

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: 10.02.2025
Whole Class / Theo J /
Manahil J
Always Tilly S

Y1
W/C : 10.02.2025
Hunter MC /
Ellie-Rose R
Always Finley B

Y2
W/C: 10.02.2025
Ruby J / Isla L
Always Elliot B

Y3
W/C: 10.02.2025
Bobby G / Leo C
Always Jaxon C

Y4
W/C: 10.02.2025
Whole Class
Always Edward S

Y5
W/C: 10.02.2025
Emelie-Jean P /
Pepper T
Always Milo C

Y6
W/C: 10.02.2025
Khloe N / Alex C
Always E Cullen

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, Welcome back after half-term! Before half-term there was a nasty virus going around school, which I know quite a few children contracted. Over half-term, classrooms had a deep clean to hopefully ensure that any bugs still lingering are eradicated. However, there is still some illness prevailing. If in doubt, please contact our brilliant office staff, who are happy to advise where appropriate.

There are lots of exciting events planned this term: the Y4 residential to Laches Wood takes place next week, whilst we will be holding Mother's Day breakfast and Easter Film Night later in the term. Don't forget your potatoes for World Book Day and School Council are looking forward to their visit to London.

Finally, we have appointed two new governors: Mrs Cope (Parent Governor) and Mr Baskerville (Foundation Governor), who have commenced their roles.

Kind Regards, Mr E. Hobson

PRAYER +

Dear Lord, thank you for my friends, for the games and fun that we play, for the secrets we share, for the laughs and the good times. Thank you for Spring that is on the way and the hope of warmer, longer, brighter days. Amen

ATTENDANCE:

W/E: 14.02.2025 Y2 100%
W/E: 28.02.2025 Y1 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:
RECEPTION = Monday, Y1 = Monday, Y2 = Wednesday, Y3 = Tuesday, Y4 = Friday, Y5 = Thursday, Y6 = Friday

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

ENTRUST MUSIC CONCERT

Entrust Music Service came in today to share music from around the world to the school. The school were complimented on their knowledge of music and their great listening skills - School of the week according to the Entrust Teachers!

SAFER INTERNET DAY

St. Anne's has celebrated Safer Internet Day, which this year had the theme: "Too Good to be True? Protecting yourself and others from scams online". Children learned how to spot scams, including when they use fake pictures and videos made with Artificial Intelligence, and got creative completing tasks in their classes. See if you can spot some of the posters that Y4 children made on how to spot scams underneath the Computing display near Y2, and by the Chromebooks in the Adventure Room!

WORLD BOOK DAY

We are looking forward to World Book Day at St Anne's on Thursday 6th March. In our English lessons we will be doing some fun English based activities including making book marks, designing book covers and lots more. In the afternoon, children are being asked to bring an uncooked baking potato into school to design their own book character using this. Please see Dojo for more information!

Individual

BRITISH VALUES

Liberty
The rule of Law
Democracy
Tolerance
Mutual Respect

SCHOOL VALUES

PERSEVERANCE KINDNESS
RESPECT FAITH
COMMUNITY **HONESTY**

HOUSE POINTS

Earth 690 Fire 689
Air 677 Water 685

CLUBS

Mon - Y5/Y6 Drama Club starting 13th Jan finish 4.30pm
Tues - Y6 Extended Maths Club from 8.30am
KS2 Cross Country starts 11th Feb finish 4.20pm
St. Anne's Singers starts 4th Mar finish 4.10pm
Wed - Y1/Y2 Craft Club starts 5th Mar finish 4.00pm
Y4 - Y6 Rugby Club starts 12th Mar finish 4.20pm
Fri - Y6 Extended Maths Club from 8.30am
Y5/Y6 Football starts 28th Feb finish 4.40pm
Y1/Y2 & Worship Council Easter Club starts 14th Mar finish 4.00pm



School Council Meetings 2025

Monday 3rd March 2025 @ 1.00 p.m.
Monday 17th March 2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

ECO Council Meetings 2025

Monday 3rd March 2025 @ 1.00 p.m.
Monday 17th March 2025 @ 1.00 p.m.

Worship Council Meetings 2025

Monday 10th March 2025 @ 11.10 a.m.
Monday 24th March 2025 @ 11.10 a.m.

TESTING DATES

Year 6 SATS- Week commencing 12th May 2025
Year 1 Phonics Test- Week commencing 9th June 2025
Year 4- Weeks commencing 2nd + 9th June 2025
PLEASE NOTE IT IS VITAL THAT YOUR CHILD IS IN SCHOOL DURING THESE DATES.
*Y2 SATS are now optional and will supplement our own assessment during the Summer term.

READING AMBASSADOR

My name is Tommy and I have been chosen to be a Reading Ambassador. I wanted to be this role as I love reading so I am really proud. I like books that are funny so one of my favourite authors is Roald Dahl. I recommend George's Marvellous Medicine to people who like books like that. I am currently reading the book Mr Stink by David Walliams and so far it's one of the best books that I have read. It's about a homeless man who has a dog and he smells which is why they call him Mr Stink. It's such a funny book with great language to draw the reader in!

