



St Alban's CE Primary School

Weekly newsletter | 11 September 2026

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From the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

It has been lovely to meet you and your children and to say hello at the school gate each day. Sarah is our Assistant Headteacher and SENCO, and her working days at school are Monday, Tuesday and Friday.

The children have returned looking smart in their uniforms and ready to learn. I hope you enjoyed meeting your child's class teacher at this week's Meet the Teacher meetings. Please see the key dates accompanying this newsletter for more information. I hope you have a good weekend!

Rebecca

Headteacher

Learning and play this week

A few moments from our first days back in school.



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Coming up next week

- Year 5 and 6 Design Technology workshops with ShiftEd begin on Monday 14 September.
- Year 3 and 4 visit Google Headquarters on Friday 18 September.

Attendance and punctuality



Congratulations to Year 5/6 for 95% attendance and Year 5/6 for excellent punctuality.

Awards and celebrations

Golden Book



Special Mention



Year group	Golden Book	Special Mention
Reception	<i>Alifa for amazing start to Reception.</i>	<i>Giovanna for being kind to her friends.</i>
Year 1	<i>Gabrial for always trying his best.</i>	<i>Husnia doesn't leave anyone out during play.</i>
Year 2	<i>Amayah for always doing the right thing on the carpet and on the table.</i>	<i>Tahmid for always making sure his friends are ok.</i>
Year 3	<i>Jade for working hard in Maths.</i>	<i>Lillie-Rose for including others when playing.</i>
Year 4	<i>Rosanna for having a positive attitude towards learning.</i>	<i>Aayah for being a kind and considerate friend to all.</i>
Year 5	<i>Ishrat for demonstrating fantastic knowledge in science.</i>	<i>Jake for being a patient friend.</i>
Year 6	<i>Meher for excellent participation during our grammar lesson.</i>	<i>John for offering his seat to another person.</i>

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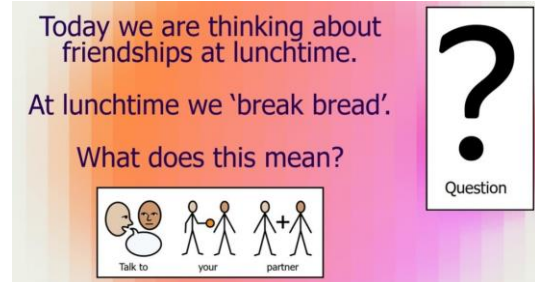
Our value this half term is Friendship

In Collective Worship we have been thinking about what friendship means at lunchtime. At lunchtime we 'break bread' together. What does this mean for the way we speak, play and care for one another?

Today we are thinking about friendships at lunchtime.

At lunchtime we 'break bread'.

What does this mean?



Talk to your partner

Useful reminders

Uniform

Please remember: black school shoes only.



Jewellery

Stud earrings only - no hoops or dangling earrings. No bracelets or necklaces, please.



Clubs and community

After-school clubs: Our after-school clubs are now just £20 per term, per club. Please complete the accompanying form.

Youth Club: Children in Years 5 and 6 are warmly invited to St Alban's Centre every Friday from 3.30 to 5.15 pm. The club offers a safe place to meet friends and enjoy a range of activities. There is no charge.

JAM club: JAM (Jesus And Me) club meets every Sunday from 10.45 am to 12.15 pm in the church. Do come along to this family-friendly worship.

Questions or concerns

We are always happy to answer questions about school life, no matter how small. Please telephone the school office or arrange an appointment with the class teacher or a member of the leadership team. If you are worried about something, please speak to us straight away. We also love to hear your good news!

KEY DATES FOR PARENTS AUTUMN TERM FIRST HALF

Our Christian Value this half term is...
Friendship

Date	Event
2.09.26/3.09.26	Inset Days
4.09.26	Y1-6 return to school for Autumn term
7.09.26	EYFS staggered start
7.09.26	Year 1/2 Meet the Teacher meeting 3:45 - 4:00 pm in classroom
9.09.26	Year 3/4 Meet the Teacher meeting 3:45 - 4:00 pm in classroom
10.09.26	Year 5/ Year 6 Meet the Teacher meeting 3:45 - 4:00 pm in classroom.
10.09.26	EYFS 'How to use Tapestry' parent meeting 3:30 in classroom.
11.09.26	School Council Elections
14.09.26	Year 5&6 workshops with <u>ShiftEd</u> begin
18.09.26	Secondary School Transfer meeting for Year 5 and 6 parents 9:00 am in hall
18.09.26	Pupil Photos TBC
18.09.26	Year 3/4 Trip to Google Headquarters
25.09.26	School Priorities Meeting for parents 9:00 am
25.09.26	Year 5/6 Collective Worship 10:30am in hall
28.09.26	Art Week begins
29.09.26	Harvest Service in St Alban's Church 10:00 am
05.10.26	Flu vaccination 1:00pm - 2:30pm
02.10.26	Art Gallery and MacMillan Coffee Afternoon 3:30 pm in hall.
09.10.26	Year 3/4 Collective Worship 10:30am in hall
14.10.26	Governor Visit Day 8:45am
16.10.26	Year 1/2 Collective Worship 10:30am in hall
23.10.26	KS2 Science Trip to Holborn Library
23.10.26	EYFS Collective Worship 10:30am in hall
10.11.26	On-Line Safety session for parents 9.00am in the hall



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After School Club Provision 2026

Starting Monday 7th September 2026, we will be resuming our after-school club Provision (ASC). Clubs will run from 3:30 – 4:30 pm, Monday – Thursday. Children will be collected from the Bourne Estate entrance.

Please see below information on the clubs being run for Autumn term 2026. (Please note the last day for clubs for Autumn term Thursday 17th December 2026 – these may differ slightly for external agencies ie Tennis and Forest School but an alternative club will still be available on site).

Day of the Week	KS1 (including Year R)	KS2
Monday	Cooking Club <u>Ruchia</u>	Multi sports
Tuesday	Dance and Games <u>Hesni</u>	Mine Craft/Lego
Wednesday	Forest School with Nina and Yvonne	
Thursday	Arts and Crafts with Samina	Cooking Club Tolu

Charges:

Clubs will be charged termly. **The new rate is £20 per term per club.**

In emergency situations, we will be able to accommodate children into our ASC on the Day with payment to be through the school office at a one-off price £2.50.

Conditions:

- Clubs operate on a first come, first serve basis/
- Priority will be given to working parents
- If you have any outstanding debt, we will not accept any new sign up for clubs until this is cleared.

- Clubs should be paid termly in full via the office by Friday 10th September 2026 via the parent pay app.
- Payment will need to be paid for all sessions; no refunds for absences, holidays etc.

Please hand in/email completed form to Hanan in the office or via email at admin@stalbans.camden.sch.uk

Child's name: _____ Class: _____

My child will be collected by: _____ or

Permission to walk home alone: Yes ____ No ____ (Year 5 and 6)

Parent number: _____

Emergency number: _____

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Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Best wishes

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