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Autumn Term, 28th November 2025

A note from Mrs Gordon:

As we enter the season of Advent, we have a number of wonderful assemblies and school events to share with parents and carers.

A few polite reminders for assemblies:

Please try to arrive on time as the children can get distracted when they see their parents arrive late!

All mobile phones to be switched off or on silent during the performances please - photo opportunities will be available at the end, however these must not be shared on social media platforms.

Young children are welcome to attend, however we ask that if they becomes upset, you take them outside of the hall to calm, please.

Our first Advent assembly is for year 3 parents and carers, 9:15am on Monday morning. We hope you can join us!

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Gordon



Upcoming events:

3/12 - 12/12 - Book Fair

1/12 - Y3 Advent Assembly

4/12 - Whole school book breakfast

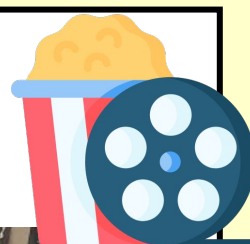
8/12 - Y4 Advent Assembly



Clubs this half term:

Monday	Chess Club Y5&6 Running Club - KS2
Tuesday	Fun Friends Club Rec Happiness Heroes KS2
Wednesday	Colouring Club Y1 & Y2 Running Club Y6 Girls Football Y5 Creative Writing Clubs Y6 Christmas Book Club Y3 Film Club Y5 Arts and Crafts Club Y2
Thursday	Minnie Vinnies Y5/6 Choir 4/5/6
Friday	LFC Games Y4

Year 5 Film Club



In year 5 film club we have watched a new Christmas movie and then given it a 4 star review. Onto the next Christmas movie ... I wonder what our critics will make of this one. 🍿🎬🌟🌟🌟🌟

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Thursday 4th December

St Michael's Book Breakfast



Come to school early with your child at 8:15am to share a story together and eat a delicious breakfast!



We will also be holding our grand opening of the **St Michael's Food Bank** during this event. Please come along to find out more!

When? Thursday 4th December

Where? Junior Hall (please come through the office)

What time? 8:15am - 8:40am

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Tuesday 2nd December

Hot chocolate & cake sale

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20p



Cakes
20p



All money raised will be donated to the City of Sanctuary. As a school of sanctuary we are all committed to creating a culture of welcome, understanding and belonging for those forced to flee.

theBigGive will double all donations!

ATTENDANCE INITIATIVE

As part of St Michael's Attendance initiative, all pupils who achieve 100% attendance each week will win a raffle ticket to post in our school attendance post box every Friday commencing:

Monday 24th November ~ Friday 19th December

At the end of the term pupils can win some fantastic prizes including:



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Weekly Attendance:

R Shining Stars	88.6%
R Superstars	84.4
Y1 Quick Thinkers	94.3
Y1 Record Breakers	92.7
Y2 Golden Wonder	98.6
Y2 World Beaters	97.2

Y3 Heroes	93
Y3 Olympians	94.8
Y4 Hotshots	89.3
Y4 Inspirations	98
Y5 High Achievers	97.9
Y5 High Flyers	99.3
Y6 Whizz Kids	92.3
Y6 Champions	90.7

Attendance Ladder



Safeguarding:



Mrs Birch

Safeguarding Lead



Miss Sillitoe

Safeguarding Team
Member



Mrs Gordon

Headteacher
Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead



Jeanette Riley

Safeguarding
Governor



Sarah Reilly

Co- Designated
Safeguarding Lead

If you have any concerns or questions, please speak to a member of the team

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Save the date:

Autumn term 2 dates – 2025/2026

Date	Activity/Event	Time and Location
Tuesday 4 th November	Flu vaccinations	During school day
Thursday 20 th November	Parents' Evening	3:30pm – 6:30pm
Monday 1 st December until Monday 8 th December	Book Fair	3:30pm – 3:50pm in Junior Hall – card payments only
Monday 1 st December	Year 3 Advent One Assembly	9:15am in Junior hall
Thursday 4 th December	Whole-school Book Breakfast	8:15am in Junior hall
Monday 8 th December	Year 4 Advent Two Assembly	9:15am in Junior hall
	KS1 and Reception disco	After school until 4:30pm in Infant hall
Tuesday 9 th December	KS2 disco	After school until 4:30pm in Junior Hall
Wednesday 10 th December	Year 1 & 2 Nativity	9:15am in Junior hall
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Dinner Day EYFS & KS1 Father Christmas visit	During school day
Friday 12 th December	Reception Nativity	9:15am in Infant hall
Monday 15 th December	Year 5 Advent Three Assembly	9:15am in Junior hall
	KS2 Christmas Craft workshop	2:15pm in Infant hall
Tuesday 16 th December	Whole-school Pantomime visit No afternoon nursery on this day	1:15pm at Echo Arena, returning to school around 4:15pm (time tbc)
Wednesday 17 th December	KS1 and Reception Christmas Craft Workshop	2:15pm in Infant hall
Thursday 18 th December	Year 6 Advent 4 and Nativity	9:15am in Junior hall
Friday 19 th December	Finish for Christmas Holidays	1:30pm

Please note the change in date for the Pantomime. This will now be on the afternoon of **Tuesday 16th December**.

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POPPY APPEAL



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You collected

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Your support and assistance is greatly
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Term Dates 2025-2026

Autumn Term 2025 Term: Wednesday 3rd September–Friday 19th December

- **Pupils: Autumn Term 1** – Wednesday 3rd September to Wednesday 22nd October
 - **Half term: Thursday 23rd October to Friday 31st October**
 - **Pupils: Autumn Term 2** – Monday 3rd November to Friday 19th December
- Terms ends: Friday 19th December 2025

Spring Term 2026 Term: Monday 5th January – Wednesday 1st April

- **Pupils: Spring Term 1** – Monday 5th January to Friday 13th
 - **February Half term: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February**
 - **Pupils: Spring Term 2** – Monday 23rd February to Wednesday 1st April
- Term ends: Wednesday 1st April 2026

Summer Term 2026 Term: Monday 13th April to Tuesday 21st July

- **Pupils: Summer Term 1** – Monday 13th April to Friday 22nd
 - **May Half term: Monday 25th May to Friday 5th June**
 - **Pupils: Summer Term 2** – Monday 8th June to Tuesday 21st July
- Term Ends: Tuesday 21st July