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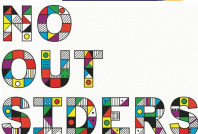
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Friday 12th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you well. It has been a pleasure to welcome our Reception class (Star Class), who have settled in beautifully and greeted us all with plenty of smiles. It is heartening to see how the rest of the school has also embraced the new term with such enthusiasm and a positive attitude.

This term promises to be an exciting one, packed with a variety of activities. We will be celebrating Wellbeing Week, which aims to promote mental and emotional health among our students. Additionally, we have two informative webinars on internet safety presented by the renowned organisation '2 Johns.' Our budding athletes can look forward to football and netball tournaments, along with the opportunity for parents to join us for Open Days. Please check our school website for specific dates, and kindly remember to book your appointments via the school office.

As part of our routine, we will also be organising individual and sibling photographs, a lovely keepsake for families.

We greatly appreciate your understanding and patience regarding the minor glitches we have experienced with our phone app. Your support during this transition period means a great deal to us.

Lastly, I hope to see many of you at our forthcoming PTFA AGM and Wow assemblies that have started again. The PTFA is a wonderful opportunity to engage with fellow parents and discuss plans for our school community.

Thank you for your continued support. Should you have any further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Warm regards,

S. Rowe



Welcome Star Class



Kindness Cup and Manners Medal Winners



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Free mental health support for children and families

Learn about what we do in your community:

- Community outreach workshops
- Early intervention therapy support
- School engagement programmes

Email communityengagement@kidsinspire.org.uk

Our current areas are Essex, Ipswich and West Suffolk.

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Wellbeing Art **Mindfulness**

Summary of Itinerary for Wellbeing Week in School

We are excited to announce our forthcoming Wellbeing Week, designed to enrich the minds and spirits of both pupils and adults alike. Our engaging itinerary is packed with a diverse range of workshops and talks aimed at promoting mental health and overall well-being.

Tuesday will kick off with a vibrant Feeling Good Through Latin and Dance Showcase, where students will celebrate movement and rhythm while fostering a sense of community.

On Wednesday, we are honoured to host the Magic Lantern Art Workshops. This initiative allows participants to explore their creativity, emphasising wellbeing through artistic expression.

Additionally, our Mini Mindfulness Workshops will provide pupils with practical techniques to cultivate mindfulness and reduce stress.

Thursday brings a significant opportunity for adults, as Mind, a leading mental health charity, will deliver an enlightening talk after school. This discussion aims to equip our community with the necessary tools for understanding and supporting mental health.

Concluding the week, Friday will be Hello Yellow Day, an optional non-uniform day encouraging children to wear yellow in support of mental health awareness. Throughout the day, KidsInspire will lead assemblies centred around wellbeing, ensuring our school community leaves feeling uplifted and inspired.

We look forward to a joyful week that proves beneficial for all!



The Archie Project at Holy Trinity

Photos from our Introduction Assembly with teachers taking part in an Archie Scarecrow Dress-up Competition.



Year 3 pupils are excited to participate in The Archie Project, an enriching intergenerational initiative that fosters connections between young learners and residents of a local care home. This project will encompass shared experiences through face-to-face visits and a variety of engaging activities, including singing, baking, and art. Through these interactions, students will have the opportunity to develop their speaking and listening skills while cultivating a deeper understanding of empathy, respect, and companionship across generations. Spending quality time with the care home residents, including individuals living with dementia, will not only help to build confidence in communication but also celebrate and strengthen the invaluable ties that link our communities. We are very pleased to be taking part in this meaningful endeavour.



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VISIT OUR WARM AND WELCOMING SCHOOL



SCHOOL TOUR
Tour with School Council representatives.



MEET THE TEAM
Meet members of EYFS setting.



HEADTEACHER INTRODUCTION
Find out about the school's offer and future plans.

FIND OUT WHAT LEARNING IS ALL ABOUT DURING OUR SCHOOL OPEN DAYS!

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Book your visit via school office



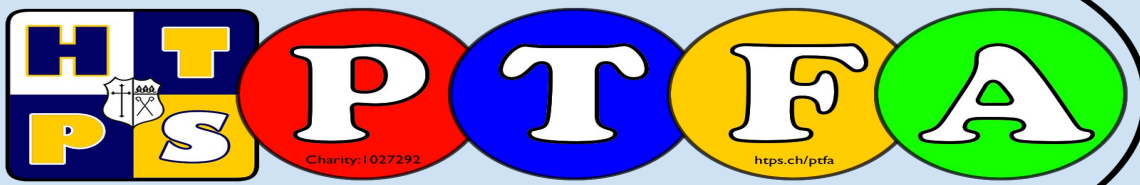
Thursday 6th November
Wednesday 12th November
Tuesday 18th November

