St Philip's C of E Primary School
25th September 2026

Dates for your Diary.
Each Friday - Year 4 swimming

Tues 29th Sep- Reception workshop- communication and language.

Tuesday 29th September
Drama & Multiskills Club cancelled due to staff training

Thursday 1st October- Flu Vaccination
Thursday 1st October -Tempest Photographs

Thursday 1st October- class worship- Year 1-6 Invites have been sent to those children taking part
Thurs 1st Oct- Tag rugby tournament- pm-

Fri 2nd Oct- Christ the King visit school Year 5 and 6

Monday 12th October Harvest in church- 2.30 pm

Annual Review of Our Child Protection Policy

https://www.stphilipssouthport.com/child-protection-including-safeguarding

At St Philip's, the safety and wellbeing of every child is our highest priority. Each year, we undertake a thorough review of our Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy to ensure it reflects the most up-to-date legislation, statutory guidance and local safeguarding procedures.

While policies are important, safeguarding is much more than a document. It is embedded in our school culture and runs through every aspect of school life. Through our curriculum, assemblies, collective worship, PSHE, Relationships Education and online safety learning, we help children develop the knowledge, confidence and resilience they need to keep themselves safe.

Our wider safeguarding curriculum teaches children about healthy relationships, recognising and managing risks, understanding online safety, seeking help when they need it, and respecting themselves and others. In an ever-changing world, these life skills are just as important as academic achievement.

By working together with families and the wider community, we aim to ensure that every child feels safe, valued, heard and equipped to thrive both in school and beyond. Thank you for your continued support in helping us create a safe and nurturing environment for all.

PSHE & RSE Parent Information

As part of our commitment to working in partnership with families, we would like to remind parents and carers that information about the resources used to support our PSHE, Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) curriculum is available through the 1decision Parent/Carer Zone. Parents can access example video clips, knowledge organisers, curriculum overviews and guidance to help understand what children learn at different ages and stages.

🔗 1decision Parent/Carer Zone:
https://www.1decision.co.uk/resources/parent-carer-zone

The Parent/Carer Zone includes:

- Example lesson video clips
- Knowledge organisers outlining key learning and vocabulary
- A parent guide to RSHE
- Curriculum overviews
- Resources to support learning at home

We encourage parents and carers to explore these materials and contact school if they have any questions about our PSHE and RSHE curriculum.

School Photo Day Thursday 1st October

Children should come in full, smart school uniform even if it is their PE day. We will adapt PE so there is no need to send in a change of clothes.
We want everyone looking their brightest, best for their photo!
If anyone needs any bits of school uniform, please let us know. There is a whole wardrobe in church with beautiful uniform pieces inside, some new with tags!

Phonics Workshop

ELS Essential Letters and Sounds

Thank you to all of our families who attended our Reception Phonics Workshop.
As you are aware our scheme is called Essential Letters and Sounds and we use this up into the juniors where children may still require phonic input.
https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/essential-letters-and-sounds/

Leadership Workshop

Our School Council, Worship Warriors and Attendance Ambassadors took part in an online workshop to help them learn about and refine their leadership skills. The children had a great afternoon, it was interactive and will enable them to fulfil their responsible roles to the best of their ability.

Celebrations this week…

	You've been Spotted		Behaviour award	Star of the week	Math' Magician	Handwriting and presentation award
	Name	Christian Value				
R	Rowan	Friendship	Zara	Ellie	Edward	Harlow
1	Autumn	Friendship	Bonnie	Rowan	Hallie	Olivia W
2	Safa	Courage	Sienna	Isaac	Louis	Inaya
3	Aaliyah	Perseverance	Olivia B	Emily	Leo M	Esther
4	Henry	Helpfulness	Poppy	Daisy	Mateo	Sophia
5	Gloria	Friendship	Chloe	Gabriel	Liyana	Adam
6	Alfie	Teamwork	Nelly	George	Sufyan	Richie

This week's attendance winners are: Year 6 98.9%
Reception – 97.1%
Year One – 97.9%
Year Two - 98%
Year Three – 95.9%
Year Four – 96.6%
Year Five – 97.7%
Year Six – 98.9%

Mrs Edward is currenlty running school tours for any families who would like a school place in September. Please let your friends with pre-school age children know and suggest to them that they telephone school for an appointment.

Reminder-Tuesday 29 September DRAMA & MULTISKILLS ASC CANCELLED