



St Botolph's Academy News

Autumn 1 Week 4



In Gods hands we love, learn and grow.

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A Note from Mrs Adams,

Well done to St. Andrew saintly team for achieving the most points this week. It was lovely to catch up with so many parents and carers at the coffee morning. Thank you for your donations towards Macmillan, the total raised will be announced next week.

In order to continue to improve communication with our parents and carers, we are re-launching the parent voice forum. The first meeting will take place on 6th October at 3.15pm in the hall. This meeting will introduce the aims, direction and how future meetings will run. There will be crèche facilities for the children whilst adults are in the meeting. I do hope you will come along. Have a lovely weekend.

Here to help

Principal—Mrs D Adams

Vice Principal—Mrs L Clipsham

Assistant Principal—Mrs E Fisher

EYFS Leader—Mrs A Howarth

Academy Business Manager—Miss C Yates

Administration/Finance Team—Mrs S Sims and Mrs E Harris

Safeguarding Lead— Mrs D Adams and Mrs L Clipsham

IEB lead— Mr J Hanson



Coats

The winter weather is fast approaching. As an Academy, we endeavor to take children outside for playtime every day and in different weather conditions (ensuring the children are safe).

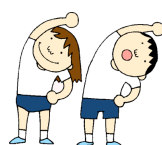
Could we please ask that children bring a suitable coat (waterproof and with a hood) every day to school. Could we also ask for names to be placed on coats and uniform to eliminate property being lost.

Thank you

Eden Camp

Year 5 and 6 children are going on their educational visit on Wednesday 5th October. We hope they learn lots about World War II. Please ensure children wear school uniform, have packed lunches (with a coat) and bring a suitable jacket.

Thank you



PE kits

Could we please ask that all children bring a PE kit with them into school on Mondays and this stays in school till Fridays. Children who do not have a PE kit may miss out on lessons. All earrings must be removed before PE lessons, as tape will no longer be used to cover them.

Thank you


Academy Councilors

Last week each class elected an Academy councilor to represent their class. Well done to the following children:

Gorillas	Mayzie O
Giraffes	Archie K
Turtles	Roxanne W
Bears	Yvie W
Penguins	Raea B
Zebras	Jack W
Hippos	Tegan S
Wolves	Victoria L
Golden Eagles	Dezal S

Attendance



Lates	Whole School	Class	
Once: 16	School Target: 96%	Golden Eagles	97.00
More than once: 2		Wolves	98.94
		Hippos	97.35
Total lates: 18	Academy Weekly Attendance: 95.60%	Zebbras	99.23
		Penguins	98.22
		Bears	98.02
		Turtles	96.67
		Giraffes	91.70
		Gorillas	92.47
		Lions	94.21
		Tigers	86.87

Parents Calendar

	Event	Time	Location
Monday 3rd October	KS1 Weekly PE with De Lacy	1.30—3.00pm	Hall
Tuesday 4th October	LFS weekly Functional Fitness	9.00—9.30am/1.30—2pm	Nursery
	UFS weekly Functional Fitness lesson	9.30—11.30am	Bungalow
	Swimming Year 4	Afternoon	Knottingley Sport Centre
Wednesday 5th October	LKS2 Weekly Street Dance lessons	1.20—2.50pm	Hall
Thursday 6th October	Harvest Festival Service in school.	9.15am	Hall
	KS2 cross country trials	11.00—12pm	Field
	Golden Eagles and Hippos Rugby	1.20—2.50pm	Outside
	Parent forum re-launch	3.15—4.30pm	Hall
Friday 7th October	Harvest songs EYFS	11.00am	Hall
	Class Wolves show case	2.45pm	Hall
	(Wolves parents welcome)		



Future dates for your diary



Wednesday 5th October—UKS2 Eden Camp Educational Visit

Thursday 6th October—Harvest Festival service in school **(Y1-6) Parents invited**

Thursday 6th October—KS2 cross country trials

Thursday 6th October—Parent Forum re-launch meeting. **(New date)**

Friday 7th October— **EYFS** Harvest songs 11.00am in school **Parents invited**

IEB drop- in session 3.15pm

Wednesday 12th October—IEB drop- in session 8.30am

Thursday 13th October—Open Morning to parents 9—9.30am.

[Here to help](#)

Please check the school Website and Parent Pay for further updates and upcoming events.

All staff at St Botolph's would like to thank all parents and pupils for their continued support and wish everyone an enjoyable weekend.

OFSTED Academy Action Plan

The action plan summary relating to Ofsted is now available to view on our Academy website. If you have any views or comments, please respond on the slip provided below and return to Mrs Adams via the Academy office. If you prefer, you can email a reply through the 'contact us' section of the website. If you would like a copy of the action plan in more detail, please ask at the Academy office.

Comment slip