



St Philip's C of E Primary School

12th December 2025

Hold onto your Christmas Hats... next week is busy.



Tuesday 16th December

Parents are invited into the school hall at 3.20 pm to share the children's work in our Art Gallery.

Wednesday 17th December

Christmas Dinner Day
Christmas Fayre and Parties- all children in own clothes

Thursday 18th December

Talent Show- children only

Friday 19th December

School Workers Trust Pantomime in the morning and end of term service in church.
12.40 – families welcome
School finishes at 1.30pm.

Sunday 21st December 4pm

All children and families are invited to our church Carol Service. Junior children are invited to join Mrs Edward to perform our Christmas Poem. Words to learn have been sent home.

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



Juices and cordials this week please, plus anything else you'd like to donate to Compassion Acts this Christmas.

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



If you or someone you know would benefit from a Christmas Food hamper it would be our pleasure to help out. Have a quick word with Mrs Edward. We send thanks to the Rotary Club for their support again this year. It's easy to overlook those close to us who need a bit of a helping hand. Christmas can be really, really hard. Please stop by for a chat and a cup of tea if you need a bit of moral support or a listening ear.

Team Around the School are also here on Wednesday afternoon. Whatever your worry, however big or small we can help. Please don't feel that there is no-one there for you.



We have raised over £400 pounds on our Christmas Raffle and there are 17 Christmas gift bags filled with goodies to be won. Each ticket is £5 and can be bought on line or with cash from the office. It's definitely worth a try!

We have loved having you with us this week to celebrate the good news of our Saviour's Birth.
Thank you for coming.

The children were wonderful and are an absolute credit to you and to their teachers. Thank you for sending them to us. We invest so much into them that it's wonderful to sit back and enjoy their wide-ranging talents and gifts.

Roman Invasion.

Year 4 have been charging about the place with their shields! They have had a great time in their History and DT lessons.



Huge congratulations to the two Charlottes for their winning entries to Patrick Hurley's Christmas card competition. We had a lovely time at the Market celebrating the girl's success. They were awarded a beautiful framed certificate and Charlotte L was the overall winner. Her card will be sent far and wide by our MP. How exciting for Charlotte and her family. Huge congratulations, and well done, it's our second win in 2 years!



Fresh Start Fridays

Family Peer Support

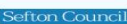
A monthly peer support group for parents, carers or family members in Southport to feel a sense of community and improve their wellbeing.

A professional will be available to chat to and ask questions about any worries and anxieties you may have as a parent, carer or family member.

Second Friday of the month
Start Date: Friday 9 January 2026
Time: 12.30–2pm
Venue: Linaker Family Hub, Linaker Street, PR8 5DQ

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Tea & Talk

Family Peer Support

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Facilitated by registered counsellor Penny Roscoe-Jones from FLOAT therapies. Penny will be available to chat to and guide you through any worries and anxieties you may have as a parent, carer or family member.

Second Monday of the month
Start Date: Monday 12 January 2026
Time: 5:30pm – 7pm
Venue: Family Life Centre, Ash St, Southport, PR8 6JH

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	You've been Spotted		Star of the week	Handwriting and presentation award	Behaviour Buddy	Math' Magician
	Name	Christian Value				
R	Molly	Friendship	Rowan	Reggie	Bonnie	Amora
1	Alisa	Kindness	Gabriel	Luca	Grace	Reggie
2	River	Courage	Gemma	Olivia H	Sebastian	Louie F
3	Freddie S	Kindness	Kourtney	Thuwaraka	Henry	Ailsa
4	Robert	Creativity	Gabriel	Emily	Ethan L	Esme
5	Oscar	Respect	Alfie	Chloe	Daniel	Rudy
6	Antonia	Compassion	Leon	Ava	Nicole	Emily

Attendance Update

This week's class attendance winners are: Year 2 & Year 3 – Well done!

Reception	95.56%
Year 1	95.93%
Year 2	99.63%
Year 3	99.63%
Year 4	98.47%
Year 5	96.30%
Year 6	96.42%



'Too Much Blue—Get a Review' - A campaign has launched across Cheshire & Merseyside aimed at helping children and young people manage asthma through a mix of education, practical tools, and community engagement. For children and young people aged (0-19) across the region there has been almost a 16% increase in the number of A&E reattendances due to asthma. NHS have published lots of information to support families to use inhalers correctly and understand their own asthma triggers and take charge. [CLICK HERE](#) to information and resources.



Christ in Everything We Do...