

Friday 6th February 2026

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Half term

Please note, it is half term **Monday 16th to Friday 20th February**. Children return to school on Monday 23rd February.

Children's Mental Health Week

It is National Children's Mental Health awareness week **starting next Monday 9th February** with the theme '***This is My Place***', focusing on the importance of belonging in friendships, schools, and communities to help children feel connected and supported. Children will complete activities in class to give them some insight as to what the week is all about and why we have it. Please discuss at home with your child the importance of keeping ourselves mentally and physically fit and healthy.

Safer Internet Day

Safer Internet Day is celebrated globally each year to promote the safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people. This year the theme is '**Smart tech, safe choices – Exploring the safe and responsible use of AI**'. It will be celebrated next **Tuesday 10th February**. Please have a chat with your children about what they already know about staying safe on the internet.

Legal drop in

Our next legal advice drop in session is on **Wednesday 25th February** at 9am. The drop in facility is lead by Rebecca Butler who works for MSB Law, Liverpool. This is a service that offers **free** advice around family law for any parent.

Book Fair

We are delighted to have the Scholastic Book Fair returning to our school. It will take place in the school hall after school on **Thursday 26th, Friday 27th February and Monday 2nd March**. There will be lots of books available for you to browse with your child and buy at discounted prices. Many books are below £5. You can also use your World Book Day voucher to help towards the cost. This will be just before World Book Day so an ideal opportunity for you to celebrate a love of reading with your child. For every book purchased, scholastic makes a donation towards library books for school so you will also be helping to add new books to our school library.

World Book Day

We have some exciting events going on over the next few weeks. We have sent out a World Book Day Newsletter containing more information. On **Thursday 5th March** we will be celebrating World Book Day. Children may wear pyjamas and bring in their favourite book to share with friends.

Children's University

When children participate in certain activities they can gain credits as long as the learning provider is registered with Children's University. If they go to clubs outside of school you can purchase a CU learning passport from the office for £4.00 (payable via our App) which will allow them to earn further credits. Children in years 2 and 6 with enough credits will attend a lovely graduation ceremony at Edge Hill University. If you would like to learn more information visit our website <https://www.stbenedictsprimary.co.uk/childrens-university/>



**St Benet's
Mass Times**

Wed, Sat
No Mass

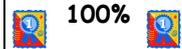
Sunday
10am

Mon, Tue,
Thur and Fri
10am

**Attendance
& Punctuality**

**Whole School:
97%**

**Highest Class:
Y5**



100%

Well Done!!

**Number of
Lates**

16



february



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Champions of the Week



	Star of the Week	Maths Champion	Writer of the Week
Rec	Alexander G	Sofia O	Daisy S
1G	Mila F	Victor S	Orla N
2TO	James R	Penny P	Martha T
3EN	Aria D	Ari P	Lottie BS
4L	Alia Mc	Violet C	Isla P
5CL	ALL OF YEAR 5!	Junior G	Amy L
6Mc	Rosie W	Amelia H	Ollie F

Spring Term Clubs

Monday

Music Hub (4:30 - 5:15pm) : **For children who have brass lessons**

Dodgeball: **Year 3, 4, 5 & 6**

Tennis: **Year 4, 5 & 6**

Tuesday

Gymnastics: **Year 1, 2 & 3**

Lego: **Year 3, 4, 5 & 6**

Netball: **Year 5 & 6**

Wednesday

Art and crafts: **Year 3, 4 & 5**

Football: **Year 1, 2 & 3**

Gymnastics: **Year 4, 5 & 6**

Football: **Year 5 & 6**

Thursday

Choir: **Year 3, 4, 5 & 6**

Lego: **Year 1 & 2**

Friday

Cheerleading: **Year 1, 2 & 3**

Cheerleading: **Year 4, 5 & 6**

Girls' football

After school clubs have now started. Parents must sign up directly for most of the football clubs and gymnastics with Community Coaching, LEAP or Plus Education via the letters or links which were sent out earlier this week. Children must come in to school wearing their **school** uniform and bring in a change of clothing.

School Terms and Holidays 2025/26

Spring Term 2026

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February

Friday 27th March

Half-Term Holiday

Close for Spring Break (finish at 1:30pm)

Summer Term 2026

Monday 13th April

Tuesday 14th April

Monday 4th May

Monday 25th to Friday 29th May

Monday 1st June

Friday 17th July

Monday 20th July

Inset Day

School re-opens for children

Bank Holiday

Half-Term Holiday

School re-opens for children

School closes for Summer Holiday (at 1:30pm)

Inset Day