



ALL SAINTS C.E. (V.C.) FIRST SCHOOL & BUSY BEES PRE-SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mr D. Elliott-Hancock

Caring, Succeeding, Flourishing, whilst carrying our values in our HEARTS

I can do all things through Christ because he gives me strength. Philippians 4:13

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Dear Parents,

As we come to the end of our first half term of the year, I wanted to take a moment to express my heartfelt thanks for the incredible support you've shown since I began my journey as Headteacher. It has been a busy and exciting few weeks, and your encouragement, involvement, and kindness have made a real difference.

I would also like to extend my deepest gratitude to our wonderful staff team. Their dedication, hard work, and unwavering commitment to our children and school community have been truly inspiring. I feel incredibly fortunate to work alongside such passionate and talented individuals who go above and beyond every day.

This half term has certainly been full! From our Meet the Teacher presentations and Parents' Evening, to our first SEN Coffee Morning, a School Disco and today's Autumn Festival, we've packed in a lot of memorable moments. These events have helped strengthen our school community—and we're so grateful for your participation and support throughout.

We've also been thrilled with the positive response to our implementation of ClassDojo. It's been wonderful to see families engaging with classroom life more closely, and we hope you're enjoying the increased insight into your child's learning and achievements.

A huge thank you as well for the generous donations we've received via our Amazon Wishlist, and to the PTFA for their incredible contribution towards many of the items we've been able to purchase. Your generosity has a direct impact on the experiences we can offer our children, and we are truly grateful. The wishlist is regularly updated, should you wish to support us further.

After such a busy and productive half term, I'm sure both children and staff are ready for a well-earned break. The next half term promises to be just as exciting as we head into the festive season, with lots of fun activities and celebrations to look forward to.

I hope you all have a lovely, restful break—and that the weather isn't too wet! I look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 3rd November.

Warmest regards,

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