MEET THE GOVERNORS

Hi, my name is Angela Cope and I am your new parent governor at St Anne's. My family and I live in the village, having moved here 2 years ago, and we love it. I have a son in year 4 and as both a parent and a resident of Brown Edge, the success of St Anne's is really important to me. I am therefore really excited to have been given the opportunity to become parent governor and to represent you, the parent body, as best I can. St Anne's is a very special school and I really hope that I can play my part in seeing it flourish and grow even further during my time in post.

ST ANNE'S DANCE-OFF

On Friday 14th February, children from all year groups took centre stage, as part of our annual Dance -off event. The occasion has been designed to promote dance as part of the school curriculum. The performance had the desired effect with all children participating and enjoying themselves. Notable performances were given points as part of our house team reward system. Well done to all.

ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR AWARENESS

Sara and Liam our local PCSO's came into school before half term to talk about Anti-Social Behaviour in the local area. They discussed with the children what it meant to be anti-social and the consequences of anti-social behaviour as well as how to avoid any problems. They kindly took questions from the children and addressed anything that concerned them.

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



Y5/6 OLIVER VISIT (ENDON HIGH SCHOOL)

On Tuesday 11th February, children from year five and six were treated to a drama production of Oliver. The performance was delivered by pupils from Endon High school, many of which previously attended St Anne's. Performances were good and our children were suitably impressed.

DATES

Wed 5th Mar 2025 - Y4 to Laches Wood Residential
Thur 6th Mar 2025 - World Book Day
Fri 7th Mar 2025 - Y4 return from Laches Wood
Fri 7th Mar 2025 - Y1 to Biddulph Grange Gardens
Sun 9th Mar 2025 - The 2nd Sunday
Thur 13th Mar 2025 - Y6 Computing Transition @ Endon High
Fri 14th Mar 2025 - Worship Council @ Beacon House of Prayer
Mon 17th Mar 2025 - ECO Week
Tue 18th Mar 2025 - Recorder Festival @ Victoria Hall
Tue 18th Mar 2025 - Y6 trip to Shrewsbury Prison
Thur 20th Mar 2025 - Y5 Stanley Head trip/activity
Fri 21st Mar 2025 - Red Nose Day Comic Relief
Wed 26th Mar 2025 - Y2 to Emma Bridgewater
Thur 27th Mar 2025 - Y5/Y6 Puberty Talk
Fri 28th Mar 2025 - Mothers Day Event
Mon 31st Mar 2025 - Easter Film Night
Tue 1st Apr 2025 - KS2 Introduction to Parliament
Wed 2nd Apr 2025 - Burslem Swimming Gala
Thur 3rd Apr 2025 - EY/Y6 Heights & Weights / EY Dental
Fri 4th Apr 2025 - London Trip
Mon 7th Apr 2025 - Y4 Class Worship in front of parents
Wed 9th Apr 2025 - Drama Club Production
Wed 9th Apr 2025 - Parents Evening
Thur 10th Apr 2025 - Y5 Tech Transition @ Endon High

Fri 11th Apr 2025 - Rock Steady Concert
Fri 11th Apr 2025 - Y6 leading Church Service at St. Anne's Church
Fri 11th Apr 2025 - School closes for Easter
Sun 13th Apr 2025 - Easter Trail @ The 2nd Sunday
Mon 28th Apr 2025 - School Opens
Fri 2nd May 2025 - Y5 First Swimming Lesson
Fri 2nd May 2025 - Y5/Y6 Tag Rugby
Mon 5th May 2025 - School Closed Bank Holiday
Fri 9th May 2025 - Y4 Tag Rugby Festival
w/c Mon 12th May 2025 - SAT's Week
Fri 16th May 2025 - Whole School Mental Health Walks
Mon 19th May 2025 - Y6 to Standon Bowers
Fri 23rd May 2025 - Y6 Return from Standon Bowers
Fri 23rd May 2025 - School Closes for half term
Mon 2nd Jun 2025 - School Closed Inset Day
Tue 3rd Jun 2025 - School Opens
Wed 4th Jun 2025 - Y5/Y6 Girls Cricket Festival
Thur 5th Jun 2025 - Y3 -Y6 Burslem Field Events @ Northwood
Mon 9th Jun 2025 - Entrust Music Concert
Tue 10th Jun 2025 - Y5/Y6 Cricket
Thur 12th Jun 2025 - Y5/Y6 Inspire—Lichfield Cathedral
Fri 13th Jun 2025 - EY to Imagine That
Mon 16th Jun 2025 - Y3 - K2M Concert Symphony Hall Birmingham
Mon 16th Jun 2025 - Inclusion Football
Tue 17th Jun 2025 - School Photos

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