

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025

Dear parents and carers,

As we reach the end of another fantastic school year at All Saints' School, I want to take this opportunity to reflect on our pupils' achievements and thank our families, wonderful school staff, Governing Body and wider community for the incredible support you have shown throughout the year.

We are incredibly proud of the excellent progress made by our pupils. Across every year group, children have shown determination, enthusiasm and curiosity, whether developing their reading and writing, mastering new maths skills, expressing themselves creatively or building strong friendships. It has been a real joy to watch them grow and learn – they have been an absolute delight and a pleasure to have in school every single day. Our school attendance has finished at 95.3% which is a fantastic achievement, and we look forward to continuing our work to improve this further next year.

Our sporting achievements this year have been something to celebrate. The school cricket and football teams have performed brilliantly, showing great teamwork. Many pupils have taken part in weekly Park Run events, with fantastic enthusiasm and commitment to fitness and wellbeing and our Bike and Scooter Buses have been very well supported. Thank you to Mr Morris for his very hard work in developing the many sporting opportunities for our pupils and to all of the staff and volunteers who have supported and cheered on our teams throughout the year.

We have been lucky to take learning far beyond the classroom walls this year, including a memorable visit to London that brought history and culture to life, and a very special visit to Singapore for our Year 6 pupils. These opportunities have enriched our curriculum and helped our pupils and staff develop a truly global outlook. We have also enjoyed visits to Cardiff, Pentre-Llyn-Cymer and Nant BH, all adding an extra dimension to learning at school.





A special mention must go to our wonderful Nursery and Reception classes, who settled into school life so well. Your bright smiles, eagerness to learn and caring attitudes have made a big impression on us all. We're also incredibly proud of our Early Education graduates in they are now ready and excited for their next big step into school!

As the year draws to a close, we also say a fond farewell and heartfelt thank you to two members of our team. Mr Mick Barnett, our school caretaker, and Mrs Sue Price, one of our Midday Supervisors, are both moving on to new adventures. We thank them for their years of dedication and service to the school and wish them the very best for the future. You will both be missed. We also wish Mrs Jane Wright the very best as she embarks on a Welsh Sabbatical for the first two terms whilst her class is covered by Mrs Stacey Williams who successfully completed her teacher training with us here at school. We know that Mrs Wright will enjoy her sabbatical and will also bring a wealth of beneficial new learning back to school to share with us all.

Today, we also say a fond farewell to our Year 6 pupils. They have been a fantastic group of pupils to have in school, have made excellent progress and we know will be very successful in their respective high schools. Please do keep in touch and share your successes with us!

Looking ahead, we're already excited to welcome pupils and families back in September. Our Welcome Meetings for parents and carers are incredibly important and help set the tone for a positive start to the year.

## Nursery & Reception – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September – 4pm

Year 1 & 2 – Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September – 4pm

## Year 3 & 4 – Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September – 4pm

## Year 5 & 6 – Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September – 4pm

Please do make every effort to attend these sessions – your involvement makes a real difference. These meetings are for adults, it is appreciated that you make arrangements for childcare on these dates.





Finally, thank you for the lovely cards, kind words and thoughtful gifts many of you have shared with staff. Your generosity and support mean so much to us all. Please remember to check the school website calendar and subscribe to stay up to date with key events and reminders throughout the new school year.

We wish all of our families a relaxing, safe and happy summer holiday. Thank you for being part of another wonderful year at All Saints' School. Over the holidays, Seesaw and email addresses will not be monitored. We look forward to welcoming you back to school on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025.** 

Yours sincerely,

Mr Richard Hatwood Pennaeth – Headteacher

