

Hesketh-with-Becconsall's

NEWS OF THE WEEK

What you are is God's gift to you, what you become is your gift to God.

Part of the Learning Together Trust family of schools



What a lovely first week back at school, seeing familiar faces return and welcoming new ones into the Reception Class and Little Saints Nursery; all the children have been delightful showing good manners, good work and good behaviour! As our All Saints School family continues to grow so does our Learning Together Trust family of schools, Benjamin Hargreaves CE Primary School joined the Trust on September 1st.



You are invited to the...

Education Sunday Family Service

at School on Sunday 8th September at 10.30am





This is the 2024 theme for Churches Together in England. Rev Dave, the congregation of All Saints Church & Mrs Ainsworth would love to see children and their families at this school-led family service.

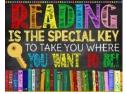
'As I have loved you, love one another.' John 13:14

The service begins at 10.30am at school and should last no longer than 45 minutes. Refreshments will be served afterwards.



Reading Rewards

Reading is the key to learning and all



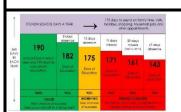
children in KS1 & KS2 brought home new reading books and records today. Who will be the first child to gain a reading reward in the 100 club?

Next week we are looking for

Stars of the Week

who show our School Value of

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Attendance Counts!

Whole School Attendance this week: 95.8% The classes with the best attendance this week are Year 2 100% and Year 3 100%





Please look out for what's going on...

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Dates for your Diary



Sunday 8th September 10.30am Education Sunday Service at school where will be joined by the congregation of All Saints Church

Monday 16th September Democracy Day

Monday 16th to Wednesday 18th Year 5 Bikeability

Week Beginning Monday 23rd September Autumn Parents' Evenings

Friday 18th October 3.25pm School closes for the half-term holiday

Monday 28th October School opens for the second half of the Autumn Term

Friday 1st November All Saints Open Day

Friday 20th December 3.25pm School closes for the Christmas Holidays

Monday 6th January 2025 INSET Day 2 School closed to children

Tuesday 7th January School opens for the first half of the Spring Term

This is our school, Let peace dwell here, Let the rooms be full of happiness Let love live here Love for one another, Love for mankind, Love of life itself, And love of God. Let us remember, That as many hands build a house, So many hearts make a school. Amen

All Saints Church Services

To Love God and to Love One Another'

Sunday 8th September

9:00 am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel 10:30am Family Service here at school

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

Sunday 15th September

9:00 am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel 10:30am Battle of Britain Service

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

Tuesday 17th September

7.30pm MU Meeting in the Church Hall

Sunday 22nd September

9:00 am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel 10:30am Holy Communion

12:30pm Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel

Sunday 29th September

9:00 am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel 10:30am Morning Worship

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

Education Sunday Comissioning Prayer

Dear Lord God, we thank you for the gift of learning, and that as humans we can increase our knowledge, deepen our understanding and sharpen our skills and abilities. Help us to be mindful that learning is a gift from you to be cherished, to be used for the betterment of ourselves and others and to the glory of your name and the furtherance of your kingdom, according to your will. Here in our community, we have teachers, learners and places of learning. We thank you for them all, and for the contribution they make to making our community what it is. Bless them and strengthen them. We pray for our places of learning, schools, nurseries, colleges and universities, that they are safe and supportive places which open up a world of possibilities to all. We pray for those who contribute to our places of learning, teachers, lecturers, teaching assistants, support staff, chaplains, volunteers, leaders and governors. May they each know what valuable contribution they bring in

helping their learners flourish and grow. We thank you Lord for their talents. We pray for those who learn, whether that comes easily to them or is difficult, that they see the opportunities before them and grow in confidence and wisdom and flourish. We thank you Lord for their curiosity and creativity. We ask all these things in your name.

Amen.



Whilst we enjoy the Education Sunday Service here at school Mr Wright has a

personal challenge of his own this weekend as he takes part in the Great North Run for charity.



Year 2 enjoyed representing numbers in different ways using their maths toolkit boxes with a variety of manipulatives as part of their Place Value learning.



Free offer for local families

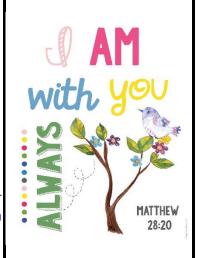






Thank you for supporting the 'Meet the Teacher' sessions, school really appreciates your support!

If you were unable to attend, or if you would like a refresher on what was shared - this information will be available from Monday on the class pages of the school website.



Is my child too ill for school?

We understand that children from time to time can become ill and it is a tricky decision whether to send them into school. Please see below a guide to help you decide whether to send your child to school.



Coughs and colds

It's fine to send your child to school with a minor <u>cough</u> or <u>common cold</u>. But if they have a fever, keep them off school until the fever goes. Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues and to wash their hands regularly.

High temperature

If your child has a high temperature, (high temperature is 38C or more) keep them off school until it goes away.

Chickenpox

If your child has <u>chickenpox</u>, keep them off school until all the spots have crusted over.

This is usually about 5 days after the spots first appeared.

Cold sores

There's no need to keep your child off school if they have a cold sore.

Encourage them not to touch the blister or kiss anyone while they have the cold sore, or to share things like cups and towels.

Conjunctivitis

You don't necessarily need to keep your child away from school if they have <u>conjunctivitis</u> but you must get advice from your pharmacist. Encourage your child not to rub their eyes and to wash their hands regularly.

Ear infection

If your child has an <u>ear infection</u> and a high temperature or severe earache, keep them off school until they're feeling better or their high temperature goes away.

Hand, foot and mouth disease

If your child has symptoms of <u>hand, foot and mouth disease</u> please take them to the GP to be checked. After this, if they seem well enough to go to school, there is no need to keep them off.

Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues straight away and to wash their hands regularly.

Head lice and nits

There's no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice. You can treat <u>head lice and nits</u> without seeing a GP. Impetigo

If your child has impetigo, they'll need treatment from a GP, often with antibiotics.

Keep them off school until all the sores have crusted over and healed, or for 48 hours after they start antibiotic treatment. Encourage your child to wash their hands regularly and not to share things like towels and cups with other children at school.

Ringworm

If your child has <u>ringworm</u>, see your pharmacist unless it's on their scalp, in which case you should see a GP.

It's fine for your child to go to school once they have started treatment.

Scarlet fever

If your child has <u>scarlet fever,</u> they'll need treatment with antibiotics from a GP. Otherwise they'll be infectious for 2 to 3 weeks. Your child can go back to school 24 hours after starting antibiotics.

Slapped cheek syndrome

You don't need to keep your child off school if they have <u>slapped cheek syndrome</u>, because once the rash appears, they're no longer infectious. If you suspect your child has slapped cheek syndrome, take them to see a GP and let their school know if they're diagnosed with it.

Sore throat

You can still send your child to school if they have a <u>sore throat</u>. But if they also have a high temperature, they should stay at home until it goes away. A sore throat and a high temperature can be symptoms of tonsillitis.

Threadworms

You don't need to keep your child off school if they have threadworms.

Speak to your pharmacist, who can recommend a treatment.

Vomiting and diarrhoea

Children with <u>diarrhoea or vomiting</u> should stay away from school for 2 days after their symptoms have gone.

Information taken from NHS Website https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/

Our aim as a school is for every child to achieve at least 96% attendance and, whilst we appreciate that sickness is unavoidable, we do have a duty of care to report persistent absences (below 90%) to our Attendance Officer.