

Sylvester Primary Academy

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SYLVESTER NEWS

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Dear parents & carers,

It's almost half-term again already!

We finish for half-term next Friday 14th February at 3.15pm and children return on Tuesday 25th February at 8.45am, due to staff training on 24th February.

Hope that you all have a lovely weekend.

Ms Harrison

Principal

Please inform us if your child is unwell and can't attend school on their first day of absence. It is really important that you *contact the school office* and that you provide a reason for their absence.

You can call us on :

0151 477 8320

Or email school@sylvesterprimaryschool.co.uk



TO PERFECT ATTENDANCE AND BEYOND!!!!

Our whole school attendance target is: **96%**

Our whole school attendance this week is: **94.9%**



Reception B: 95.8%

Year 3: 95.4%

Reception T: 96.8%

Year 4: 97.4%

Year 1: 89%

Year 5: 97.6%

Year 1/2: 87.5%

Year 6: 99%

Year 2: 94.7%

Safer Internet Day 2025

Safer Internet Day takes place on **Tuesday, 11 February** and is a chance to focus on the online safety and wellbeing of children and young people. Childnet have produced [two videos on scams and phishing](#) to support Safer Internet Day 2025, which is based around the theme:

Too good to be true? Protecting yourself and others from scams online.

We will be focusing on this theme in school next week.



Wellbeing tip of the week

Regular physical activity can help keep your body fit and your mind healthy. You can try walking, cycling, or taking a walk with your pet.

Spring Term Dates 2025

Date	Event
11.2.25	Safer Internet Day
13.2.25	Reception Stay and Play
14.2.25 (3.15pm)	Finish for half-term
24.2.25	Staff INSET day (school closed for children)
25.2.25	Children return to school
28.2.25	Audiology & Vision tests for Reception
6.3.25	World Book Day
11.3.25	Class photographs day
14.3.25	Wear Blue for Bobby Day
19.3.25	Year 3—Year 6 Celebrating Neurodiversity presentation and workshops
21.3.25	World Poetry Day
25.3.25 (4pm)	Governors' Meeting
26 & 27.3.25	Parents' Evening
27.3.25 (11am)	Liverpool Cathedral Singing performance
2.4.25-4.4.25	Year 5 residential visit to PGL
7.4.25 (am)	Attendance Celebration Assembly
7.4.25 (2.15pm)	KS2 Easter Parade
8.4.25 (9.15am)	Reception and KS1 Easter Parade
8.4.25 (1.15pm)	Finish for Easter
22.4.25 (8.45am)	Children return to school
25.4.25	Year 4 to visit Quarry Bank Hill
5.5.24	School Closed—Bank Holiday
12.5.24 – 15.4.24	Y6 SATs

<u>Class</u>	<u>Class Superstars</u>	<u>Dojo Champions</u>
Reception B		
Reception T		
Year 1	Ajay S	Jessica A
Year 1 / 2	Rose B	Thomas B
Year 2	Ava H	Leon Mc
Year 3		
Year 4	Lucy Mc	Lily M
Year 5	Luke L	Leo C
Year 6	Finley G	Faye L



Happy 'February' Birthdays
 Remi-Paul – Frankie-Lee – Ava Rose –
 Jonathan – Grayson – Bobby – Ariella –
 Jacob – Annie – Hugo – Thomas – Arlo –
 Matthew – Oscar – Luna – Ayla – Jake – Ivy –
 Mrs. Hindley

Principals Awards ~ Respect

**Congratulations to the following pupils who received our
 Principal's Awards for Respect this week**

Reception B: Hunter B

Reception T: Lily D

Year 1: Philip S

Year 1/2 : Ella J

Year 2: Sienna L

Year 3: Olivia G

Year 4: Bella W

Year 5: Nathan O

Year 6: Isaac B



Footballs in School

When children are playing football in school, we will provide the balls. Please note that children are not allowed to bring their own footballs into school, as this can cause issues. Thank you



Mobile Phones and Smart watches

In line with our safeguarding policies and procedures, pupils are not allowed to bring mobile phones or smart watches into school. If your child needs to bring a phone to school for any reason, this should be left in the school office, where it will be kept securely during the school day. It is not appropriate for parents to telephone their child on their mobile phones during the school day. If you have any messages that you need passing onto your child, please call the school office.

At the end of the day phones will be returned to pupil to take home.