primary School will be turned into a production line to make and box 6,000 meals to be shipped to Uganda for South Sudanese refugees.

FOREST SUMMER SCHOOL ROUND-UP

This year Forest Fun was open to all year groups every day and was a huge success. Miss Chirnside, Miss Morris and Miss Bailey all volunteered to support Mrs Bailey and the children so that we were able to run this amazing week. The weather was very kind to us and every day we were able to cook, craft and just have fun! Each day had a theme, Hedgehogs, Trees, Willow, Flight and Bugs. We made bows and arrows, clay birds, tree guardians then made crisps, apple pancakes, scones, cream and even our own jam!

FLOURISH and CONNECT 2 SUMMER CLUB

As part of the Flourish project our Deep Dive Summer club saw us enjoying craft, music and games based on stories from the bible about Jesus. There was lots of fun, food, and plenty of bubbles! Looking ahead to this term we will be launching a new lunchtime bible study as well as our popular Christmas pudding club (dates to be announced). All age Sunday gatherings are here in St. Anne's C.E Primary School Hall at 10am every second Sunday in the month, where Flourish & Connect2 offer a warm and friendly place to come and learn more about the Christian faith.

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/Contact-Us
 Phone: 0345 605 3010



YEAR 3 STONE AGE DAY

Year 3 had an amazing introduction to the Stone Age last Thursday. We thought that you all looked absolutely amazing in your costumes. We had a great time using pasta and clay to create our own prehistoric jewellery as well as using chalk and pastels to do some cave paintings throughout the morning. The children were super lucky to be able to grind their own wheat and grains down to get more of an understanding of what life would have been like for people trying to survive during the Stone Age.

Y6 Problem Solving Afternoon

Year 6 took part in a problem solving afternoon on Tuesday in order to show off their leadership skills. Miss Turner, Mr Hobson and Mr Jones lead a group each in tasks that tested the children's ability to talk to each other listen well, solve problems and apply logic. All children did really well and fully engaged in the activities. From this, amongst other aspects such as letter applications, we were able to decide on some key leaders for this school year.

MEET OUR NEW STAFF

Hi, I am Mrs Pearson, the new Year 1 teacher, and I am really excited to be joining your children on their learning journey this year. When I am not in the classroom, you will usually find me in my wellies on our family farm, spending time with my three children. My interests tend to follow theirs - at the moment that means I know far more than I ever expected about Disney princesses and Manchester City!

Hi I'm Mr Buxton. I'm new to St Anne's but have already clearly seen the enthusiasm and respect of the children here. I will be teaching in Year 4 on a Thursday, and Year 6 on Wednesday afternoon and Friday. Away from school I love cricket, football and F1, and enjoy a weekly pub quiz!

My name is Mrs Carpenter and I will be with year 2 on Thursdays and Fridays and with other classes on Wednesday afternoon. My afternoon subjects will be Science, Art, DT and Music and I am excited for all the learning we will be doing together. Out of school, I love walking in the countryside with my family and enjoying relearning to play the piano!

DATES

Sat 13th Sept 2025 - 2nd Sunday Creation Treasure Hunt
 Mon 15th Sept 2025 - Reception Blessing Service
 Mon 15th Sept 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 15th Sept 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Thur 18th Sept 2025 - Severn Trent Water Assembly & Y3 workshop
 Mon 22nd Sept 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 22nd Sept 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Tue 23rd Sept 2025 - Carbon Monoxide Safety Assembly
 Tue 23rd Sept 2025 - Y2/Y3 Carbon Monoxide Workshops
 Wed 24th Sept 2025 - Y5/Y6 Carbon Monoxide Workshops
 Fri 26th Sept 2025 - MacMillan Coffee Afternoon
 Mon 29th Sept 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 29th Sept 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Thur 2nd Oct 2025 - NSPCC Assemblies
 Fri 3rd Oct 2025 - Harvest Service
 Mon 6th Oct 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 6th Oct 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Tue 7th Oct 2025 - KS1 Reading Breakfast
 Tue 7th Oct 2025 - Y4 Laches Wood Meeting
 Wed 8th Oct 2025 - Lower KS2 Reading Breakfast
 Thur 9th Oct 2025 - Reception Phonics Morning
 Fri 10th Oct 2025 - World Mental Health Day Wear YELLOW
 Fri 10th Oct 2025 - Reception Phonics Morning
 Mon 13th Oct 2025 - Y5 to Leek Fire Station

Mon 13th Oct 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 13th Oct 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Wed 15th Oct 2025 - Y1 Phonics Morning
 Thur 16th Oct 2025 - Upper KS2 Reading Breakfast
 Thur 16th Oct 2025 - Y2 NSPCC Workshops
 Thur 16th Oct 2025 - Y5 NSPCC Talks
 Thur 16th Oct 2025 - Y6 NSPCC Talks
 Fri 17th Oct 2025 - Open Afternoon New Intake from 3.30 p.m.
 Sat 18th Oct 2025 - Open Morning New Intake for 8.30 a.m.
 Mon 20th Oct 2025 - Drawing & Talking small KS1 group
 Mon 20th Oct 2025 - Y6 Mental Health
 Tue 21st Oct 2025 - Y4 Viking Workshop
 Tue 21st Oct 2025 - Rec Reading Breakfast
 Tue 21st Oct 2025 - City 7's Football
 Thur 23rd Oct 2025 - House Competition
 Fri 24th Oct 2025 - School Closed Inset Day
 Mon 27th Oct 2025 - School Closed Half Term
 Mon 3rd Nov 2025 - School Opens
 Mon 3rd Nov 2025 - Connect 2 Light Party
 Tue 11th Nov 2025 - Remembrance Service
 Wed 12th Nov 2025 - SEND Parent Consultations
 Thur 13th Nov 2025 - World Kindness Day Focus
 Thur 13th Nov 2025 - SEND Parent Consultations
 Fri 14th Nov 2025 - Children In Need

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