CALENDAR DATES - <https://ch/calendar> & APP

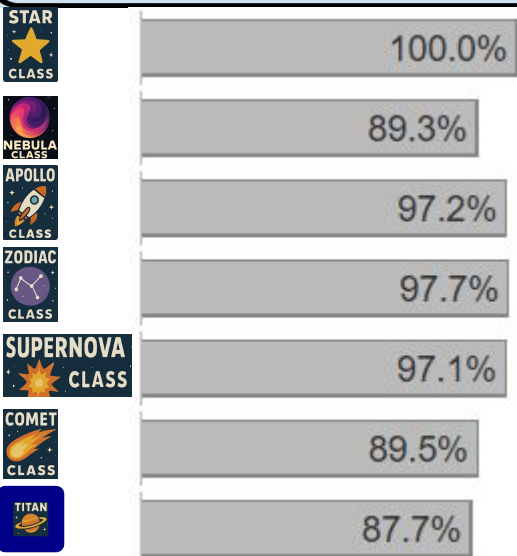
- 25.09.2025 STEM Day for Year 5
- 29.09.2025 The 2 Johns Internet Safety Training
- 01.10.2025 Black History Month
- 06.10.2025 Wellbeing Week (see details on last page)
- 10.10.2025 Hello Yellow Mental Health Day (non-uniform day with invitation to wear yellow)
- 14.10.2025 Individual Photos (14-16th October)
- 20.10.2025 Flu Vaccinations
- 21.10.2025 Harvest Festival TBC (09.30 for KS2 at St Andrew's Church and 14.30 KS1 in school)
- 24.10.2025 Non-Pupil Day
- 27.10.2025 Half Term
- 03.11.2025 Non-Pupil Day

All term dates, and INSET days for 2024/25 can be found on the Piota app.

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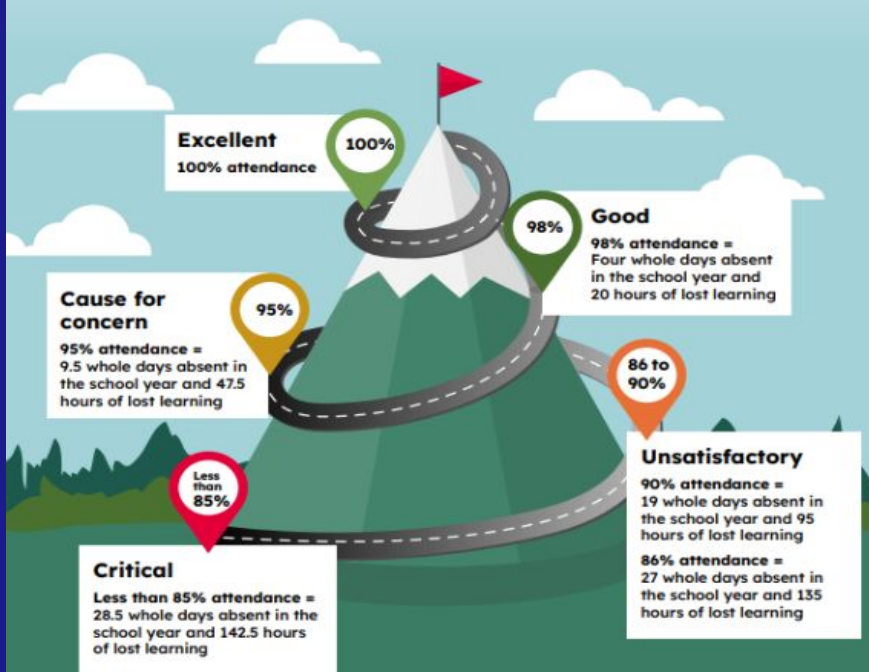
ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Data does not include pupils on part-time timetables.

Essex national average for attendance is 94.8% and schools are expected to be at or above this figure. Well done to **Star, Apollo, Zodiac and Supernova Class** who have data above this threshold. In every class a child will be given a certificate for high attendance rates and for improving attendance. Please support us in improving Holy Trinity attendance rates where possible.

Essex County Council Education

Where does your child sit on the attendance mountain?



WORSHIP THEME

Love

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

1 Corinthians 13



Autism central is here to help!

Sometimes talking to people who share similar experiences to yours means you're more likely to feel understood and get the support you need.

The Autism Central Peer Education Programme is for parents, carers and Personal Assistants of autistic people of any age. They do not need a diagnosis to access the service. Support is provided by parents and carers of autistic people who are happy to share their knowledge and experience with others.

What we can offer:

- A constantly growing range of information and resources is available on the Autism Central website www.autismcentral.org.uk
- Weekly online groups sessions - drop-ins and themed sessions covering a range of topics
- 1:1 support via a telephone or Teams call. This can be requested via the QR code below

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