



# St Mary and St Peter's Church School News



Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2025

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## Head of School Update...

Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we are already in the second part of Autumn Term! Both Hogwarts and Gruffalo class have really flourished and grown in confidence as learners over the last 9 weeks. Thank you for all your support throughout last term!

We finished the term with a wonderful harvest celebration in the church, our first breakfast and read session, an exciting trip to Glastonbury Abbey and our first stay and play session. It has been so lovely to see so many of you at these different events and look forward to seeing you for our next stay and play and breakfast and number morning.

We have a very busy term ahead with the Christmas build up - the Christmas songs are being practised already! Please see the dates below with all the different events planned in. We will keep updating you throughout the term with additional information and if there are any changes.

Best wishes,

Kirsey Luffman  
Head of School



## Our Picture Gallery



**Our School  
attendance  
target is  
95%**

**We are at**

**92.78 %**

**Hogwarts  
Class current  
attendance**

**92.86 %**

**+ 0.56 %**

**Gruffalo Class  
current  
attendance**

**92.65 %**

**- 1.95 %**



Congratulations  
to this week's  
winners!

### Headteacher's Award

Charlotte Andre Isla

Willow Zara

### Friday's Child

Dakota Nadine

## Attendance Superstars!

Bella	Isla
Dakota	Charlotte
Noah	Tommy
Logan A	Andre
Deacon	Kyle
Kimmy	Logan L

Scarlett	Esme	Zara
Jack	Jared	Nadine
Joseph	Kayne	Yennifer
Hettie	Emilia	Willow

### Head of school drop-in sessions

every Friday

2.30pm - 2.45pm

Mrs Luffman is available for any parent to drop in to see her without the need for an appointment. Please do feel free to use this session to answer any queries you may have.

### Friday Family Assemblies

Every Friday at 2.45pm

### Class News

#### Gruffalo Class

Gruffalo class have started their new book Izzy Peck, Architect and have been so excited to find out all about architects! They have been busy building towers out of all kinds of resources and finding out about different buildings around the world. We also focused on Guy Fawkes and Bonfire night this week, the children completed some beautiful fireworks pictures as well as some diary writing and some sequencing timeline work.

#### Hogwarts Class

Hogwarts Class have had a very busy first week back! We have really enjoyed our new English text and we have created some exceptional pieces of writing because of how much we are enjoying it. In Science, we discovered what a sound source is and created a class post-it map of all the things we could think of that make an audible sound. We have enjoyed our hands-on approach to Maths learning this week by making square and cube numbers and arrays to show our understanding of multiplication.

### Anti-Bullying Week

Next week is Anti-bullying week where we will be continuing to explore and discuss what bullying is, how we can stop bullying and strategies to support. The theme this year is Power For Good focusing on importance of using power responsibly. We will be exploring this theme throughout the week and look forward to sharing this with you.

*Don't forget Odd Socks Day on Monday!*

### Children in Need Day

On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November, we will be raising money for Children in Need. We are challenging children to wear anything yellow or spotty! Children can wear their own clothes and bring in £1 donation towards the charity.

## Diary Dates:

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November – Anti-bullying week & Odd Socks Day

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November – Singing in the Square 3.30pm Ilminster

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November – Christmas Bingo! Eyes down 7pm Village Hall

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November – Year 6 Bikeability

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November – Breakfast and Number 8.30 - 9.15am

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Stay and Play 9.30 – 11am

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December – Gruffalo Class trip, details to follow

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas performance (2pm and 6pm)

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Last day of term.

The school calendar for 2025 / 2026 can be found under the Parents Tab, listed as Term Dates. Go to: [www.stmaryandstpeters.co.uk](http://www.stmaryandstpeters.co.uk)



**ODD SOCKS**  
**DAY**  
**MONDAY 10<sup>TH</sup>**  
**NOVEMBER**



JOIN US IN CELEBRATING HOW UNIQUE AND INDIVIDUAL WE ALL ARE BY WEARING ODD SOCKS AS PART OF ANTI-BULLYING WEEK!

# CHRISTMAS

## Bingo Night

Get ready for a festive and fun-filled Christmas Bingo Night! Gather your friends and family for an evening of laughter, joy,

**GREAT PRIZES AND FUN FOR ALL**

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November**  
**Ilton Village Hall**

Doors Open 6.30pm Eyes down 7pm  
All money raised will go towards the children of St Mary and St Peter's Church School, Ilton

St Mary and St Peter's Church School

# STAY AND PLAY

9.30 - 11AM

Tuesday 14th October  
Monday 3rd November  
Friday 5th December

Join us for singing, crafts and play!

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