



St Philip's C of E Primary School

5th December 2025

We are so excited to see you next week!
Keep looking at your date sheet to know what's going on.

Class	Performance
Year 1 9.15	Tuesday 9 th December
Year 4 2.30	Wednesday 10 th December
Rec/Y6 9.15	Thursday 11 th December
Year 2 9.15	Friday 12 th December
Year 5 2.30	
Year 3 9.15	

Friday 12th December

Reception children only can come to school in their pyjamas for their Polar Express Event. Please no slippers, children need coats and school shoes as they will be in and out as usual.

Tuesday 16th December

Parents are invited into the school hall to share the children's work in our Art Gallery.

Wednesday 17th December

Christmas Dinner Day

Christmas Fayre

Thursday 18th December

Talent Show

Friday 19th December

School Workers Trust Pantomime in the morning and end of term service in church. Parents welcome from around 1pm

Reverse Advent 2025

supporting the work of Compassion Acts

Gifts will be welcomed at any time over the 4 weeks but anything specifically given for Christmas needs to be given before 8th December if possible please. The items below are the items the Foodbank is current low on.

WEEK 1: Festive food for Christmas

WEEK 2: Tinned meat and tinned potatoes

WEEK 3: Tinned fruit/rice pudding/ custard

WEEK 4: UHT juice/cordial



in partnership



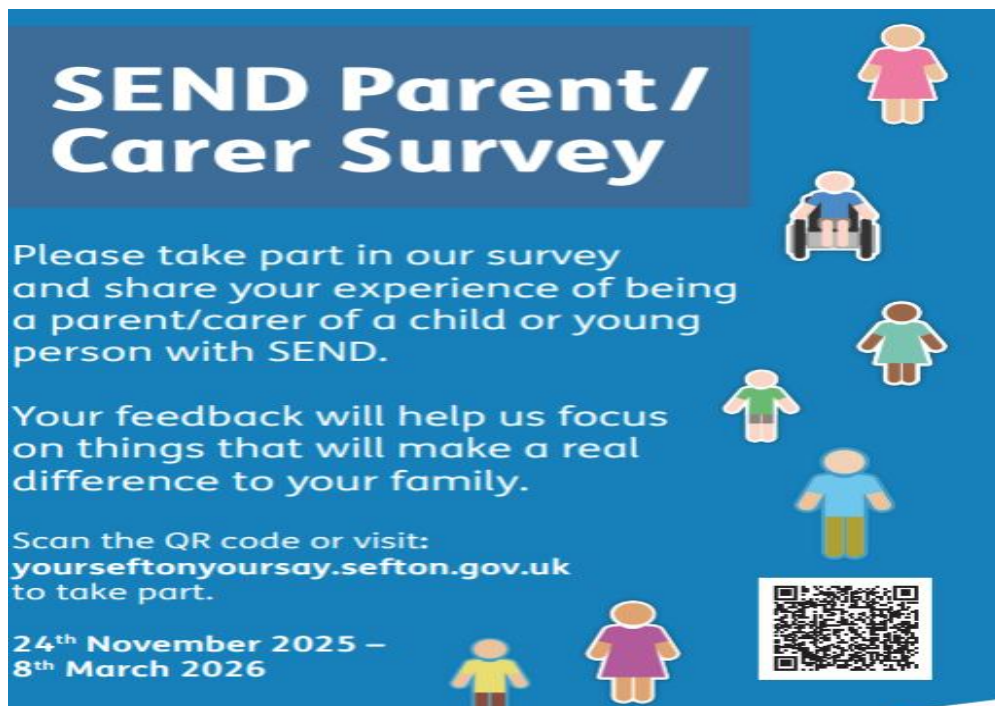
So far we are on festive food and tinned meat and tinned potatoes!

Please send your donations in at any point, there is a box under our beautiful Christmas tree.

Thank you to everyone who came to film night, we raised £471 for our school fund. The children had a great time and, as usual, enjoyed each other's company very much.

Year 6 History Ambassadors - gave a great presentation to Year 4 explaining how Roman soldiers and women lived. They encouraged history detective skills - to look closely at clues and think what they suggest.



A blue poster for a 'SEND Parent/Carer Survey'. The title is in large white letters. Below it, text asks parents to share their experience. It mentions that feedback will help focus on things that make a difference to families. It provides a QR code and a website: yourseftonyoursay.sefton.gov.uk. The dates are 24th November 2025 to 8th March 2026. There are several icons of people: a person in a wheelchair, a person with a cane, a person with a hearing aid, and a person with a speech bubble. There is also a QR code.

**SEND Parent/
Carer Survey**

Please take part in our survey and share your experience of being a parent/carers of a child or young person with SEND.

Your feedback will help us focus on things that will make a real difference to your family.

Scan the QR code or visit:
yourseftonyoursay.sefton.gov.uk
to take part.

**24th November 2025 –
8th March 2026**

Mrs Klaassen has attached our updated Special Educational Needs Newsletter which is included in today's email.

These next few weeks can be a challenge for us all but especially for those children and adults who have a neurodiversity or other additional need. As we keep saying to the children it's a time to be especially kind, patient and understanding to everyone we are in contact with.



Over the next week or so children in the Infants will be learning about brushing their teeth. This is obviously a "home task" but we like to partner with you when it comes to keeping your children's teeth in tip top condition. Each child will bring home a handy, complimentary toothbrush and little toothpaste, just in time for anyone going on their Christmas stay overs.

Christmas Dinner

Christmas Dinner will be on Wednesday 17th December. Please remember to order via the Gateway app in the way you would usually order your child's school lunch. The Christmas Dinner (and vegetarian equivalent) will be the only food option available on this day so if you do not order then your child will need to bring a packed lunch. We need to confirm the food orders with the kitchens on Monday 8th December so this weekend is your last chance to order. We hope that as many children as possible will share this Christmas tradition with us.

Raffle Prizes

If you haven't yet sent in Raffle Prizes in exchange for wearing a Christmas Jumper today, please don't worry, we are happy to accept donations on Monday as we didn't get that many today!

	You've been Spotted		Star of the week	Handwriting and presentation award	Behaviour Buddy	Math' Magician
	Name	Christian Value				
R	Ayaaz A	Resilience	George S	Olivia	Coby	Lily
1	Charlie	Kindness	Aysha	Teddy	Samantha	Isaac
2	Steven	Courage	Eleanor	Olivia B	Annabeth	Emily
3	Rocco	Resilience	Sophia	Hannah	Cassie	Sienna
4	Archie	Service	Ruby	Liyana	Ava	Gloria
5	Ruby-Grace	Dedication	Ben	Yazmin	Aayan	Charlie
6	Emily	Contribution	Praneetha	Shae	Naturelle	Daniel

Attendance Update

This week's class attendance winners are: Year 6 – Well done!

Reception	97.04%
Year 1	96.67%
Year 2	97.04%
Year 3	96.67%
Year 4	95.40%
Year 5	96.71%
Year 6	97.85%



Christ in Everything We Do...