



St Andrew's C.E. Primary School Over Hulton



Spring Term 2

30th January 2025

Growing in Faith, Hope and Love 1 Corinthians 13:13

Editors
Evie, Reyah and Maya

Rec	22/1/25	✓	30/4/25
Yr1	15/1/25	✓	2/5/25
Yr2	29/1/25	✓	21/5/25
Yr3	27/11/24	✓	26/3/25
Yr4	29/11/24	✓	21/3/25*
Yr5	13/11/24	✓	12/3/25
Yr6	6/11/24	✓	Leaver's Service w.b. 14/7/25



* please note the new date. Thank you



If you wish to meet with Mrs Zoe Horden-Ashton, our new SENDCo, she is available each Thursday. Please contact to arrange a mutually convenient time via SEND@standrewsoh.bolton.sch.uk.

	Before School 8:00am— 8:45am	After School 3:30pm—4:20/30pm
Monday	Y5/6 Football	Dance Athletics & Running
Tuesday	Apparatus	Shining Stars; Outdoor & Adventurous
Wednesday	Girls Football	Y2/3/4 Football; Outdoor & Adventurous; Ju Jitsu
Thursday	Over the Net	
Friday	Target Skills	

 ★ We would like to let our parents know that Mrs ★
 ★ Duncan has made the decision to retire after over 23 ★
 ★ years dedicated service to the St Andrew's family . ★
 ★ She will finish at Spring Half Term and will be sorely ★
 ★ missed around the school by pupils and adults alike. ★
 ★ We would like to wish her a very long, happy and ★
 ★ healthy retirement. ★
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PE kit—Reminder

- Plain white Polo shirt not T-shirt (with school cardigan or jumper over it) - not a tracksuit top please
- Plain, unbranded, black tracksuit bottoms or black leggings .
- Trainers
- Plain black shorts (can be worn or kept in a PE bag in school to change in to for indoor PE) - or KNEE LENGTH cycle shorts please
- Black plimsolls (kept in a PE bag in school to change in to for indoor PE)

Also a reminder that NO EARRINGS are permitted in school.

Thank you for your continued support.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

You could save over £430 a year, check if you are entitled to free school meals.

If you don't receive housing benefit or council tax support, you need to apply for free school meals.

Please use the **link below** on the electronic copy of this newsletter that we have emailed out to parents **or** on the copy that is saved on the school website via the Parent Information > School Newsletters tab.

Apply for free school meals:

[Free school meals and help with school uniform – Bolton Council](#)

Monday 3rd February
-Yr 2 to Yr 6 **Comedy Workshops**

Wednesday 5th February
-**Whole School Assembly**
delivered by Bolton NHS Mental Health In Schools Team

Thursday 6th February
-Reception and Year 1 **Apparatus Workshops**
R & Y1 should come to school in their PE kit.

Friday 7th February
-'Sports with a difference' workshops for all children
All children should come to school in their PE kit.
-Wear a Scarf Day

Our school follows the CORAM SCARF Scheme of Work for Relationships and Health Education, helping us deliver values that promote health and wellbeing. Wearing a scarf to school will be a symbol of support for children's wellbeing.



DIARY DATES Spring Term 2025 and beyond

We will also endeavour to keep you up to date at www.standrewsbolton.co.uk and through our Facebook page

W.b. 3rd February 2025

Wednesday 5th February 2025

Thursday 6th February 2025

Friday 7th February 2025

Thursday 13th February 2025

Friday 14th February 2025

Monday 24th February 2025

Friday 28/2 to Sunday 2/3 2025

Tuesday 4th March 2025

Friday 7th March 2025

Wednesday 12th March 2025

Thursday 13th March 2025

Tuesday 18th March 2025

Friday 21st March 2025

Tuesday 25th March 2025

Wednesday 26th March 2025

Thursday 27th March 2025

W.b. 31st March 2025

Monday 31st March 2025

Tuesday 1st April 2025

Wednesday 2nd April 2025

Thursday 3rd April 2025

Friday 4th April 2025

Tuesday 22nd April 2025

W.B. 12th May 2025

Monday : - English grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 1 and Paper 2

Tuesday : - English Reading

Wednesday : - Maths Paper 1 and Paper 2

Thursday : - Maths Paper 3

Mental Health Week

Comedy Workshops for Year 2 to Year 6

MHST wellbeing assembly

Rec/Yr 1—Apparatus Day

Wear a Scarf Day

Sports with a Difference Day

KS1 Valentines Disco 3:30-4:30pm; KS2 Valentines Disco 5:30-7pm

School closes for half term break at 3:30pm

School re-opens

Year 6 Residential to Robinwood

Year 5 Trip to Catalyst

World Book Day celebration

Year 5 Parents Assembly

Y4/5/6 Young Shakespeare Company—Hamlet

Schools Big Clean Project—assembly in school

Year 4 Parents Assembly

Easter Egg Donation Day for PTFA Easter Bingo

Year 3 Parents Assembly

PTFA Easter Egg Bingo

Superkind Week

Parental Consultations 4-7pm

KS2 Easter Experience workshops at church

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Easter Service at Church at 9:15am

KS2 Easter Experience workshops at church

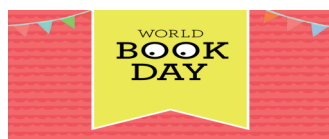
Year 1 trip to Smithills Farm

School closes for Easter Break at 1:30pm

School re-opens for Summer Term

Y6 SATs

Our latest school holiday pattern for the 2024—2025 academic year can be found in the Parent Information section of our website. The 2025-2026 holiday pattern is also available .



FRIDAY 7TH MARCH

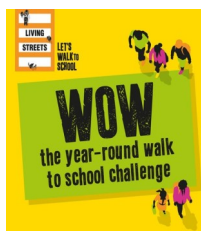
Children can come to school dressed as a fictional book character and even bring with them their favourite book or story. We look forward to finding out about what makes their book or story so special as part of the day's celebration of reading.



Please access our website at www.standrewsbolton.co.uk or visit our Facebook page.



Look for St Andrews OH Primary School



Despite the winter weather, WOW continues as a pupil-led initiative where children self-report how they get to school every day using an interactive **WOW Travel Tracker**. If they travel sustainably (walk/wheel, cycle or scoot) once a week for a month, they get rewarded with a badge (see above).

It's that easy!

With the aim of living a healthier lifestyle, both physically and emotionally, as well as considering the benefits to our environment, it is something that we are encouraging but understand that some families live too far for this to be sensibly possible. So for these families, we suggest a Park and Stride system where the St Andrew's Church or could be used or even some of the residential streets that are close to school—with the usual consideration paid to the residents who live there.