

St Austin's R.C. Primary

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Weekly News Update 9th to 13th October 2023

"Every Day Counts"



Attendance Champions this week are:-

Y1—96.3% Y1

Y5—95.5% Y5

This week's overall attendance figure for the whole school is; **95.5%**

Please remember to contact the school on the first day of absence. Tel: 01744 678000

Contact information Please ensure your contact details are up-to date. Please ring the school office with any amendments.

Under the Sea—VR Day

To compliment our whole school project, pupils from Reception to Y6 took part in a VR session 'Under the Sea' this week. The event was enjoyed by all.

Spooky Sponsored Sprint

To raise funds to subsidise school events throughout the year we are holding a 'Spooky Sponsored Sprint' on Friday, 27th October. Pupils may come to school wearing spooky age appropriate costumes. Letter to follow.

Harvest Festival

Many thanks all the food donations. Fr Martin has now collected the items to take to the foodbank. Thank you for your support.

Carve a Pumpkin Day



Carve a Pumpkin Day will be held on **Wednesday, 25th October 2023**. This provides parents with an opportunity over half term to work with their child to create a carved pumpkin.

Your child's carved **pumpkin should be brought to school and collected from school on Wednesday, 25th October 2023**.

Prizes will be awarded on the day. Good luck!

Important Dates:

Y6 Pupils - Secondary applications

If you have not already applied for a secondary place for your child, you can now apply on-line. **Closing Date for Secondary applications is 31st October 2023.**

Nursery Applications

September 2024 applications - If your child is aged 3 before 31st August 2024 please collect an application form from the school office.

Primary—If your child is aged 4 before 31st August 2024, please apply on line. The closing date is 15th January 2024.

Please apply via St Helens Council/ Admissions website.

Extra-Curricular Activities w/c 16.10.23 until half term:

Monday

Y1 & Y2 multi skills 8am to 8.50am for those pupils who have returned forms.

Tuesday

Football 3.30pm to 4.20pm for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Wednesday

Y3 & Y4 Multi Skills—8am-8.50am for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Gymnastics

3.30pm to 4.20pm for those pupils who have been allocated a place.

Thursday

Y5/Y6 Multi Skills—8am to 8.50am for those pupils who have been allocated a place.