



## **Tattershall Holy Trinity Church of England Primary School**

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Welcome Back – Term 2, 2025–26

Dear Families,

Welcome back to the second term of the school year. I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Thank you for your amazing support last term. It was lovely to see so many of you at our Harvest Festival in church, and your generous donations to the local foodbank were deeply appreciated. We also received very positive feedback from our parental questionnaire, and a summary of the results is now available on our school website.

We are incredibly proud of our pupils' behaviour throughout Term 1. They have embraced our whole-school rules — Be Safe, Be Ready, Be Respectful — in everything they do, helping to create a kind, respectful and supportive environment. We've seen countless examples of care and compassion, reflecting our school vision:

***“All shall be well because we are knit together and rooted in hope.”***

This spirit of hope and community continues to shine through in their actions, and it's been wonderful to witness the strong sense of belonging across the school.

To help us maintain these high expectations, we are once again sending home our Behaviour on a Page document. It outlines our key behaviour principles, and we would greatly appreciate your support in reinforcing these expectations at home. If we have concerns that a child's behaviour is affecting their own learning or the learning of others, we will contact you so that we can work together to find a positive way forward.

The children had a fantastic time at PGL, and it was lovely to see all the photographs shared on social media — so many smiles and moments of adventure! A huge thank you to Mrs Parker for accompanying them and making the trip so memorable.

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This term in Collective Worship the children will take part in a Remembrance Service, explore the meaning of Advent, and prepare for our Christmas Carol Service at Holy Trinity Church on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 2.00pm. We hope you will be able to join us for this special event.

Our newly elected School Council is now up and running and has chosen the names for our new school teams. We'll be sharing these with the children shortly. They are also busy planning for Children in Need, and we will be sending out a communication soon with their fundraising ideas.

We are thrilled to announce that all children will be attending a performance of Cinderella at Blackfriars Art Centre in Boston on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December. This exciting enrichment opportunity has been fully funded by the Friends of the School (FOS) — including tickets, transport, and even ice cream! We are incredibly grateful for their support.

FOS are also busy planning festive events for this term. Further details will be shared soon. Every parent is automatically a member of FOS, and any help or support you can offer would be greatly appreciated. The next meeting will be held at Holy Trinity School, and the date will be communicated shortly — please do come along and get involved.

At Holy Trinity we are committed to ensuring every child receives the best possible education, and regular school attendance plays a vital role in this. Research shows that children who attend school regularly make better progress both academically and socially. As we begin this new term, we want to work in partnership with you to support excellent attendance for all our pupils.

To help us monitor and improve attendance, we will now be sending termly letters to families where attendance falls below 95%. These letters are not intended as a criticism, but rather as a way to open up a conversation and offer support.

As the weather turns colder, please ensure children come to school with coats and warm clothing suitable for outdoor play during break and lunchtime.

This term is always busy as Christmas approaches, so please continue to check the school website regularly for updates and key dates.

#### **Key Statutory Assessment Dates – Summer 2026**

- Key Stage 2 SATs: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May
- Year 4 Multiplication Check: Starting Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June (two-week window)
- Key Stage 1 Phonics Screening: Starting Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June (one-week window)

As always, if you have any questions, suggestions or concerns, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Your sincerely  
Mrs Stephanie Liley  
Executive Headteacher

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