



St Philip's C of E Primary School

18th September 2026

Dates for your Diary.

Each Friday - Year 4 swimming

Tuesday 22 Sept 26 Reception Parent Phonics workshop 9am

Friday 25 Sept 26 MHST workshop for all parents (see attached flyer)

1st October Flu Vaccination (whole school) (see attached information)

Monday 12th October Harvest in church (pm, time to be confirmed)

Weds 21st October Parents Meetings 2pm - 6pm



Please ensure that you complete your online vaccination consent for your child to have their flu vaccine. This is a nasal sniff – no needles involved!

Now that all classes are fully settled into their daily routines, systems are in place for reading, homework, spellings and phonics.

Please support your child by:

 Reading with them for at least 10 minutes each evening and recording this in their reading record.

 Helping them to learn their weekly spellings in preparation for the Friday spelling test.

 Ensuring all homework is completed to the high standard we expect, using either pencil or black biro.

☆ Encouraging your child to take pride in the work they produce and to hand all homework in on time.

Any home learning should be low pressure and fun. If you are having difficulties with any aspect of home learning, please let us know. We can help and adapt but we do expect all children to complete tasks given. For some children we pre-teach homework if needed and will go over and aspects that they need help with.



Today during Worship we celebrated our elected Pupil Leaders. Our pupil leaders play an important role in shaping both subject areas and wider school life. They act as positive role models, gather the views of their peers, and work alongside staff to help make improvements that benefit everyone in our school community.

 **CEOP Button!**

STAY SAFE ONLINE

CLICK THE CEOP BUTTON on our website TO REPORT ANY WORRIES

Worried about something online?

-  Upset
-  Scared
-  Confused
-  Uncomfortable

Don't keep it to yourself. Tell a trusted adult straight away.

Please talk to your child about being safe online. This week we have focused on the CEOP button which your child can find on the front page of our website – it looks like a little world at the top! Children can click this icon to report worries or concerns. National Crime Agency's CEOP Education Team.

When you click the CEOP button, you are taken to the CEOP website where you can:

- Report concerns about online grooming or exploitation.
- Report inappropriate contact from someone online.
- Seek help if a child feels unsafe or threatened online.
- Access advice and support about staying safe on the internet.



Back to School Sunday

It was lovely to see so many children in church on Sunday. Thank you to Mrs Cooper, Mrs Klaassen and our Chair of Governors Mr Hooper who came too. It was very special as we dedicated our Prayer Buddies.

Our Prayer Buddies from church are a special part of our school family. Each class is linked with a Prayer Buddy who regularly prays for and supports the children and staff in that class. Through their prayers, encouragement and care, they help strengthen the important connection between our school and church community. We are very grateful for their commitment and the positive difference they make in supporting the wellbeing and spiritual growth of our pupils.

	You've been Spotted		Behaviour award	Star of the week	Math' Magician	Handwriting and presentation award
	Name	Christian Value				
R	Poppy	Respect	Nicolas	Anna	Arthur B	Olivia-Grace
1	Ayaaz	Perseverance	Toby	Jazmine	Braven	Amelia K
2	Joel	Determination	Senul	Samantha	Reggie	Sienna
3	Leo R	Kindness	Isaac	Arabella	Mia	Zahara
4	Charlie	Responsibility	Skyla	Cassie	Layla	Verity
5	River	Creativity	Emily	Ethan B	Harvey	Oscar
6	Merrion	Helpfulness	Maddison	Charlotte	Zoe	Aaron

This week's attendance winners are: Reception 99.3%

Reception – 99.3%

Year One – 97.2%

Year Two -98%

Year Three – 97%

Year Four – 97.6%

Year Five – 97.7%

Year Six – 98.2%

Come to school everyday, don't miss out on all the fun. Your class Attendane Ambassadors and Mrs Edward are here to help you with any attendance worries. Read the poster in your classroom.



Do you look after a child that is not your birth child. Please chat to us if we have not been made aware of this. We may be able to access funding or additional services for your child. All conversations are held in the strictest confidence. It is a privillage to be able to support our familes in any way we can.



We have a couple of spaces in Reception, Year One and Year 4. Please share with friends just in case anyone you know didn't get their original first place choice due to our popularity. Anyone interested should telephone Mrs Edward in the first instance.