



# The King's C of E Primary Academy

# 2025

## SEPTEMBER 15

Good morning everyone,

We are convinced that reading is the single most important skill that unlocks all experiences and learning. We would love to work with you to support your child more by supporting their reading experiences at home.



You might like to consider trying the following ideas

1. Creating a soft reading nook where you can curl up together to enjoy a book together
2. Set times when the whole family puts time aside to read—just 15 minutes a day when everyone enjoys a book of their own
3. Model with your child how reading is not just for pleasure, but for purpose, too. If you are looking up a recipe, how to fix something, or even just something that you are curious about, share that information with your child. The next time that they have a question, help them look up how to find the answer in a book or online.

For more ideas about how to support your child with their reading, you might like to visit [How to support your child's reading at home - BBC Bitesize](#) .

Have a look at some great reads to share...

[Great Books Guide 2024-25 | BookTrust](#)



### Our Vision

Growing confident and aspirational people who believe in themselves and contribute positively to their community and the wider world.

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Here to help...

You will always be able to find a member of our Senior Leadership Team on the gates in a morning or at the end of the day if you have any questions or would like to tell us something. We are always happy to help!

Kindness  
Friendship  
Faith



## What to do if your child has school anxiety

This can happen at any age, and it can be more common among children with additional or special educational needs (SEN). There can be many reasons why your child might experience school anxiety, but dealing with it can be stressful for you as a parent, as well as your child. While this is relatively uncommon, we know that when your child struggles to come into school, it affects the well-being of everyone in the family. We are always here to listen and help. Please talk to Mrs Baker or myself, if your child finds the morning routine stressful. You may also find reassuring support here...

[School anxiety and refusal: How parents can help their child get through tough times - BBC Parents' Toolkit - BBC Bitesize](#)

## Flu vaccination - Monday 22nd September

Flu vaccinations will take place in school, please fill out the consent form that has been sent via ParentMail, this needs to be filled out even if you wish to decline.



**The Friends of The King's** really need some more volunteers, even if it's just for half an hour a month to help open The King's Community Hub, or to come to a meeting with ideas about how we can raise funds. If you'd like to find out more, please do speak to Sarah in the office.

The King's Community Hub will not be open this week as we do not have volunteers to open it, it will re-open on Thursday 25th September.

## Attendance winners

We look forward to rewarding a Love2Shop voucher each week to a child whose name is drawn at random. To be entered into this weekly prize draw, your child has to attend school on time, every day.

We also reward classes with 98% or above with an extra break time!



THIS SCHOOL IS  
**NUT FREE**



Wishing a Happy Birthday  
to

**Joshua, Eveline, Antonia,  
Tommy, Cruz and Melissa.**

We hope you have a very special birthday and a wonderful year ahead!

## Coming up...

- 24th Sept—B&Q Pond clearing Day
- 29th Sept— 4Front Theatre in school
- 8th/9th Oct—Parents Evenings
- 13th Oct 10am Harvest at Christ Church
- 14th Oct—Choir at Southwell Minster
- Autumn Half-Term 18th Oct —3rd Nov
- Remembrance Service—11th Nov
- Nativity (Attenborough and Key Stage 1) - 16th and 17th December
- School Christmas Service and Christmas Dinner 18th December
- Christmas Party Day and Christmas Jumper Day 19th December
- Christmas Holiday 20th Dec—5th January
- Spring Half-Term 14th Feb—22 Feb
- Easter 28th March—12th April
- Summer Half-Term 23rd May—31st May
- Remaining INSETs (school closed to pupils) June 12th and July 27th
- Last Day of School 24th July

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