



St Chad's Newsletter

16th May 2025

"At St. Chad's, we grow in the light of Christ, to share his love and reflect the gospel values."



This week:

- **Congratulations to our Year 3 children** who made their First Holy Communion — may they continue to grow in faith, love, and the light of Christ. We are so proud of each of them on this very special step in their spiritual journey.
- **Year 6 SATs:** A huge well done to our Year 6 pupils for showing such **perseverance, maturity, and an all-round positive attitude** during SATs week. They approached each day with calm and confidence — a real credit to themselves and the school.
- **Celebration Assembly:** Today we gathered as a school family to celebrate all the wonderful things the children have achieved this week — from great learning and kind acts, to living out our Gospel values. Well done to everyone who received an award!

This Sunday is the Fifth Sunday of Easter

- 22.05.25 Sports Day
- 23.05.25 Break up for summer half-term for **two weeks**.
- 09.06.25 Return to school
- 23.06.25 Year 6 visit to the Safari Park
- 02.07.25 Year 6 transition day to their new schools. Their new school will send information to parents about the day and how it will work.
- 17.07.25 Year 6 Leaver's Mass.
- 18.07.25 Break up at 1:30pm for the summer holidays
- 02.09.25 Children return to school

Virtue Certificates

- AR - Abigail - Learned & Wise - For working well with her numbers.
- YR - Jayden - Learned and Wise- For fantastic independent writing and application of his phonics.
- Y1 - Kartier - Learned and Wise- For being particularly focussed in class.
- Y2 - Gelila- Curious and Active- For always taking part in learning.
- Y3 - Natalia, Lily, Destinee - Faith filled and Hopeful - For being so reverent during sacramental preparations.
- Y4 - Emnet - Compassionate and Loving- For being a good friend and for cheering people up.
- Y5 - Eldana - Learned and Wise - For always offering advice that makes everyone happy and feel included.
- Y6 - All of Y6 - Learned and Wise - For completing their SATS using all of their knowledge and doing so with such a positive attitude.



Stars of the Week

Our **Stars of the Week** have exemplified Christ's teachings through their actions and their positive attitude towards others, their learning, and school life.

CONGRATULATIONS

AR - Elijah YR - Driano Y1 Evana Y2 Zlata

Y3 Olanrewaju Y4 Arsema

Y5 Aresama Y6 Segum



School Mass

Please note that the Mass on the 24th June is on a Tuesday. All Masses are at 9am unless stated otherwise.

22.05.25 Year 3 Whole School Mass

Half-Term

12.06.25 Year 4 Whole School Mass

24.06.25 Year 5 Whole School Mass

10.07.25 Year 3 Whole School Mass

17.07.25 Year 6 Leaver's Whole School Mass

House points



St Josephine Bakhita were our winners this week with 238 points!

Compassionate & Loving



Compassionate towards others, near and far, especially the less fortunate; and **loving** by their just actions and forgiving words.

What does this mean?

We will help our pupils to grow by being compassionate and loving in the way pupils are treated, especially when a pupil is in trouble; and by opening pupils' eyes to those who suffer poverty, injustice or violence.



Well done to Year 6 with the highest attendance this week with a fabulous 100% Keep it up!

We are committed to fostering a safe and respectful environment for everyone. We have a zero-tolerance policy for any form of abuse, whether verbal, physical, or emotional. Every member of our community has the right to feel respected and secure, and we will take all necessary steps to uphold these values. Please see our Code of Conduct Policy for further details.

https://www.st-chads.bham.sch.uk/docs/St_Chads_Code_of_Conduct_for_Visitors_to_School_Policy_23.pdf

Sports Day - You're Invited!

We're excited to welcome parents to our Sports Day on the school field on **Thursday 22nd May**

- **KS1 and EYFS:** 10:10am - 12:00pm
- **KS2:** 1:00pm - 3:00pm
- A designated area will be reserved for parents to watch and cheer on the children.

Please make sure your child brings in their **PE kit**, with a **water bottle**, **sun hat**, and **sun cream** already applied if needed - we're hoping for sunny weather!

We look forward to a fun-filled day of teamwork, encouragement, and school spirit!

Designated Senior Safeguarding Leaders

DESIGNATED SENIOR LEADERS Ms Ryan is the Designated Senior Lead for child protection and Mrs Parker, Mr Lewis, Mrs Wheatley and Mrs Ashford. As a school, we take child protection and safeguarding procedures very seriously. The safety and wellbeing of all our children is paramount. If you have a concern about a child, please see one of the aforementioned members of staff.

Complaints

If you have a complaint or a concern regarding the school, then please refer to our Complaints Policy. The procedures are outlined in the document. You will find it here <https://www.st-chads.bham.sch.uk/Policies-Documents/>

Reaching out to you our Community

Monthly
(3rd Saturday of each month)

Soup Kitchen, Clothes & Food Drive

Saturday 17th May 2025
Saturday 21st June 2025
Saturday 19th July 2025
Saturday 16th August 2025
Saturday 20th September 2025
11.00am - 1.00pm

Food parcels available for all. Families. Single People. Young People. Elders. do come along if you have a need. Outreach services will be available also.

The Village Fellowship
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