

Newsletter

Friday 19th July 2024

Our review video of 2023-24 is now on our website, under 'Our School'.

Clubs:

Every day – Breakfast Club from 7:30am
(Please note, children must arrive before 8:30am).

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

There are NO after-school clubs in the first week of the new school year.

Please see the school website for more events.

Summer Holidays

Mon 4th & Tue 5th September

Teacher Training Days

Wednesday 6th September

1st Day of School – Welcome back!

Friday 8th September

Meet the Teacher for Parents/Carers @ 3:25pm

Monday 11th September

Y6 to Safety Works

The children met with their 'new' teacher for September this week. The proposed staffing plan for September 2024 is:

Rec	Miss Hill, Mr Wylie & Miss Brown
Year 1	Mrs Turner, Miss E Martin & Miss Garner
Year 2	Miss Grant, Mrs Watson & Mrs Gates
Year 3	Miss Hilldrith, Miss Husband & Mrs Usher
Year 4	Miss Wood & Mme Machane
Year 5	Miss Willis & Miss Wilson
Year 6	Mrs Burdon, Mrs Manson & Miss Hastie

Mrs Watson (Deputy HT) will join the Reception class when she returns from Maternity leave in January.
Miss D Martin will support pupils in the Learning Hub.
Miss Dalton and Mrs Griffiths will join our Breakfast Club and lunchtime support team.
Mrs Dowson will work in the school office alongside Mrs Campbell and Miss Dixon.

Our Year 6 pupils have come to the end of their time at Primary School: a wonderful adventure of discovery, development, friendships and faith. Whilst their journey at St. Vincent's has ended, a new and exciting chapter in their lives is just about to begin.



The children are leaving St. Vincent's with confidence, high expectations and grand aspirations: they are the engineers, doctors, airline pilots, actors, vets, artists and lawyers of the future and we are very, VERY proud of them all. They will remain in our thoughts and prayers.



We are sad to be waving goodbye to Mr Vickers, Mr Celino and Mr Spendlove also. We wish them all good luck and great happiness.

FSM vouchers to the **value of £30** will be issued (**on 17th July, 31st July and 14th August**) to parents/carers of children eligible for benefits related Free School Meals.

Congratulations to our 62 **2023-24** 100% and 99% school attenders who enjoyed a morning of mesmerising magic, terrific treats and free choice at Mr Whippy's van. They were IN-IT-**2**-WINIT!



Sports Day, on Tuesday, was a great success with all pupils demonstrating all 3 Olympic values: excellence, friendship and respect.



Well done to our Sports Day winners! Gold, silver and bronze medals to over-all race winners, plus trophies for Outstanding Sporting Spirit. Congratulations!



Thank you, children, for your tenacity and resilience.
Thank you, parents, for your continued support.
Thank you, staff, for your hard-work and unwavering commitment to your pupils.
 We wish you all a sunny and safe six weeks holiday. Don't forget the holiday 3Rs:
Rest, Relax and READ! Best wishes from School Governors and Ms Ness.



ATTENDANCE

“Central to raising standards in education and ensuring all pupils can fulfil their potential is an assumption so widely understood that it is insufficiently stated – pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education.”

DfE



2023-2024 School Attendance

Rec	96.14%
Y1	95.45%
Y2	97.19%
Y3	96.03%
Y4	95.12%
Y5	97.22%
Y6	95.47%
All	96.09%

Phew, we just managed to meet the DfE's 'off to a flying start' standard. **NB** New DfE attendance monitoring and fines start in September:

'Every state school in England will now share their daily attendance registers across the education sector - including with the department for education, councils, and trusts...Parent fines for unauthorised absences will also be brought under a national framework to help tackle inconsistencies in their use.'

We wish you all a very happy summer holiday.

Q. Why didn't the elephant need a suitcase for his summer holiday?

A. Because he already had a trunk!

