

Friday 14th March 2025



Newsletter

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Dear Pupils, Parents, Carers and Friends,

Lenten Appeal

Thank you for your donations for our non-uniform day for our Lenten Appeal for CAFOD. We have raised over £170 so far. Our next event is the Big Lent Walk. Details coming soon!



St Patrick's Day

Monday is the feast day of St Patrick - the patron saint of Ireland, and of Nigeria. Pupils are invited to celebrate by wearing some green with their uniform as we learn more about this great saint.



Year 5 IntoUniversity Focus Day - Monday 17th March

Year 5 have a day focused on Oceanography led by IntoUniversity on Monday. The day helps the children to learn good independent study skills, and think about their future aspirations. Have a great day, Year 5!



After School Clubs

- Breakfast Club: 7.45am - 8.45am £2 including breakfast
- Staylate: 3 - 5.30pm £5 including a snack



After School Clubs are from 3-4pm, cost £2 per session (unless indicated otherwise) and must be booked and paid for in advance (before 12pm on the day please).

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
- Activities - Cookery - Football (Y5/6)	- Activities - Multi-sports (Y1/2) - Martial Arts - Netball	- Activities - Computers - Girls' football (KS2) - Tennis (Y2+) - Eritrean Club 4.15pm AC Academy (finishes at 5.30pm)	- Activities - Football/Multi-sports (Y3/4) - Musical Theatre - Mini Vinnies	- Activities - Gymnastics/acro dance - Hockey



Is your child 3 by 31st August? Apply for Nursery for September!

We are accepting applications for our Nursery Class for September 2025. Children must be three by August 31st 2025, and we have part-time and full-time places available in our teacher-led provision, including government 30 hour funded places for eligible families. Application packs are available from the School Office, and the closing date is 28th March 2025.



Our value of the month for March is Charity.



Looking forward...

Monday 17th March	Year 5 IntoUniversity Focus Day <i>St Patrick's Day - Wear some green with your uniform to celebrate!</i>
Wednesday 19th March	Year 5/6 group representing the school at a Hado competition.
Monday 24th March	9.15am EYFS/KSI Mass - School Hall <i>Parents welcome to join us</i> 6pm FHC Programme Meeting for Parents and Children - School Hall
Thursday 27th March	KSI Mousike Ensemble - a morning of music
Friday 11th April	Last day of term



Have a wonderful weekend!

Pauline MacDonald
Head Teacher



Y3 visited Abbey Fields looking for signs of Spring!

Y5 School Tasking



Another busy week at SMSB!



Year 5 Mathematicians



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