



# YEAR 2 INFORMATION SHEET FOR PARENTS / CARERS



## SPRING TERM 2026

Class Teacher: Mr E McLoughlin & Mrs R Robinson

Learning Support Assistant: Miss K Bates & Miss P Gollop



### Weekly Reminder



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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#### **Our work this term will include...**

**Mathematics & Numeracy** – Place Value, Multiplication and Division. A range of Problem Solving/ Numerical Reasoning activities.

**Languages, Literacy & Communication** – Class Book: Your Hair is Your Crown - By Jessica Dunrod. Jessica Dunrod will be visiting year 2 to talk about the book and to answer questions. Persuasion: An advert to visit a local landmark etc. with What? Who? Where? When? and Why? Including an element of persuasion, saying why someone should come e.g. *You will taste the best ice cream in South Wales!*

**Humanities** – Topic: Knights and Castles. A trip to Cardiff Castle: information gathering & research, visit and workshop with Sir Jay the knight at Cardiff Castle.

**Health & Wellbeing** – Activities based around Action for Happiness - both resilience and direction. Jigsaw: Dreams and Goals.

**Science & Technology** – Using Hwb - Jit Animation and Jit Draw. Minecraft for Education to create our own Castle - Based upon Cardiff Castle, Barry Castle and All Saints CiW Primary School.

**Expressive Arts** - Using Boomwhackers to recreate Medieval Music and Modern Music - compare and contrast.

**RE** – **Spring 1:** Learning about other faiths - Islam - What do celebrations, food and activities teach us about important stories for Islamic people? **Spring 2** - Salvation - Why does Easter matter to Christians?

Our school values this term are Perseverance and Forgiveness and our Action for Happiness Keys are Direction & Resilience



## How you can help your child at home...

- Doodle Maths and doodle Spell - little and often during the week. There is also Doodle English to explore.
- Explore JIT on Hwb, familiarise with the programs on there. Please let me know if your child has saved some work on Jit as I am able to access it and can discuss it with them. We will also be focusing on Jit this term in school.
- Google Castles of Wales and talk about the Castles and where they are on the Welsh map compared to where Barry is.
- Read lots of Fairy Tales together, including Traditional tales from other countries.



## Things we need this term...

Make sure you have your Hwb login username and password and your Doodle account information.

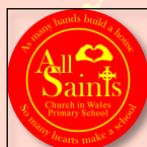


## Key dates / events in our year group...

13/1 - Cardiff Castle Trip  
10/2 - Safer Internet Day  
16/2 – 20/2 – Half Term Holiday  
**23/2 – INSET Day – school closed to pupils**  
24/2 - Start of Spring Term B  
27/2 – Wear **RED** for Velindre  
5/3 – World Book Day  
6/3 - All Saints Eisteddfod  
9/3 - 13/3 – STEM Week  
12/3 – Landing Afternoon for Families  
16/3 & 17/3 - Parent Consultation Evenings  
20/3 – **RED** Nose Day.  
24/3 – Tempest Class Photos  
27/3 – Last Day of Spring Term  
30/3 – 10/4 – Easter Holiday  
13/4 - Start of Summer Term A



**Be Ready, Be Respectful & Be Responsible**



## GENERAL INFORMATION

*Please remember to inform the school office of any change of address, medication advice, home telephone number, mobile telephone number, or any other emergency contact information.*

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For more detailed information please refer to the School Prospectus on our website

<http://www.allsaintspsbarry.co.uk>