



The Bulletin

22nd September 2017

Term Dates 2017-2018

Monday 4th September 2017 to Friday 20th October 2017	Term 1
Monday 4th September 2017	Staff Development Day – School closed
Monday 30th October 2017 to Wednesday 20th December 2017	Term 2
Thursday 4th January 2018 to Friday 9th February 2018	Term 3
Thursday 4th January 2018	Staff Development Day – School closed
Friday 5th January 2018	Staff Development Day – School closed
Monday 19th February 2018 to Thursday 29th March 2018	Term 4
Friday 30th March 2018	Bank Holiday – Good Friday
Monday 2nd April 2018	Bank Holiday – Easter Monday
Monday 16th April 2018 to Friday 25th May 2018	Term 5
Monday 7th May 2018	Bank Holiday – May Day
Monday 4th June 2018 to Tuesday 24th July 2018	Term 6
Monday 23rd July 2018	Staff Development Day – School closed
Tuesday 24th July 2018	Staff Development Day – School closed

Diary Dates Academic Year 2017-2018	Any changes or additions are shown in red
Term 1	
Monday 18th September 2017	Reception Class start full time days
Tuesday 19th September 2017	Family Trust Act of Worship
Tuesday 19th September 2017	Forest School – Year 4
Tuesday 19th September 2017	Year R Kent Messenger First Class photograph
Wednesday 20th September 2017 9:00am	Wednesday Worship led by Father Matthew Year 6 parents invited to join the school
Wednesday 20th September 2017 8:00pm	PTFA Meeting – The Old Rectory
Friday 22nd September 2017	Forest School – Year 3
Friday 22nd September 2017 2:30pm	PTFA Afternoon Tea for new Reception Class parents giving you an informal opportunity to get to know our PTFA
Monday 25th September 2017	School run clubs start this week

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Tuesday 26th September 2017	Forest School – Year 2
Wednesday 27th September 2017 9:00am	Wednesday Worship led by Father Matthew Year 5 parents invited to join the school
Wednesday 27th September 2017 7:00pm	Year 5 Secondary Transfer Parents Information meeting
Friday 29th September 2017	Class Photographs
Friday 29th September 2017	Forest School – Year 1
Monday 2nd October 2017	Stone Age Day – Year 3
Tuesday 3rd October 2017	Forest School – Year R
Thursday 5th October 2017 9:00am	Year 6 Act of Worship - Year 6 parents invited
Friday 6th October 2017	Forest School – Year 6
Friday 6th October 2017	Harvest Act of Worship
Tuesday 10th October 2017	Forest School – Year 5
Wednesday 11th October 2017 9:00am	Wednesday Worship led by Father Matthew Year 4 parents invited to join the school
Wednesday 11th October 2017 3:15pm to 3:45pm	Book Fair
Wednesday 11th October 2017 7:00pm – 8:00pm	Phonics Evening – Reception Class parents
Thursday 12th October 2017 9:00am – 10:20am	Phonics – Stay and Play Reception Class parents See separate letter for more information and sign up for your preferred session.
Thursday 12th October 2017	Kent to send 11+ results to Year 6 parents
Friday 13th October 2017 9:00am	Year 5 Act of Worship – Year 5 parents invited
Friday 13th October 2017	Forest School – Year 4
Monday 16th October 2017 9:00am – 10:20am	Phonics – Stay and Play Reception Class parents See separate letter for more information and sign up for your preferred session.
Tuesday 17th October 2017 9:00am – 10:20am	Phonics – Stay and Play Reception Class parents See separate letter for more information and sign up for your preferred session.
Tuesday 17th October 2017	Forest School – Year 3
Thursday 19th October 2017 9:00am – 10:20am	Phonics – Stay and Play Reception Class parents See separate letter for more information and sign up for your preferred session.
Friday 20th October 2017	Forest School – Year 2

Please see The Bulletin dated 15th September 2017
for the diary dates for the remainder of the academic year

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Attendance Target 96.7%	Week ending 22 nd September 2017
Year R	99.0%
Year 1	99.0%
Year 2	99.6%
Year 3	97.6%
Year 4	97.4%
Year 5	95.6%
Year 6	97.7%
Whole School	97.9%

House Points		
House	This week's Points	Running Total
St Andrew	1513	2276
St David	1350	2492
St George	1514	2452
St Patrick	1282	2190

Stars of the Week		Citizens of the Week	
Year 1	Isabella F, Buddy T	Year 1	Emilia S
Year 2	Lily B, Rhys C	Year 2	Alfie L
Year 3	Joseph B, Violet S	Year 3	Gabriel N
Year 4	Matthew F, Ava M	Year 4	Emily S
Year 5	Joe H, Zak R	Year 5	Holly M
Year 6	Ben C, Josh L	Year 6	Johnny E

Father Matthew's quote of the week

"Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies."

Mother Teresa

The School's Front Garden

We would like to thank Poppy S, Year 3 Grandmother for the time she has spent making the School's front garden look so lovely.



Library Volunteers

Do you have any time available on Monday afternoons? The Library volunteers are looking for more people to join their team on Mondays from 12:30pm onwards. We hope that enough people will sign up so that a rota can be arranged so that you will not have to come into school every Monday.

Lego Club

We have had a couple of parents ask about Lego Club, due to a change in their staffing they are unable to run the after school club this term. Bricks4Kidz hope to restart in Term 2, they will be sending us some information to forward to parents later this term.

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Tom Tugendhat's Christmas card competition

Our MP, Tom Tugendhat is once again running his Christmas card competition. Every year he sends Christmas cards to many people in the community and the design is chosen from the entries he receives from schools across his constituency.

If your child would like to enter the competition, please submit their drawings on an A4 sheet of paper (portrait or landscape) using any medium, providing it is on a Christmas theme. Please ask your child to sign their name on the front, so that it will appear on the card. The four winners will receive 100 copies of their own card and Mr Tugendhat will arrange a tour of the Houses of Parliament with them and their parents.

To make sure we send in our entries in plenty of time, you must hand them into the school office by Friday 12th October 2017. We look forward to seeing your designs.

Thales Competition Winner

Amy W attended the RIAT Air Show in July, and during the day visited the Techno Zone where a number of companies were promoting their STEM activities.

Thales was running a number of competitions from paper airplane flying to crypto puzzles and a colouring competition. Amy entered the colouring competition and was awarded the first prize of a kindle tablet. During the Act of Worship today Jon Bye from Thales presented Amy with her prize. A copy of Amy's winning entry is shown below.



PTFA Breakfast with Santa

The PTFA will once again be running "Breakfast with Santa" on Saturday 9th December 2017 more information will follow regarding times and prices, but in the meantime please add the date to your calendars.

Prayer of the week

Gracious Lord, as we go out into the world,
May we travel light and tread softly,
May our actions speak loudly of your love.
AMEN

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