

Friday 4th September 2026

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back

We hope you and the children had a lovely summer break and return refreshed and enthusiastic for what we hope will be another fantastic year at St. Benedict's. The children look so lovely in their new uniforms!

Labelling uniform

Can we please ask parents to **clearly label** all items of your child's uniform and PE kit. We advise writing their name on with sharpie which is extremely durable.

Medication and medical issues

Please let us know if your child has any changes to their medical circumstances. Can we also ask that if you need us to administer medicine to your child that you pass it in via the school office and complete an 'administration of medication form'. Medication must be in a labelled box.

Healthy Snacks and water

Please note: WE ARE NOW A NUT FREE SCHOOL.

Children may bring in snacks for break time but can you please ensure these do not contain nuts and are healthy items such as fruit instead of crisps or sweets. This also applies to packed lunch, please provide a healthy balance including fruit and vegetables. Can you also send children in with reusable bottles filled with water, juice is not allowed.

Reading books

Can you please check if you have any school reading books at home and return them next week. Thank you.

PE

On PE days children can continue to come in to school wearing their PE kit which is plain white t-shirt, plain black shorts and purple school jumper. Please **NO hoodies or jumpers that are not part of school uniform**. In cold weather, plain black tracksuit bottoms are permitted, as long as they **DO NOT** have a logo eg Adidas, Nike. PE days are as follows for each class :

Reception - Tuesday

Year 1 - Wednesday

Year 2 - Monday

Year 3 - Tuesday

Year 4 - Friday

Year 5 - Monday (swimming starting next Monday 7th Sept) and Thursday

Year 6 - Wednesday

Nasal Flu Vaccine

Sefton Immunisations team will be visiting our school on **16th October** to administer the nasal flu vaccine. An email has been sent out and we have QR codes posted around the school. If you do consent to your child receiving the nasal vaccine please scan the QR code and complete the form online. If you have any questions please contact School Health directly on 0151 247 6130 or mcn-tr.seftonimmunisationteam@nhs.net



**St Benet's
Mass Times**

Mon, Wed, Sat
No Mass

Sunday
10am

Tue and Thur
10am

**Attendance
& Punctuality**

**Whole School:
95.1%**

**Highest Class:
Y3**

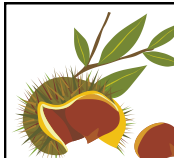


97.6%



Well Done!!

**Number of
Lates
5**



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Important after school club information

Our after school clubs for children in Year 1 to Year 6 will begin again next week (with the exception of Choir - start date to be confirmed). The clubs will run between 3:15 - 4:15pm.

Children must come in to school wearing their **school uniform**. They can bring in a change of clothing such as football kit/gym wear which they will change into at the end of the school day.

Unfortunately, we are no longer in the position to be able to subsidise these due to financial restraints and are now asking parents to pay for some clubs.

- LEAP are running gymnastics and cheerleading.
- Plus Education are running netball and football.
- Mr Phillips is running Girl's football, these will be free of charge along with Choir.

• LEAP and Plus Education must be booked and paid direct with the company. We have limited places on most clubs and electronic links/letters have been sent home with more information.

Children must be collected from the hall at 4:15pm promptly.

Day	Inside	Outside
Monday	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 Gymnastics	Year 3 & 4 Netball
Tuesday	Year 1 & 2 Gymnastics	Year 1 & 2 Football
Wednesday		Year 5 & 6 Netball Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 Football
Thursday	Choir: Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 (start date TBC)	
Friday	Years 1 - 6 Cheerleading	Year 3 - 6 Girls' Football