

Autumn Term 3

St Andrew's C.E. Primary School Over Hulton



3rd November 2023

Growing in Faith, Hope and Love 1 Corinthians 13:13

Before School Clubs-After School 8:00am-8:45am 3:30pm-4:20/30pm from w.b. 25/9/23 Ju Jitsu Monday KS2 Football Athletics & Running Shining Stars Tuesday KS2 Rugby Y2, Y3, Y4 Football Wednesday KS2 Dodgeball **Outdoor & adventurous**

Who are Bolton Mental Health Support Team (MHST)?

We are a team working in schools across Bolton to help children and young people with emerging mental health difficulties.

Our goals are:



- To deliver 1:1 and group interventions to children, young people, and parents.
- To work with teachers to develop whole-school approaches to improve everyone's mental health.
- To give advice to school staff to help children get the right support.



Holly and Lauren from the Bolton MHST will be joining us for a Coffee Morning on 8th November to answer any questions you may have about your child's mental health. A letter was emailed to all parents with more detail.

PE kit

Children come to school in their PE kit on their timetabled day—these days should now be on your child's Class Page on the website as well as your child's teacher informing you last week. This is now required to be:-

- Plain white Polo shirt not T-shirt (with school cardigan or jumper over it) - not a tracksuit top please
- Plain black track suit bottoms or plain black leggings
- Trainers
- Plain black shorts (can be worn or kept in a PE bag in school to change in to for indoor PE)
- Black plimsolls (kept in a PE bag in school to change in to for indoor PE)

Also a reminder that NO EARINGS are permitted in school.

Anti Bullying Week—13th November 2023

This year's theme is Make A Noise About **Bullying** which recognises that bullying has a long-term effect on the victim's mental health and quality of life.

As we approach the annual review of our school's Anti Bullying Policy, we welcome any constructive comments that would help the governors update the policy. Thank You

Odd Sock Day with Children in Need

Friday 17th November 2023

All the children need to do is wear odd socks! It's a great way to celebrate what makes us all unique in Anti-Bullying Week! We are also combining this with



Children in Need.
Children can wear
their Pudsey items and we are
asking for donations on the day
to support this very worthy
cause.

We would like to let our parents know that

Mrs Hunter has made the decision to retire

after 28 years dedicated service to the St

Andrew's family and 35 years as a teacher.

She will finish at Christmas and will be

sorely missed around the school by pupils

and adults alike. We would like to wish her

a very long, happy and healthy retirement

and hope that she enjoys the extra time she

will have to her husband, David, and her

family.

healthy



Road Safety

As all children return to school, we would like to repeat our REGULAR plea to parents and carers regarding parking and dropping off. We are already receiving complaints from Crescent Avenue residents especially with regard to

dropping off children on, or next to, the zig-zag; or from parking on the double line; or acros; driveway; even for the shortest of times.

Dinner money from September will be £2.47 per day or £12.35 per week. Your child will continue with whatever meal choice they are having now, packed lunch or school meal, unless you email the office to make changes. Please could parents ensure that we have a minimum of two weeks notice to make any changes. Payments are made via School Gateway on which snacks for KS2 can also be paid for.



The PTFA is holding its Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 7th November at 6:00pm in school.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible MANY THANKS.



Please access our website at www.standrewsbolton.co.uk or visit our Facebook page.
Look for St Andrews OH Primary School



Admission to St Andrew's CE Primary School September 2024 Reception Class

You can apply for a primary school place at St Andrew's CE Primary School online anytime from 1 September 2023 to 15 January 2024 11:59pm.

www.bolton.gov.uk/admissions

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Could we please remind parents that we endeavour to be a nut free environment as we have a number of pupils and staff who have nut allergies. When preparing Packed Lunches, please could this be kept in mind as there are still a number of children bringing in 'nut / chocolate' spreads and products, as well as nutty cereal bars. Thank you for your support with this matter.

DIARY DATES Autumn Term 2023 and beyond

We will also endeavour to keep you up to date at www.standrewsbolton.co.uk and through our Facebook page

Monday 6th November 2023 Open Evening for prospective parents Reception intake 2023 3:45-6pm

Tuesday 7th November 2023 Annual PTFA AGM at 6pm

Wednesday 8th November 2023 Bolton NHS Mental Health in Schools Team—Coffee morning

Thursday 9th November 2023 Y3/4 Boccia team—tournament Friday 10th November 2023 Year 6 trip to Bolton Museum

W.B. 13th November 2023 Year 5 Islam workshop
W.B. 13th November 2023 Anti Bullying Week

Wednesday 15th November 2023 Rec/Y2 Bolton NHS Mental Health in Schools Team—class workshops

Friday 17th November 2023 Children In Need—Own Clothes Day

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

Y1/Y3 Bolton NHS Mental Health in Schools Team—class workshops
Wednesday 30th November 2023

Y4/Y5 Bolton NHS Mental Health in Schools Team—class workshops
Year 3 trip to Bolton Museum—Egyptians and Bolton workshops

Friday 1st December 2023 Y5 and 6 Dodgeball Team—tournament

Tuesday 5th December 2023 Y6 trip to Octagon Theatre—Around the World in 80 Days

Wednesday 6th December 2023 Y6 Bolton NHS Mental Health in Schools Team—class workshops

Tuesday 11th December 2023 Infant Nativity—Born in a Barn—9:30am and 2pm

Wednesday 20th December 2023 Christmas Lunch

Thursday 21st December 2023 School Pantomime—Sleeping Beauty Friday 22nd December 2023 Advent Service at church—9:15am

School closes for the Christmas Break at 1:30pm

Tuesday 9th January 2024 School re-opens for Spring Term Monday 15th January 2024 Year 2 trip to Staircase House

Year 6 trip to Stockport Air -raid shelters

W.B. Monday 5th February 2024 Children's Mental Health Week

Parents meeting for Robinwood Residential at 5:30pm

Young Shakespeare Company—Henry V

Remaining School Holiday Pattern

Y6 Robinwood Residential

End of term

AUTUMN TERM

Term ends: Friday 22nd December 2023 at 1:30pm

SPRING TERM [53 days]

Tuesday 27th February 2024

Thursday 29th February 2024

Thursday 28th March 2024

Fri 22nd to Sun 24th March 2024

Term begins: Tuesday 9th January 2024 School closes for half term: Friday 16th February 2024

Half Term: Monday 19th February - Friday 23rd February 2024

School re-opens:

Monday 26th February 2024

Term ends:

Thursday 28th March 2024

SUMMER TERM [64 days]

Term begins: Monday 15th April 2024

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2024 (School Closed)

School closes for half term: Friday 24th May 2024

Half Term: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May 2024

Half Term begins: Monday 3rd June 2024
Term ends: Friday 19th July 2024