



St Edward's C of E Primary

Newsletter



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Diary Dates for this half term

Mon 14th Oct – School Photographs (individual & siblings in school)
Mon 14th Oct – Years 5/6 Parent Workshop 3.30 – 4.15pm
Tues 15th Oct – Year 6 Parent Cooking Workshop 1pm
Tuesday 15th Oct – Bonfire Bingo @ 6.15pm – see separate item
Wed 16th Oct – 6Oak Class Assembly 9.15am
Mon 21st Oct – 5Juniper Reading Café 2.45-3.15pm
Wed 23rd Oct – 6Willow Class Assembly 9.15am
Wed 23rd Oct Autumn Bake Sale – see separate item

Bonfire Bingo

Next Tuesday, 15th October the PTA are holding a bonfire bingo night here at St Edward's – everyone welcome. Doors open 6.15pm – eyes down 6.30pm prompt. Multiple games of bingo including music and stand-up bingo with lots of prizes to be won. We now accept card payments as well as cash. Come along and join in the fun.

Harvest Assembly

Our harvest assembly will now be on Friday 18th October. We are collecting donations for Rochdale Foodbank. Thank you

Year 6 Applications for High School Sept 2025

Applications are now open online for applications for Year 6 transitions to High School for Sept 2025. Applications close on 31st October 2024.

Autumn Bake/Biscuit Sale

Wednesday 23rd October – children will be taken to the sale in the afternoon. Cakes/biscuits will be between 30p and £1 and will be limited to 2 per child – please send change in an envelope with children's name and class on – no notes please as we do not keep any change in school.

Donations will be gratefully received and there will be prizes for the best decorated cakes for both KS1 and KS2.

KS2 Dinner Money (Years 3-6)

Lunches are now £2.70 per day, £13.50 per week, payable online either daily or weekly.

Reception, Years 1 and 2 do not pay for school lunches – they are on Universal Free School Meals.

If you think your child is eligible for free meals, please apply online to Rochdale Council – there is a quick link on our website.

Next week we are on Week 2 of the new menus – these can be found under the parents section on our school website

Reception Open Days for September 2025 intake

Applications are now open online and close on 15th January 2025.

We are holding open days on:

Tuesday 12th November
10-10.30am and 5-5.30pm.

Thursday 12th December
2pm and 5pm

Wednesday 8th January
9.30-10am and 5-5.30pm

Outstanding Debts

Please check all online accounts and make sure all payments are up-to-date – **if there are any debts over 2 weeks, you will not be able to access any of the school services** – this includes school lunches, swimming, youth club, music, breakfast and afterschool clubs.

Polite Notice

Please do not park on the yellow or zig-zag lines outside school or on the entrance to the school car park and please be considerate towards residents on Hanover Street when parking to collect children.

Please also do not come into the car park to either drop off or pick up children from breakfast and after school clubs – this is a very busy staff car park and is a health & safety issue. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parents Evenings

Tuesday 22nd October and Wednesday 23rd October. 5Hawthorn will be on Tuesday 22nd October and Thursday 24th October. Due to unforeseen circumstances 3Rowan will not be having a parents evening at this time but if you have any issues you need to discuss, please contact school – sorry for any inconvenience. Links will be sent out before the end of the week for you to book timeslots.