

# ST ILLTYD'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Spring

## Attendance W/C: 09.01.23

REC	92.4%
CL1	76.8%
CL2	97.4%
CL3	87.5%
CL4	90.7%
CL5	100.0%
CL6	89.9%

**An amazing 100% for class 5. Well done!**  
**Diary**

Thursdays	Year 3 Music Service	<b>AM</b>
Thursdays	Year 5 cluster music sessions	<b>AM</b>
Fridays	Year 4 Swimming-National Pool-	<b>PM</b>
17.1.23	Y5/6- PC Kyle - be cyber safe	<b>AM</b>
17.1.23	Y2/3- pc Kyle- right and wrong	<b>AM</b>
18.1.23	Reception – Hearing screening	PM
19.1.23	Design to Smile Fluoride varnish Nursery - Year 2	All Day
26.1.23	Year 5 – Bishop Vaughan	All Day
26.1.23	Mr Dalton class 4 assembly	09:15-10:00
6.2.23	Mike Hedges/Paul White visit school	PM

## Design a Smile

Design a smile will be in school next Thursday to administer fluoride varnish to the children from Nursery to Year 2. Please can any outstanding consent forms be returned to school ASAP. Many thanks.

## PE Uniform

Navy polo shirt with logo  
Round neck navy sweat jumper with logo  
Black or navy shorts or joggers  
Trainers

We still have rails of pre- loved uniform, if you are short of any of the items, please contact school.

## Spring Term

**13<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

Happy New Year to all our families. I hope you all managed to have a lovely holiday. The children, although tired, have made a fantastic start to the new term. Keep it up boys and girls.

## School trips

Teachers have been busy planning new topics for the spring term. We have been trying to organise school trips so that the children can have those first-hand experiences when learning about their topic. Unfortunately, we are finding that, like everything, prices of buses and entry fees have increased. We will subsidise trips where we can. We will aim to give you plenty of notice of any trips that are booked so you can pay in instalments. As always, if you are struggling, then please do call to speak with me.

## Class assemblies

We are delighted to be able to introduce class assemblies this year. Each class will be allocated a date in which they will prepare and deliver an assembly where parents will be invited into to school to share the wonderful talents that the children have. Please see timetable below:

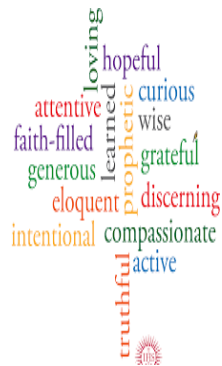
Class	Date
Y4 Mr Dalton	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> January
Y3 Mr Lewis	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> February
Y6 Mrs Saer/Mrs Grenfell	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March
Y5 Mrs Lynch/Mrs Batcup	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> April
Y1/Y2 Mrs Delaney	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> May
Rec/Y1 Mrs Parry/ Mrs Rees	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> June

## School Uniform

We consider our school uniform to be a crucial part of the high expectations for our school and your support is very much appreciated.

Please can I remind you that trainers are only to be worn on PE day with PE uniform. The children need to wear plain black shoes with school uniform on all other days.

**No leggings**, school trousers only.



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## PTFA

We are keen to start a new Parent, Teachers and Friends Association for our school. The main aim of the group will be to support the school through putting on events for our children and raise much-needed funds to provide opportunities, experiences and resources for school. We will be holding an initial meeting on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February at 2:30pm in the school hall. This will hopefully help us to move forward in setting up St Illtyd's PTFA.

## Have a lovely weekend

**Maria Davies**  
Headteacher

Term	Term begins		Mid-term holiday begins	Mid-term holiday ends		Terms ends	Total days
<b>Autumn 2022</b>	Monday 5 September	Friday 28 October	Monday 31 October	Friday 4 November	Monday 7 November	Friday 23 December	75
<b>Spring 2023</b>	Monday 9 January	Friday 17 February	Monday 20 February	Friday 24 February	Monday 27 February	Friday 31 March	55
<b>Summer 2023</b>	Monday 17 April	Friday 26 May	Monday 29 May	Friday 2 June	Monday 5 June	Monday 24 July	65

## INSET days

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022  
 Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2022  
 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022  
 Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023  
 Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2023

## Bank holidays

Good Friday - Friday 7 April 2023  
 Easter Monday - Monday 10 April 2023  
 May Bank Holiday - Monday 1 May 2023  
 Coronation Bank Holiday - Monday 8 May 2023  
 Spring Bank Holiday - Monday 29 May 2023

Please note that this calendar is subject to any changes that may arise as a result of Welsh Government issuing a direction on term dates.

The City and County of Swansea does not accept any liability for any losses incurred in respect of altered holiday arrangements following changes to the timetable in any direction issued by the Welsh Government.