

St Laurence Church Infant School

Newsletter

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We hope you have all had a restful and enjoyable half term break.

Dates

(Dates for individual Year Group events will be notified separately.)

Tuesday 14th November

Parents Evening 4.30 pm—7 pm

Thursday 16th November

Parents Evening 3.30 pm—6 pm

Friday 17th November

BBC Children in Need Big Spotacular

Friday 24th November

Non-uniform Day for PALS

Friday 1st December

Christmas Fayre

Monday 18th December

Reception Nativities

Tuesday 19th December

Year 1 Nativities

Wednesday 20th December

Year 2 Nativities

Thursday 21st December

Christmas Service at St Laurence Church 9.15 am
Christmas Dinner

Friday 22nd December

Carols in the Playground
Break up for Christmas

Children in Need

Friday 17th November

Every year we join in with the rest of the country to raise money for BBC Children in Need. On Friday 17th November we would love the children to join the Big Spotacular and bring a donation and wear spots to school.

We will be selling Pudsey and Blush ears (£2.50) and wristbands (£1) during the week beginning 13th November. All proceeds to Children in Need.



Please remember—for health and safety reasons dogs are not allowed on the school site.

Parents' Evenings

Tuesday 14 November 4.30 pm - 7.00 pm and Thursday 16 November 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm
Our Parents' Evenings this half term offer an opportunity to visit your child's classroom, see their work and discuss their progress with the class teacher. Parents are invited to make an appointment by signing the sheets, which will be displayed on classroom doors or near the front door or by sending a message to the class teacher. Infant School children are welcome to attend to join in the conversation about their work.

Admission to Reception September 2018

Preference Forms for admission to Reception in September 2018 are available on line at www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school_admissions/590/apply_for_reception_primary_school
The deadline is 15 January 2018. If you are applying under category 3 or 4 (Church categories), a Supplementary Information Form will also be required. These are available at school.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let us not forget

We will be selling other memorabilia in aid of the Royal British Legion. Children will be selling poppies in the classrooms and other items can be purchased from the school office.

School Council

Our School Council is made up of 18 members: 2 children from each class in school. During the Autumn Term, all children were invited to take part in our School Council elections. These children represent their class at School Council Meetings where areas for development and new projects are discussed.

School Term Dates 2017 - 2018

We hope these dates for this academic year will be helpful to you. Please remember that holidays cannot be authorised during term time. Children should attend on the following days:

Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 5 September 2017	to	Thursday 19 October 2017
Monday 30 October 2017	to	Friday 22 December 2017

Spring Term 2018

Tuesday 9 January 2018	to	Friday 16 February 2018
Monday 26 February 2018	to	Thursday 29 March 2018

Summer Term 2018

Monday 16 April 2018	to	Friday 25 May 2018
Monday 4 June 2018	to	Friday 20 July 2018

Monday 7 May 2018 (May Day) is a Public Holiday - school will be closed.

There are 5 Teacher Days for the academic year when children do not attend:

Monday 4 September 2017
Friday 20 October 2017
Monday 8 January 2018
Monday 23 July 2018
Tuesday 24 July 2018